

THREE SUSPECTS IN JAIL.

The Story of a Diamond Ring, a Guitar and Music-Box.

Cracked Work of Which Two Ex-Convicts and Another Man Are Suspected.

About two weeks ago Jennie Turner, one of the unfortunate women of the town, pawned a diamond ring, said to be worth \$125, to another fallen woman, known as "Lutey" for a few dollars, with the understanding that it was to be redeemed the next day. But when the next day arrived Lutey, who is a decided blonde, informed the Turner woman, who is colored, that thieves had entered her house and broken open her trunk, and that the ring had disappeared.

About a week later Anita Para, a well-known woman living in the vicinity of lower L street, reported to the police that a hand-made guitar, valued at \$75, and an inlaid music box, valued at \$100, had been stolen from her house. Officers Higgins and Douglas were detailed to work on the case and were not wrong in coming to a conclusion which, they say, subsequently proved a correct one.

Gus Hanson, alias Johnson, had been acting as Anita Para for some time, employed as porter, which position he also filled for several of the unfortunate women on L street, and he was at once placed on the list of suspects. Hanson is considered a very smooth article by the police, having been several times convicted of having burglars' tools in his possession. Besides this, he was a very good friend of the woman Lutey, and the officers concluded that he knew something about the ring and the musical instruments.

Two bosom pals of Hanson's, Jack Roth and Chester Allen (the latter colored), were suspected of having had a hand in the operation, and they were also kept in sight.

In the meantime the officers had found a small colored boy, destined to be an important witness in the case—who slept in Lutey's place after she closed up each night. The little fellow stated that the evening the instruments disappeared Hanson knocked on the door, which he opened, and carried in the guitar and music box, which he put in Lutey's trunk. The boy asked him to whom they belonged, and Hanson answered that they were his own. The boy made no objection, evidently knowing the relations existing between Lutey and Hanson, though he asked the latter why he did not put them in his own room.

Douglas and Higgins, after satisfying themselves that the boy's story was substantially correct, took the stolen articles in her trunk and ordered Hanson to remove them, which he did, stowing them away under the floor of the house, and that he must subsequently have resurrected them and placed them in her trunk without her knowledge.

The upshot of it all was that Hanson was arrested several days ago, while Lutey and the two men, Roth and Allen, were locked up last evening. It is believed that the mystery of the missing diamond ring will be cleared up before the matter ends, and that Roth and Allen, the former of whom has spent two terms, aggregating thirteen years, in the State's Prison, will be found to be accessories before the fact.

The officers consider that they have a clear case against Hanson.

The officers learned last night that Hanson's plans even went to the extent of committing a murder, if necessary, in order to rob the Para woman.

Anita Para is the landlady of a number of the crib dwellers on L street, and nightly collects her one-dollar rental of each, amounting to quite a sum. The story is that Hanson wanted to put up a job to rob her some night after she had completed her collecting tour among her tenants, and proposed to Allen that he should "knock her on the head" at a convenient time and place, and that they would rob her of her easily earned coin, even though it consisted of silver.

Having done this, they were to manifest great zeal in the effort to run down the murderous thugs, and thus throw the police off the scent. When the matter had quieted down, or someone else had been arrested on suspicion, they were to be "laid" out of town.

MILITARY SCORES.

How the Bull's-Eyes Were Perforated Yesterday.

Following are the scores made at the military ranges yesterday at the regular practice of the men of the local companies:

Company E—Captain Schoemaker 39, Sergeant McMarten 40, Sergeant Beasley 40, Corporal Nutting 42, Corporal Howerton 42, Privates C. E. Hughes 43, Thompson 38, Showalter 42, Moon 43, Roman 39, Conroy 38, Gray 40, Gardner 41, Whittier 37, Sabin 31, Freeman 32, Auten 37, Smith 25, Cutting 43.

Pool shooting—Private Cook 41, Major Wallace 41, Major Alme 41, Major Day 32, Sergeant McMarten 37.

Company G—Captain A. E. Stearns 43, Lieutenant H. W. Rivett 43, Sergeant J. A. Klein 42, Sergeant J. L. Guth 42, Sergeant De Pinner 37, Sergeant Kellogg 33, Corporal Milliken 40, Corporal Blair 38, Corporal Koetz 38, Privates Day 43, Elliott 42, Baylock 42, Schardin 41, Clippa 39, Richner 39, Striplin 39, Thomas 38, Pittidder 38, Freund 37, Wackford 37, Alme 36, Scholfield 35, Faulkner 32, Brown 31, Cook 31.

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EVERYBODY'S COLUMN.

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, for publication unless so desired, but as a guarantee of good faith.—Eds.

A Weary Citizen.

Eds. "Record-Union": Is there no relief—no end to this insufferable nuisance? For three days past our good city has experienced all the horrors of a veritable pandemonium, and the end is not yet. Life, property, peace, good order, everything put to the hazard by the infernal bombs, squibs, rockets, firecrackers, guns and pistols that have been exploded, fired off, sent skyward with a persistency, a recklessness and an altogether diabolical indifference to the safety, peace and comfort of this bomb-stricken city and its long-suffering inhabitants. Upon the roofs of houses, into porches, among quiet families, upon the street, under the feet of carriage horses drawing loads of ladies and children, fly, burst and sputter these missiles invented by his satanic majesty.

Give us the tornado of East St. Louis, the flood of Japan, the epidemic of Cuba, an eruption of Mauna Loa, and we will be happy and bless our singular exemption from all evil. But do, Mr. Editors, do something to lift this unbearable burden from this sorely afflicted people.

I know that the inventor of bombs and such like infernal machines was among the lost souls that Dante saw writing in the burning pitch in the pool of Malagolya, and I am glad of it. It was a case of poetic justice.

The law says these things shall not be done. But what do those "ordinals" do for a remedy? They explode their bombs, then crawl under a sidewalk to avoid detection. But, say you, this is patriotism! This utter disregard of the law—this invasion of the right of others, this absolute indifference to safety of the city or the life of its people. This is patriotism!

If it is, let us have it in homoeopathic doses—less in quantity and of better quality.

But it is nothing of the kind. A person can be patriotic without blowing up his neighbor or setting his house on fire. These bomb fiends are prompted solely by the desire to make an infernal din, scare women and horses, then grin at the ruin they have wrought.

For all this evil I suggest a remedy. If the ordinance is not strong enough, make it so. Let a special policeman be appointed for each block in the city, to act without pay, but with power to arrest all persons who explode any of these infernal contrivances. The volunteers will be numerous. Every woman in my block will enlist, beside some of the men—that is, those who do not themselves engage in this intellectual pastime—and peace, quiet and good order will once more be restored to our city.

S. SOLON HOLL.

July 4, 1896.

A RAZOR FLASHED.

Captain Ash Suppresses a Gang of Sunday Rioters.

Late yesterday afternoon word was sent to police headquarters that a fight was in progress in front of the Elmer Hotel on K street, near Front. Captain Ash made raid on the gang and succeeded in capturing four of the pugilists, giving as a reason for not getting the rest that his arms were not long enough to go around any more.

A. Williams, who has but one leg, is said to have incited the riot by drawing a razor and making vicious swipes at the crowd. He, however, was the only man to suffer, having his thumb badly gashed.

The other three men gathered in were Charles and Eugene Stanford and John Lewis, the latter of whom claimed that he had nothing to do in the brawl except to take the razor away from Williams. They were all packed away into nice cool cells to allow them time to cogitate on the ways of the wicked.

FOLSOM MACADAM ROAD.

Liberal Offer of the Natoma Vineyard Company.

A committee was recently appointed at one of the meetings for the promotion of the Folsom macadam road enterprise to wait on the officials of the Natoma Company and ascertain what that corporation would do toward helping along the building of the proposed road.

J. G. Patterson of Router Station stated yesterday that the committee had received a very generous response from the company. The latter offers to send out its own engineer to survey the ground, and will do all the grading, building of culverts, etc., for the seven miles of road along its vineyard property this side of Alder Creek.

This would be equal to a very large subscription in money, and will offset to some extent the action of the Trustees of this city in refusing to submit to the citizens of the municipality an opportunity to vote on the proposition to give \$5,000 toward the building of the road.

"SWATTED" ON THE NOSE.

J. C. Burns, who resides on the Yolo side of the river, had three stitches taken in his nose at the Receiving Hospital yesterday, to close a wound which he said was inflicted by a man unknown to him and who appeared to be crazy.

The stranger picked up a tin bucket and after banging Burns on the nose with it walked off as though nothing out of the usual had happened.

Fist Fight Without a License.

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COMPANIES CONSOLIDATED.

Electric Power and Light and the Street Railway Company.

The Ownership Remains the Same, But There Will Now Be But One Company.

A most important transfer of large property interests was quietly effected here last week. There was conveyed to the recently incorporated Sacramento Electric, Gas and Railway Company, all the property and interests of the Folsom Water Power Company, also all the property and interests of the Sacramento Electric Power and Light Company.

The first mentioned company has constructed and owned the extensive water power property on the American River at Folsom, which furnishes the motive power for the electrical transmission plant now operating in this city, and the phenomenal success of which has so widely spread the fame of Sacramento city in engineering circles all over the world.

The second company has been the owner and controller of the extensive electric plant at Folsom, the transmission plant between Folsom and Sacramento and the electric system in Sacramento, which now furnishes this city with all the electric current necessary to operate all the arc and incandescent lights, the Electric Street Railway system and electric motors that are fast supplanting steam, making Sacramento the leading electrical city of the Pacific Coast.

The new consolidated Sacramento Electric, Gas and Railway Company, which thus absorbs these great properties, has also in its capitalization made liberal provision for their extension and amplification which the future growth of this prosperous city will assuredly make necessary.

The parties interested and controlling the new corporation have mainly been connected with the original corporation from their inception, so that there will be no change in the controlling proprietorship.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Sacramento Electric, Gas and Railway Company, held on the 30th of June, to finally ratify the purchase and consolidation of the properties of the original corporations, a permanent business organization was effected. The Board of Directors of the Sacramento Electric, Gas and Railway Company is composed of Albert Galatin, President; Horatio P. Livermore, General Manager and Treasurer; W. S. Goodfellow, L. P. Drexler and Albert Galatin, Jr.

The business of the company has grown so rapidly and is of such an important and complicated character, that it has already been found necessary to make such arrangements that the General Manager shall permanently reside in Sacramento, and shall be a man of the widest possible experience in the handling of electric transmission, motive power, railway and lighting plants.

Having this in view, arrangements have already been effected whereby C. P. Gilbert, now Managing Director of the Edison Illuminating Company of Detroit, Mich., and widely known throughout the East in all electrical circles as a man of great capacity and experience in managing such plants, has been secured to act from and after the 1st of August next as General Manager of the Sacramento Electric, Gas and Railway Company.

Mr. Gilbert has become interested in the company's stock as a proprietor, and will also be Managing Director. This will relieve the present General Manager, Horatio P. Livermore, who has had occasion to realize that the handling of the details of the company's affairs—while not able to reside permanently in Sacramento—is more of a burden than he is prepared to bear.

The administration of the company's business affairs will, therefore, after the 1st of August, be in the hands of Managing Director C. P. Gilbert, who will undoubtedly commend himself to the people of Sacramento city and county as a man most highly fitted for such a responsible position.

Under the new organization of the Sacramento Electric, Gas and Railway Company there will be a flooded Sacramento to easily take the lead of Pacific Coast cities in all that relates to perfect and cheap electric lighting, electric motive power for manufactories and electric street car transportation.

In addition to these branches of directly applied electricity, the company, as its name implies, expects to develop a large business in the manufacture of a portion of its surplus electric power at Folsom of the wonderful new Humphreys, acetylene gas, which European and Eastern scientists agree has an illuminating capacity over twenty times that of sixteen-candle power coal gas, and is free from the heat-producing and atmosphere-vitiating properties of coal gas.

This new illuminant is of a character that permits it to be transported in suitable tanks to any part of the country and connected directly with gas fixtures already in use. It requires certain natural constituents that are abundant and cheap near Folsom.

AND THE BAND PLAYED.

An Alleged Case of Garroting That Did Not Occur.

A man named Kelly, who claimed to be from San Francisco, was in the city to celebrate, and being unused to the brand, got more aboard than the craft was able to carry. His legs got crossed at Fifth and K streets and he took a tumble upon his venerable nose, and when sympathetic citizens inquired the cause of the accident Matthew proceeded to fill them up with a delectable story of how he had been knocked down and robbed of \$103 and a watch given to him by his mother.

And when the sympathetic citizens turned away to hide their sympathetic tears, Matthew winked a knowing wink upon the crowd—and the band played.

BURIED HERE.

Funeral Yesterday of the Late Mrs. Mary E. Fox.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary E. Fox, who died at Vallejo last Thursday night, took place yesterday afternoon from St. Francis' Church at Twenty-sixth and K streets, Rev. Father Augustine officiating. There was a large attendance of old friends and acquaintances of the deceased. The interment was in the Odd Fellows' plot of the City Cemetery. The pallbearers were Michael Hughes, A. D. Hurd, Harvey Moore and Martin Beesley.

For the past eighteen years Mrs. Fox had resided in Sacramento. Two years ago she discovered that she had a hard cancer. The best of medical skill was

engaged, but nothing could be done for her. Two months ago she was taken to Vallejo, that she could be with her husband, R. F. Fox, a member of El Dorado Lodge, No. 8, I. O. O. F. and Warren Post, No. 54, G. A. R. of this city, but who is in one of the departments of the Navy Yard at Mare Island.

Only one daughter survives Mrs. Fox, Mrs. Nellie Coward, who gave up her home in Chicago to nurse her mother during her last illness. Mrs. Fox died attended by a loving husband, a devoted daughter and kind friends. The remains were brought here on Saturday.

FOLSOM FORGING AHEAD.

The Foothill Town Soon to be Lighted by Electricity.

The people of Folsom are determined on keeping up with the procession. They are now counting on having their town lighted by electricity. Messrs. Donnelly & Hall of that place have made a contract with the Electric Light and Power Company for all the electricity necessary to light the streets and for indoor incandescent lights, they to dispose of the same to the people. The contract also includes electricity for power purposes in the town and its vicinity.

This means a great deal for the town of Folsom, and the indications now are that in the near future it will be a lively, progressive place. Within the last two years many handsome and modern residences have been erected there, and in the course of time new and better buildings for business will be required.

The American River Land and Water Company is now putting up its great sawmill plant for working up the lumber from its vast sugar pine forests in El Dorado County. This mill will be run by electricity. The canal is full of logs ready for the saws, and in a few months the lumber will be on the market.

What is the matter with Folsom incorporating and improving her streets, sidewalks, etc.

ON THE RAMPAGE.

Charles McLachlin Wrecks a Saloon With Cobblestones.

Yesterday afternoon, Charles McLachlin, an up-town bartender, visited Jones' place at Second and K streets, and there became abusive. Lucey finally ordered him out, and out he went accordingly, but returned in a few minutes with his hands full of cobbles, with which he opened a fusillade upon the glass doors, which he smashed to smithereens.

He next made his way inside, where he disposed of the remainder of the cobbles by flinging them against the pictures on the wall and the bar furniture.

He succeeded in spreading desolation throughout the premises before Officer Higgins and Douglas appeared on the scene and hustled him off to the City Prison. He will be charged with malicious mischief.

LATE JACOB HEINTZ.

Friends Pay Their Last Respects to His Remains.

The funeral of the late Jacob Heintz took place from Clark's undertaking parlors on Fourth street at 2 o'clock yesterday, and a large number of friends of the deceased followed the remains to the cemetery.

The services were conducted by Rev. J. L. Trefren, pastor of the Central M. E. Church, and were very impressive. Miss Clinch and Mrs. B. F. Howard sang appropriate selections at the grave.

The pall-bearers were A. Hellbron, Jerome Carroll, Max Feldler, F. McMillan, Henry Gerber and Mr. Van Maren.

City Finances.

Following is the report of City Auditor Young for the week ending Saturday, July 3d:

Table with 2 columns: Item and Amount. Includes C. C. Robertson, water rates, Taps, City Licenses, Harbor dues, J. B. Young, personal taxes, George G. Davis, Justice fees, M. W. Beard, delinquent taxes, J. W. Watt, sale of saddle.

Total receipts \$4,78 1/2

Total disbursements \$7,404 62

Amount in City Treasury \$265,201 11

APPORTIONED AS FOLLOWS:

Table with 2 columns: Fund and Amount. Includes Sinking and Interest Fund, General Fund, Fire Department Fund, Police Fund, Cemetery Fund, School Fund, Library Fund, Street Fund, Sprinkling Fund, Sewer Fund, Levee Fund, Dog Fund, Special Street Improvement, Immigration Fund, Special Water Works Fund, Firemen's Relief Fund, Unappropriated.

Another House Burned.

Sacramento was fortunate on Saturday in not having suffered heavy loss from fires, considering the quantity of explosives that were disposed of. There were but two houses burned.

Shortly before daylight yesterday a small dwelling at 1115 H street, owned by a Mrs. Callendar and occupied by W. Z. Robbins, was burned, and that of J. Bliss somewhat damaged.

Broke His Leg.

Charles Bassett, who conducts a boot-black stand near the corner of Fourth and K streets, fell down the stairway of the Brown House yesterday afternoon. The fall resulted in a simple fracture of the tibia of the right leg, and a badly sprained ankle. He was attended by City Physician Nichols, and will be removed to the County Hospital to-day.

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Your nerves upon rich, red blood and you will not be nervous. Blood is made rich and pure by Hood's Pills are always reliable. 25 cents.

A few drops of Schilling's Best flavoring-extracts do the work of a spoonful of the average. Your money back if you don't like Schilling's Best.

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The probable cost. Prices have had a tremendous scaling down here of late. We pick a few items from a storefull; if they are not what you want, spend half an hour at the store.

Wash Fabrics. STRIPED AND FIGURED DIMITY LAUNNS. The patterns are very pretty. A bargain at 10 cents. Reduced to 7c.

CHAMELEON MOIRÉ, a new and stylish fabric in crepon effects. We have all the leading colors in this fabric. Don't overlook this lot. Good value at 12 1/2c. Reduced to 8c.

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40 pieces SCOTCH GINGHAMS, 32 inches wide. Regular price, 25c. Now 15c a yard.

Collarettes. To-morrow our entire stock of Fancy White Lawn and Pique Embroidered and Lace Trimmed Collarettes will be placed on our counters and marked down to half their actual value. The styles are entirely new this season.

AT 50c EACH—All Collarettes that formerly sold for 60c.

AT 60c EACH—All Collarettes that formerly sold for 75c.

AT 65c EACH—All Collarettes that formerly sold for \$1.25.

Muslin Skirts. LADIES WHITE SKIRTS, made of good quality muslin, embroidered and tucked. Regular price, 85c and \$1. Reduced to 65c each.

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LADIES' WHITE DRESSES, with small sleeves; sizes to 3 years. Made of best quality cambric, muslin and Swiss, beautifully trimmed and of perfect workmanship. The former prices ranged from \$1.50 to \$3. Reduced to 75c each.

MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays pain, cures wind colic, regulates the bowels, and is the best remedy for diarrhea, whether arising from teething or other causes. For sale by druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

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AGENTS.

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JOHN T. STOLL.

Pozzoni's Puff Box the latest thing out. One given with each box of Powder