WELLS, FARGO & CO.

John J. Valentine Elected President Yesterday.

The Organization and Work of the Company — Sketch of Mr. Valentine's Life.

At a meeting held in San Francisco yesterday John J. Valentine was elected President of Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express Company. In March, 1852, Henry Wells, William G. Fargo and others organized in New York City, under the laws of the State of New York, Wells, Fargo & Company, to transact an express, exchange and banking business, particularly on the Pacific Coast, but also, between San Francisco, New York and Europe.

The company sprang into existence, Minerva-like, fully equipped for service; and at once engaged upon its long mission of trust and responsibility, ever since maintaining itself successfully amidst some of the most trying commercial vicissitudes; extending its lines farther and farther over mountains, across deserts and plains, and along inland water-ways, until it spans the broad continent, extending, all told, to forty-three States and Territories within the United States of America and the Republic of Mexico, as well as reaching British Columbia, Great Britain and Continental Europe. In 1888 it acquired the Erie system, centering in New York, and extensive auxiliary lines, thus securing its own direct through lines to New York, Boston and all other large commercial centers, and where it is now permanently represented. The company operates nearly forty thousand miles of lines by railway, stage and steamer; has over three thousand agencies and more than six thousand two hundred employes; transacts millions of business annually in its express department and handles, in its banking departments, its accumulated capital and deposits, amounting to over $11,500,000, the largest cash assets of any commercial banking concern on the Pacific Coast. The main office of the company in New York City is at 63 Broadway, but its headquarters proper, or general accounting office, is in San Francisco.

It was Wells, Fargo & Co. that originated, in 1860,

THE FAMOUS PONY EXPRESS

For the most rapid conveyance then possible of important mail correspondence across the continent. The success of the undertaking demonstrated its practicability, and suggested other possibilities of accommodating the needs of the age. The narrow trail of the "Pony" may be said to have marked out the course soon afterward followed by the capacious mail and passenger coaches, along with the telegraph wires; and in no less quick succession, that of the railroad track and swift-speeding locomotive, which now unite in one bond of fraternal intercourse the widely separated extremities of the continent.

The express building in San Francisco, in which the local and general business of the company is transacted, is one of the marked architectural features of that city, its massive exterior covering two-thirds of a block, and it is probably the largest and best appointed express office in the world.

JOHN J. VALENTINE

Was born at Bowling Green, Ky., November 12, 1840; son of William Crenshaw and Eliza Yates Cunningham Valentine. His American ancestor was John Valentine, of the Isle of Wight County, Va., who came from England about 1640 and died in 1652. The ancient family of Valentines from whom those in this country are descended had their family estate, known as Bendifle Hall, in the Parish of Eccles, County Lancaster, Eng. The ancestors of John J. Valentine were settled in Virginia. His great grandfather was a soldier in the War of the Revolution, and served throughout the struggle. His father, William C., removed to Kentucky in early life, and married Eliza Yates Cunningham of Leitchfield, Ky.

Mr. Valentine, the subject of this sketch, received a common school education, and in the winter of 1854-55 began his business career with Younglove Brothers, druggists, and agents for Carter, Thomas & Co.'s stage and express line in Bowling Green, and though still a young man to outward appearance, he has been engaged in the express business for over thirty-seven years.

About the time he entered the employ of the above named firm, the construction of railroads was commenced in that section of the country, and as it progressed express facilities were secured by O'Bannon, Kean & Co. of Louisville, who occupied both stage and railroad lines, but the Adams Express Company obtained the rights and privileges enjoyed by them, and Mr. Valentine became identified with that company, continuing in its service until the winter of 1861, when he resigned, and in the following spring emigrated to California, where he was soon appointed joint agent for Wells, Fargo & Co.'s express, the Pioneer Stage Company and the California State Telegraph Company at Strawberry Valley, El Dorado County, but was shortly afterward transferred to Virginia City, Nev., as agent there for the Overland Mail Company and Pioneer Stage Company. He acquitted himself with so much credit that he was subsequently appointed Superintendent of the Pioneer Stage Company, the most perfectly equipped and managed line in the country.

CONTINUING TO DEVELOP

Qualities adapted to transportation business, he was next appointed Superintendent of the Pacific Division of Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express. As the interests of this company expanded, Mr. Valentine was advanced from time to time, until in 1868 he was offered a managing position at New York headquarters, but declined. In the spring of 1869 he was again called to New York and there appointed General Superintendent with headquarters in that city. The business, however, being then principally on the Pacific Coast, it was not long before the general office was transferred to San Francisco, and since about the summer of 1870 he has resided in California. In 1882 he was elected a director of the company, and, at the same time, to the office of Vice-President, and subsequently it becoming necessary to create a new office, that of General Manager, Mr. Valentine was unanimously elected to fill the same.

His career manifested from the start his strong natural

APTITUDE FOR THE WORK

To which his life is devoted, but his talents are of too versatile a character to be entirely absorbed in one particular business. He has found time to prepare and publish each year a summary of the produce of gold and silver of the entire country, which is comprehensive in its research, and generally recognized as reliable and leading authority on the subject.

Mr. Valentine has also found time, amid the multifarious demands of a business which would have absorbed the physical strength of a less robust and energetic man, to identify himself with the great charitable movements of the age in seasons of public calamity, and by organized efforts among the agents and employes of Wells, Fargo & Co. raised large sums of money for the relief of communities thus distressed. Notably among them are the sufferers by the great fire of Chicago, 1871; yellow fever at Memphis, 1873; overflow of the Mississippi River, 1874; inundation of Marysville, Cal., January 19, 1875; the great fire of Virginia City, Nev., October, 1875; grasshopper plague of Kansas and Nebraska, 1875; the terrible yellow fever scourge of 1878, and the forrest fires in Wisconsin, June, 1882.

In other less conspicuous works of human sympathy and private charity, and in the religious and educational institutions of the community in which he resides, his presence and influence are constantly felt and gratefully appreciated. He is a member of the Advent Episcopal Church of Oakland and Vice-President of the San Francisco Young Men's Christian Association. In short, he has proven himself in every sphere of life an efficient officer, a public-spirited citizen and an all-round useful man.

SACRAMENTO VS. SUISUN.

A Hard and Close Contest Looked For on Sunday.

Baseball cranks say there will be a lively game at Agricultural Park next Sunday, when the Suisun and Scott & Gilbert clubs come together for the third time. On the two former occasions the home team was defeated by close scores, and now they will do their utmost to turn the tables on their victorious rivals. Since the clubs last met the home team has defeated the Vallejo club, the leaders in the pennant race, and the Vallejos have twice defeated the Suisuns.

The home club is now much stronger than when it last played the Suisuns. Moody, McDonald, Callen, Pace and Campbell have added strength to the weak spots in the team. Callen and Pace will be the battery, and as Callen is again at his Santa Rosa form he will no doubt give a good account of himself.

Manager Gilbert has secured Jack Campbell, a promising young player who has lately drifted out here from the East, to play second base, and judging from his work last week he is a second Reitz.

Tillman and Larkin will do the battery work for the Suisuns, and the remainder of the team is the same as when it last played here. For backing up of positions and good, lively coaching, they are the superiors of any baseball club that has visited Sacramento.

It is expected that the Suisuns will run an excursion train from their town, and as the Suisun people believe they have the best club in the State there will be plenty of enthusiasm, and the friends of the home team will have to turn out in force to offset the visitors and encourage the local men. The make-up of the clubs is as follows:

Scott & Gilberts.	Position.	Suisuns.
Pace	Catcher	Larkin
Callen	Pitcher	Tillman
B. Warren	First base	A. Trainor
Campbell	Second base	Kelly
Netheroott	Third base	Crowley
McDonald	Shortstop	Barbour
H. Warren	Left field	G. Trainor
Shanahan	Center field	Ben Hill
Moody	Right field	Perry

"WHOA! EMMA!"

A Former Sacramentan Sued for Damages by a Young Woman.

Emma Tilton Alleges that M. M. Odell Promised to Marry Her, and Then Wed Another.

There are few old residents of Sacramento better known in this part of the State than M. M. Odell, a former cattleman and wholesale butcher, who for a few years past has been living in the vicinity of Sisson, Siskiyou County. His numerous friends and acquaintances in this part of the State were surprised yesterday on reading in the San Francisco papers that a young woman of that city had sued him for $20,000 for alleged breach of promise and consequent damage done her feelings.

This suffering young creature, whose name is Emma A. Tilton, alleges that last February Odell—who is a widower—became engaged to her, but that the defendant had since married Miss Susan Barnes. Miss Tilton demands judgment of the Superior Court for the sum named.

Odell, who is still a stock-raiser and butcher, is of advanced years and worth about $100,000 in the opinion of his friends. He had a friend in San Francisco, Professor John Tilton, who resides at 221 Elm avenue, and recently met him here. In the course of conversation the loneliness of bachelordom was admitted by Odell and the Professor mentioned his daughter, Emma, who was 30 years of age. Odell was struck by the description, and although he had to leave the city without seeing the young lady, speedily started a correspondence with her.

The correspondence went on smoothly to mutual satisfaction, but the climax seems to have come when in response to the receiving of Odell's photograph Miss Tilton sent one of herself to her admirer. The arrangements were soon made, and according to the complainant, Mr. Odell proposed by letter and was accepted.

Evidently the photograph had conveyed a wrong impression, for according to Miss Tilton's friends when he arrived in the city and saw his nancee he exclaimed that she was both "too small and too young," and at once shook the dust of Elm avenue from his feet.

The Miss Barnes, to whom he is since said to have been married, is an Oakland lady.

Carl Dreyfus' Abandoned Family.

City Attorney Hart has written to Carl Dreyfus, who is said to be in Denver, asking him to do something for the support of his family. Dreyfus deserted his wife and four children here about a year ago, in consequence of which Mrs. Dreyfus lost her reason and was sent to the Stockton Asylum.

She was released from that institution recently and is again with her children, but is not able to provide for their maintenance.

Who Was to Blame?

Two months ago Jacob Casselman's wagon, piloted by an employe, collided with one of M. Miller's hacks on the Riverside road one night, and both vehicles were damaged.

Miller brought suit for $100 damages, and now Casselman responds with a counter-complaint asking for a similar sum from Miller.

The case has been set for trial in Justice Devine's court to-morrow.

Dragooning Won't Do.

Not with the liver. Violent cholagogues, like calomel and blue pill, administered in "heroic" or excessive doses, as they often are, will not permanently restore the activity of the great hepatic organ, and are productive of much mischief to the system generally. Institute a healthful reform, if inactivity of the liver exists, with Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which insures a regular discharge of the secretive function of the liver, and promotes due action of the bowels without griping or weakening them. The discomfort and tenderness in the right side, nausea, fur upon the tongue, yellowness of the skin and eyeballs, sourness of the breath and sick headache, which characterize chronic biliousness, disappear, and digestion—always interfered with by biliousness—resumes its former activity. The Bitters annihilates malaria complaints, rheumatism, kidney trouble, and is a promoter of healthful repose.

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JEAN SIMEON'S BODY.

Certainty That It is Still at the River Bottom.

The Body Found Yesterday Was Badly Decomposed—What Simeon's Roommate Says.

A body, at first supposed to be that of Jean M. Simeon, who was drowned with Ed Spenoni about midnight on Tuesday, was recovered from the river yesterday morning. It was first discovered by a man named Otto, and taken out by Thomas Soule and Charles White, at a point near the Paine break, on the Yolo side.

It was delivered to Justice Kaup of Washington, who, at the request of members of Sacramento Lodge, No. 11, K. of P., permitted it to be brought over to the Morgue in this city.

A number of the members of the lodge and friends of Simeon viewed the remains yesterday, but the body was so badly discolored, swollen and decomposed that it was not identified.

Justice Kaup has a silver watch and plated chain, together with sleeve-buttons and a shirt-stud taken from the body. The buttons are engraved with either the letter "C" or "E" in German text.

A reward of $25 was offered by the lodge mentioned above for the recovery of Simeon's body, but last evening the Secretary of the lodge notified Coroner Clark that they would not accept this as his remains.

The case was investigated yesterday by a lodge committee, and the Secretary stated last evening that there was scarcely a chance of the body found being that of Simeon. When seen a few hours before going in the boat he had a gold watch and chain, and at the boat-house his street coat was found, while a hunting coat, which he was accustomed to wear when boating, was gone, indicating that he changed his coat before going out.

John Stack, his room mate at 1328 Second street, says he saw him at noon on Tuesday and gave him the keys to the boat and locker, at which time he had a gold watch, and he is positive the remains are not those of Simeon.

As the body was floating when found, and only about thirty-six hours after Simeon sank, and several miles from where the latter was drowned, it did not seem at all probable that it could be his. There is scarcely any current in the river now, and the probability is that Simeon's body will yet be recovered not far from where the boat was upset.

THE BODY IDENTIFIED.

Since the above was in type the body has been identified as that of a young man named Charles Frisch, who disappeared on Sunday.

The last seen of him was on the river front between 12 and 1 o'clock of that night, and the supposition is that he committed suicide, although no reason is known for his taking his own life.

Deceased formerly worked at the railroad shops. His home was on K street, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth. He leaves two sisters—a Mrs. Graff and Miss Kittie Frisch. The parents of Frisch are dead, and he was a single man.

NO CANDIDATE.

The People's Party Wants Some One for Congressman.

Yesterday was the day fixed for the holding of the People's party Congressional Convention in this city, but no nomination was made.

The convention was held at Federated Trades Hall, and was presided over by J. C. Barton of Nevada, A. B. Sanborn of this city acting as Secretary.

The first subject considered by the convention was the hydraulic mining situation. Delegate J. T. Lewis of Sutter urged that a resolution be adopted condemnatory of the Caminetti bill, and other valley delegates favored the nomination of a candidate for Congress who would be against the hydraulickers.

J. F. Gregory of Placer opposed any action on the mining trouble, saying that it was something that would cut two ways.

A resolution was presented by J. A. Ball of Nevada favoring a system of "reclamation," opposing the passage of titles to land and water to speculators; favoring the adjustment of the controversies between industries by the Government; and the right to take water from natural streams for irrigation, mining and other purposes under Government supervision.

William Boyne and others debated the resolution, and finally the convention declined to have any Committee on Resolutions at all.

The nomination of an Elector being in order, A. B. Sanborn was placed in nomination by William Boyne, and was the choice of the convention.

Boyne presented the name of Dr. Henderson of Butte for Congress, but the honor was declined.

C. A. Jenkins, C. H. Dunn and C. P. Berry were each proposed. The former declined, and no one knew whether Dunn or Berry would vote for Weaver, so the matter of selecting a candidate was referred to a committee consisting of Dr. Henderson of Butte, Fred Van Lew of Sutter, J. H. White of Amador, J. Ball of Nevada, J. F. Gregory of Placer and J. E. Camp of Sacramento. The committee decided to meet at Roseville on the 20th inst.

The convention then adjourned.

REVENUE GAUGERS.

They Are Not to Work in Rectifying Houses.

A couple of days ago the Revenue Collectors received communication from Commissioner of Internal Revenue Mason, directing that all gaugers at rectifying houses be relieved to-morrow. In the San Francisco district this will cause a reduction in the number of gaugers in the service.

The order directs that only the number of gaugers necessary to dump spirits are to be retained. The rectifyers will gauge and mark the packages of rectified spirits and attach the rectified stamps. The stamps will be obtained from the office of Collector of Internal Revenue, upon proper application being made.

The effect of the order will be to make the rectifiers do most of the work now done by the gaugers. Under the present system the department has a gauger to go to each rectifying house to make the dump. This work the few gaugers to be retained will continue to do. Heretofore the gauger, in addition to making the dump, marked and stamped the rectified packages. Hereafter the rectifier will have to do the marking and gauging of the rectified spirits, call on the Collector's office to procure stamps and place them on the packages instead of having the gauger do it.

Collector Byington was seen yesterday by a RECORD-UNION reporter and asked if the order would result in any reduction of his force. He replied that it would not. The gauger would not have as much gauging to do as heretofore, but there would be plenty of other work to keep him busy.

STYLISH STARS.

New and Gorgeous Badges for Capitol Park Officers.

The Capitol Commissioners have provided the State police at the Capitol with new stars. They are the same size as those of the regular police, but have seven points, instead of six, are very artistically engraved and enameled and are numbered from 1 to 6.

In the center, surrounded by a circle, is a very correct engraving of the Capitol building, and the words, "State Police," extend partially around the larger circumference of the badge, in black enameled letters.

The latter are made of solid silver and are about double the weight of the old ones.

A CRAZY DISTURBER.

A Special Officer Has a Rough Time With William Glenn.

A man named William Glenn, evidently crazed with whisky, and said to be an opium fiend, created considerable disturbance on Second street yesterday morning. He undertook to drive off several hacks belonging to various parties, and finally succeeded in taking possession of a ranch wagon, in which he rode up and down the street until stopped by the owner.

He then jumped into a delivery wagon and occupied himself by unloading goods into the street, when he was interrupted by Special Officer Greer.

Greer took the man into his cart, when he suddenly seized the officer and threw him out, whereupon Greer seized his crazed customer and a lively wrestle ensued, in which a great deal of rough-and-tumble struggling took place.

Bystanders went to the officer's assistance, and Glenn was finally handcuffed and taken to the City Jail, where he was charged with disturbance of the peace and resisting an officer.

POLICE COURT CASES.

A Brief Session Yesterday Devoted to Minor Offenders.

In the Police Court yesterday J. D. Tate was arraigned for violating the water ordinance, and had his case continued to Saturday.

William Wilson, arraigned on a charge of robbery, and A. W. Gray, for embezzlement, had their cases set for to-day.

Henry Mugachio, charged with vagrancy, was discharged.

Indian Joe received a sentence of thirty days in the County Jail for disturbing the peace.

The two Japanese, Marayama and Psurueta, found guilty of battery on George Casedy, had judgment in their case continued until Monday.

Ben Wilber and Tom Harrison, drunks, had their rewards kept over for to-day.

The Labor Exhibit.

The Council of Federated Trades is preparing a very attractive exhibit to be placed in the historical department of the State Fair. It will be one of the main features of that display.

STUPENDOUS HUMBUG.

Making Food Tests with Doctored Samples.

An Organized Scheme to Deceive and Defraud the Honest Housewives of California.

[Chronicle, San Francisco.]

One of the new baking powder concerns which is trying to introduce its goods into this market acknowledges that it is behind the fraudulent test tricks which have recently been performed in the kitchens of this vicinity.

It is remarkable that any manufacturer claiming respectability, should put himself in so contemptible a position as this. The scheme which these parties are trying to work is one of the most stupendous humbugs of the day. It is not only a humbug, but so dishonest that its backers have not the courage to engage in it openly, but put forward innocent women to perform the public part of the disgraceful and illegal operation.

One of the women who was employed in the performance of these tricks, and who resigned her position when she found out their fraudulent character, thus describes the methods she was taught to use: She was to obtain a sample of the baking powder used in the house visited, mix it with water, boil it, and tell the housekeeper that the gas given off indicated that there was something wrong about the powder. If the housekeeper's imagination was not equal to the demands of the occasion, the tester was instructed to use a sample can of the same powder which had been specially doctored and prepared to show the thing desired.

This test was supplemented by another equally as fraudulent. A small quantity of the baking powder found in the kitchen and a similar quantity of the baking powder which the tester was trying to prove superior, were mixed with water in separate glasses. The first being pure would foam up quickly, like a glass of champagne, while the other would rise slowly, frothing like yeast, the foam perhaps standing over the top of the glass. This the tester was taught to claim as an evidence of the superiority of the powder she carried. She had found out, however, by a rather unpleasant experience, that she had been deceived and was likewise deceiving the housekeeper. A lady said to her one day when she was performing this test that she believed it was a fraud; that the extra foam upon the tester's powder was caused by the introduction of an adulterant. The housekeeper then procured a small quantity of flour which she thoroughly mixed with her own powder before adding the water. When the mixture was stirred, exactly the same slow foam resulted as with the other powder. This showed the woman that the whole test was a humbug, and that the result was an evidence that the new powder carried by the tester contained an adulterant.

There is another dishonest feature in this business. The baking powder which these traveling testers are trying to sell by these methods and upon the representation that all its ingredients are named upon the label of each can, and that these ingredients are simply cream of tartar, soda, and flour, is actually shown by the reports of official chemists to have in its composition *lime* and *sulphuric acid*.

MARRIED.

ELDER-CROOK—In this city, August 11th, by Rev. A. C. Herrick, William S. Elder to Nannie Crook, both of Lincoln. [Lincoln paper please copy.]

DIED.

GREEN—In this city, August 10th, Emma A., wife of L. B. Green, a native of Nebraska, aged 28 years.

☞ Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral to-day at 10 A. M., from her late residence, 418 L street.

WOLFF—In Portland, Or., August 9th, Charles, beloved husband of Fanny Wolff of this city and Mr. and Mrs. A. Wolff of San Francisco.

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TO CONTRACTORS.

THE PLACERVILLE MASONIC HALL Association will receive separate bids till noon of AUGUST 20, 1892, for concrete, brick, iron, wood and other work of the Masonic Temple to be erected in Placerville, according to the plans and specifications prepared by W. J. Cuthbertson, St. Ann building, San Francisco. Bids for the entire work completed will also be received. Common lumber, $17 per M.; finishing lumber, $25 per M.; brick, $7 50 per M. All can be had for above prices delivered on the ground. Material for concrete work, price of hauling only. The Association reserves the right to reject any and all bids. SHELLY INCH, President. au8-6t

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY,

Notice to Contractors, Builders and Material Men.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL concerned that sealed proposals or bids are solicited for performing the labor and furnishing the materials necessary to the erection of a building for the Mechanical and Electrical Engineering Department of the University of California, at Berkeley, said bids to be received at the office of J. H. C. Bonte, Secretary of the Board of Regents, South Hall, Berkeley, California, at or before 12 o'clock M. of the 29TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1892.

And notice is further hereby given that the plans, bills, descriptions and specifications of said building, and of the labor and materials therefor, have been placed at the office of W. Curlett, architect, rooms 307 and 309 Phelan Building, Market street, San Francisco, where the same can be seen during business hours each day from this date until the contracts for building the same are made.

Notice is further hereby given that bids for the furnishing of materials for and doing the mason and ironwork, for the furnishing of materials for and doing the carpenter and masonry work, for the furnishing of materials for and doing the plumbing, gasfitting and heating work, for the furnishing of materials for and doing the tinning, galvanized iron and slating work, for the furnishing of materials for and doing the painting and graining work, and for the furnishing of materials for and doing the electric work will be separately received.

This notice is given pursuant to the provisions of an Act of the Legislature entitled "An Act to Regulate Contracts on Behalf of the State in Relation to Erections and Buildings," approved March 23, 1876, and pursuant to the provisions of the amendment of said Act, approved March 31, 1891, which Act and amendment is hereby referred to and made part of this notice.

No proposals will be considered unless accompanied with a bond of said proposer equal to ten (10) per cent. of his proposal, with sufficient sureties, conditioned that, if said proposal shall be accepted, the party proposing will duly enter into a proper contract and faithfully perform his or their contract or contracts in accordance with said proposals and the plan or plans, specifications and descriptions, which shall be and are hereby made a part of such contract or contracts.

The right to reject any or all bids is hereby reserved.

By order of the Committee on Grounds and Buildings. J. WEST MARTIN, Chairman. Jy30-tilla227

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