

IN THE MOUNTAINS.

People Who Are at the Different Health Resorts.

Letters From Summit Soda Springs, Klamath Hot Springs and Sweet Briar.

SUMMIT SODA SPRINGS, July 20.—Again this lovely resort in the mountains is filled to overflowing and all the guests are expressing their entire satisfaction. This is the month for the people of San Francisco and vicinity to visit these springs. But the month of August is the time for Sacramento residents to visit here.

The water at these springs is very good. Few of the patrons of them realize the health-giving properties that they contain. One of the lady guests here just now, who has traveled extensively in Europe, says that the medicinal properties of these waters are not half realized by people here and in California generally; that the people of Europe would consider them of great value and make every effort that thousands of people should be benefited by them.

A new cottage has been added and six new rooms furnished. Anyone coming here can be sure of perfect cleanliness in the rooms and an excellently good table, waited upon in a prompt and efficient manner by thoroughly competent waiters, for Sam Jacobs, the "genial landlord," fully realizes the things most necessary for the comforts of his guests, as the return of so many of the same people year after year clearly indicates.

This year Timothy Hopkins and family and quite a large party, among them Rev. Mr. Mackenzie and family of San Francisco, add much to the brightness of the springs.

Saturday eve was the occasion of considerable gaiety at the log cabin, a dancing party being in order, two of the young lady guests furnishing the piano music, Miss Bessie Wall and Miss Coleman, and a young gentleman, also a guest, accompanying them on the violin.

We have an excellent joke on one of our popular young gentlemen from Sacramento, whose name must be a secret. One of the young lady guests had been quite affable to the said young gentleman, speaking pleasantly on the porch and as they occupied the seats under the trees, although no formal introduction had taken place. On Saturday eve, when the cabin was a scene of much gaiety, the music and lights both having an encouraging effect on faint hearts, our handsome young Sacramentoan gracefully requested the pleasure of the friendly young lady's company in the rapturous waltz then being played. Judging from the look of chagrin on the gentleman's face and the uncomfortable manner with which he walked away, his friends were not long in surmising that she had refused to dance with him. But in a few minutes a young man in white flannel suit and a broad sash around his waist was seen to clasp the yielding form of the lady and whirl away in that most entrancing of all dances, the waltz. The young man vows that next year he will have white pants, or he will not come, and will turn them up at the bottom a foot if it is necessary. It has been suggested that the whitewash brush might be employed to turn the clothes he has with him to the much desired color.

I wish all Sacramento could get one full breath of this pure air and have a drink of these delicious waters. The following is a list of the guests now registered at the springs: Miss Grace Williams, Oakland; J. H. Horwood, E. B. Burr and wife, William M. Mann, San Francisco; Jack O. Hoffmann, F. Burrell, Oakland; H. H. Lorenson, Sacramento; Mrs. George R. Williams, Oakland; Seth Whitel and guide, Forest Hill; Miss Claribel Williams, Edith E. Williams, L. E. Ludwig, Oakland; F. Rigand, M. Frauchant, San Francisco; F. Slate, Berkeley; Miss Edith Cheesbrough, Miss Helen Cheesbrough, Mrs. Bennett, A. S. Cheesbrough, San Francisco; A. D. Bulger, James Woodburn, Sacramento; Mrs. S. Huff, San Francisco; Mrs. O. P. Downing, Edith Downing, Bonnie Downing, Elliot Downing, Oakland; Mrs. Timothy Hopkins, Miss Lydia K. Hopkins, Miss Ruth E. Williams, Timothy Hopkins and four servants, Menlo Park; Robert Mackenzie, Mrs. Robert Mackenzie, Miss Mackenzie, Bella and Alice Mackenzie, nurse, San Francisco; D. Mason and wife, Los Angeles; T. B. Ginn, Oakland; Theresa Lockert, Mrs. H. L. Dermangard, Lockport; J. B. Treadwell, Otto W. Noack and wife, Sacramento; Mr. and Mrs. De Guigne, San Mateo; John R. Glascock, Jr., Oakland; Mrs. George Jeffress, San Francisco; Miss Coleman, Miss Bessie Wall, Oakland; Mr. and Mrs. R. Fouts and child, J. F. Plageman and wife, Mill

Plageman, Oscar Plageman, Robby Plageman, San Francisco; J. C. Matthews, Oakland; F. B. Southworth, California; Mrs. J. H. Flint, Miss M. Martin, Oakland; Miss Ellen Adderley, San Francisco; G. C. Pratt and wife, Alameda; F. J. Nichols, Auburn; Mrs. E. C. Plagg and child, San Jose; H. H. Miller, Henry K. Belder and wife, Roy K. Belder, Nadine Belder, Oakland; Mrs. De Guigne, Miss J. De Guigne, Miss C. De Guigne, Miss Wellman, San Mateo; G. W. Shorten, Mrs. H. P. Miller, Master Arthur Earl Miller, Miss M. C. Peterson, San Francisco; Dr. W. E. Price, Mrs. W. E. Price, Lawrence Price, Harold Price, Oakland; Mrs. A. Wilkins, Mrs. Fay, San Francisco; Edward S. Brown, Sacramento; John R. Glascock, Mrs. Glascock, Miss Glascock, Oakland; Miss Mhoon, Mada Mhoon, Oakland; Alex. R. Baldwin, Miss Baldwin, San Francisco; A. Hornby and wife, Miss I. M. Hornby, Raymond Hornby, Frederick K. Hornby, New York City; William J. May, Auburn; P. M. Bray, Wheatland; Mrs. E. B. Willis, Clarence M. Willis, Miss Carrie York, Sacramento; Frederic E. Magee, San Francisco; Joseph P. Cooke, Oakland; Mrs. J. W. Snowball, Miss Snowball, Yolo County; F. C. Weinrich, Miss A. Murray, Miss R. Murray, Clarence A. Barnes, Sacramento; George H. Jeffress, San Francisco; Mrs. A. R. Church, A. T. Church, Miss Church, H. C. Houghton, Oakland; Miss L. Dangler, E. D. Benjamin, Frank R. Peterson, San Francisco; H. L. Wilson and wife, Oakland; Mrs. J. M. Braly, Miss Braly, Stanford University; R. H. Hawley and wife, Sacramento. MIGNON.

KLAMATH HOT SPRINGS, July 22.—This well-known health resort presents a lively appearance at the present time. Jollity reigns supreme. Sam C. Partridge of San Francisco gave a retrospective exhibition here last evening to a crowded house of about fifty, including guests and residents of this vicinity, and a most excellent exhibition it was, giving views of a trip around the world, World's Fair, views of scenery in all parts of the world, winding up with comic pictures. Ice cream was served and a good time was had by all.

A discussion has arisen here as to the proper way to fish—up or down stream. Your correspondent claims that fishing up stream is the proper way, and that trout cannot see so well, as they are always headed up stream and cannot hear noises so well when one is wading up the stream, but when a person is wading down the trout sees them plainly, and if any noise is made in the water the sound is carried down the stream to the fish. Please settle this dispute, as it may cause a duel. It was agreed to leave it to the "Record-Union" of Sacramento.

(It is a mooted question and there is no standard by which to decide it. Skilled anglers disagree entirely upon it.—Ed.) Fishing is fine, the large two and three-pound trout raising to the fly splendidly. Two guests caught 125 here in one afternoon.

Hotdies are waxing warm here, and of an evening one hears nothing but McKinley and Bryan and free silver, but the McKinleys are in the majority.

A. E. J. Nye of San Francisco and Robert Nixon of Yreka rode over to the springs on their bikes yesterday and are enjoying the grand climate of Klamath.

The weather is slightly warmer, but the guests seek the cool shady grove near the hotel, which is supplied with hammocks, and they all enjoy life. The Klamath River Lumber Company is sending logs down the chute, and as they strike the water, sending it 100 feet in the air, they make a beautiful sight.

Many improvements are contemplated for this place. Electric lights will be put in, getting power from the Klamath River near by. The swimming tank will be enlarged, and many other needed improvements will be made.

Dr. C. L. Goddard of Oakland is still here with his family, and has secured some fine views near the springs. An outing party left here last Wednesday bound for Topsy grade, the scene of so many stage robberies, but all were careful to leave all valuables at the hotel.

George Miller, the well-known jockey of San Francisco, is here, sick with rheumatism, but is improving. He is accompanied by two friends, Ed Blaser and F. W. Miner of San Francisco.

The following Sacramentoans are expected to arrive here soon: Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Coby, Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Ebner and the Misses Ebner, George H. C. Dimer, Miss Ella Dasher.

Dr. J. McGarvin of Chicago, Illinois, is here for a long stay, and attends to all who require medical treatment.

Following are the late arrivals: Alex E. J. Nye, P. Yarnet, J. L. Nickel, O. T. Sewell, Mrs. J. E. Burriss, Ben Schieff, M. Levy, W. E. Deans and wife, J. Sullivan, J. G. Spaulding, Sam C. Partridge, Charles Page, San Francisco; J. R. Olive, England; R. W. Marple, Martin, Dr. William Martin, Klamath Falls, Or.; James Kenny, Colusa, Cal.; F. L. Everett, Chicago; W. E. Hawkins, Agor, Cal.; Miss Mabel Haggard, Klamath Falls; G. A. Caswell, Snow, Or.; A. C. Barrie, St. Louis; W. N. Wilson, Agor, Cal.; H. Schuster, Marysville, Cal.; F. E. Riley, St. Paul, Minn.; F. W. Davenport, Marysville, Cal.; Rex Burrell, Pokeyama; Zeek Ballard, Lake View, Or.; R. Nixon, Yreka, Cal.; J. E. Fitzpatrick, San Francisco; Mrs. L. N. Belling and child, Portland, Or.; Miss H. More, Miss B. More, Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. E. Burke, Villo Denten, Pokeyama; B. Stillwell and wife, Yainain; J. R. Cook, J. S. Cooke, Pokeyama. J. A. M.

SWEET BRIAR (Shasta County), July 22.—Following is the list of guests here: J. E. M. Casey, Brentwood; Mrs. William Preston, William K. Preston, Alice Preston, Miss J. Patton, Edward Rue, Alameda; Mr. and Mrs. A. H. McDonald, Miss Flora McDonald, Miss Gae McDonald, Miss Myrtle McDonald, Miss Mary McDonald, Otto Sugita, George Johnson, A. E. Edwards, Mrs. A. E. Edwards, A. N. Grant, Mrs. A. N. Grant, Mrs. E. H. Merrill, Miss C. Warden, Miss Florence Warden, Miss Elizabeth Warden, Miss Emily Anderson, Miss Mary A. Anderson, Mrs. C. Schaubel, Ray Schaubel, J. Sankey, Mrs. J. Sankey, Schaubel, J. Sankey, Mrs. J. Sankey, Miss Mabel Sankey, Miss Florence Sankey, Master Al Sankey, Miss Ora Wilson, Fred Wickman, Miss E. A. Wickman, Dr. T. H. Morris, San Francisco; Miss M. Durham, Antioch; Miss M. E. Morris, Miss E. Clarice Morris, Miss Letitia Morris, William Watkinson, H. T. Atkinson, Oakland; Professor W. B. Rising, Miss Alice Rising, Miss Ruth Rising, Master Lawrence Rising, Professor A. Lange, Mrs. A. S. Lange, Mrs. W. B. Rising, Berkeley; Miss Mable Gray, Miss Bessie Gray, Master Prentice Gray, Oakland; Miss Helen Allen Cashman, Alameda; Clifton Price, Miss Blanche Terrill, Berkeley; George D. Gray, Mrs. George D. Gray, Oakland; Mrs. C. S. Wright, Miss Helen Wright, Master Harold Wright, Eddie Whalley, San Francisco; Willie Kelley, Miss Edith Dart, Mrs. E. Clark, John Den-

rim, Oakland; R. A. Truman, Leonard Coleman, Keswick; J. Klein, Nathan Moran, Professor C. B. Radley, Berkeley; Sam Wood, San Francisco; Rev. George Hatch, Berkeley; George Kellogg, Mrs. George Kellogg, F. B. Kellogg, Miss Grace Kellogg, Mrs. E. B. Church, San Francisco; Rev. W. H. Pasadena, Henry K. Belder, Mrs. Emma Chadbourn, Miss Annie Minor, R. F. Yarnley, Oakland; Wilberforce Williams, San Rafael; Professor Charles Buck, Rev. William Moreland, Mrs. William Moreland, Miss Helene Moreland, Mrs. Rosenthal, Mrs. Marshall, Miss Rosenthal, A. Assam, Al Urnuella, Ben Urnuella, Miss Isabel Lyman, Miss Edna F. Lyman, B. Phillips, Mrs. E. Phillips, Mrs. E. H. Merriess, H. F. Polard, Mrs. H. F. Polard, Benjamin T. Bromfield, P. A. Fisher, San Francisco; Joseph McClain, Mrs. McClain, Berkeley; S. Darling, Mrs. Darling, H. C. Darling, San Jose; T. L. Enright, Mrs. T. L. Enright, Irene Enright, Master Charles Enright, Sacramento; George T. Winterburn, Mrs. H. E. Deviny, Harold Deviny, Miss Florence Deviny, Stockton; A. Verrill, Mrs. A. Verrill, Miss Eva Verrill, Oakland; G. Gruttner, Mrs. O. Gruttner, Miss Elsie Gruttner, H. Gruttner, J. H. Munroe, Mrs. J. H. Munroe, Redding; C. S. Nash, Mrs. C. S. Nash, Oakland; H. Edwin Wolf, Miss Mae Wolf, Sacramento. L.

SOCIAL EVENTS.

A gay camping party left this city on Wednesday for Lake Tahoe, where they will remain a month. The party is composed of Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Fountain, Will Fountain, Mr. and Mrs. Conroy Young, Miss George Fountain, Will H. Jones, Miss Emma Lowell, Fred B. Freeman and Master George Locke of Sacramento. * * *

Yesterday Moses S. Springer and Miss Tottie C. Moyer of Ontario, Canada, were married in this city. Rev. M. D. Buck of the Sixth-street M. E. Church officiating. The happy couple departed for the afternoon for San Francisco, but will return in two weeks. The groom is telegraph operator for the Associated Press in this city. * * *

Word has been received from Rabbi Abram Simon, of the Jewish congregation of this city, who is now in Cincinnati, to the effect that on the 5th of next month he will be married there to Miss Carrie Oberdorfer, daughter of Dr. J. W. Oberdorfer of Cincinnati. Rabbi Simon and his bride will be home about September 1st. * * *

PERSONAL MENTION.

W. A. Anderson is on a visit to Placer County.

G. H. Lavenson is back from his visit to Lake Tahoe.

Editor J. E. Barnes of the "Echo" is here on a visit.

Dr. T. W. Huntington is not at Santa Cruz, but in this city.

Mrs. William Beckman has returned from a visit to Bolinas.

A. T. Murray of Palo Alto is registered at the Golden Eagle.

D. H. Quinn is home again from his trip to the southern counties.

Lawyer E. C. Hart is attending the Supreme Court at San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prince have returned from a ten days' trip to Victoria, B. C.

James McGrath and Frank Galligan have found their way back from Bartlett Springs.

Dr. Wallace Terry is to make his home in San Francisco, where he will be associated with Dr. Clarke W. Burnham.

James Touhey, the contractor, who has been operated on three times for appendicitis, is still at the Sisters' Hospital and is slowly recovering.

"Uncle" George Bromley, the well-known club man, bon-vivant and wit, suffered his first illness in eighty years Tuesday. While at Belvedere he was taken down with sickness resulting from a disarrangement of his bowels and functions. His friends are happy to learn that the jovial old man is convalescent.

Guests at Bartlett Springs. The crowd at Bartlett Springs is not quite so great now, there being only about 350 there, consequently the management are enabled to find room for all that desire to visit the springs.

Over the past three weeks the weather has been very warm. Twice the thermometer has reached 97 degrees, though the nights have been very comfortable. Recent arrivals from San Francisco are: Thomas Ashworth and wife, C. H. Hoffman, Roger Johnson, Mrs. M. Fredericks, Mrs. Dunbar, George Fredericks, C. Fredericks, W. T. Burke and wife, P. A. Burr, Ed. and Sheriff Chase, Newman, John J. Cronan, George A. Parky, J. J. McConard, George J. Strong, George Bernall, Walter S. Lewis, Charles H. Lunsman, J. H. Lunsman, George Schomer, H. Warnke, P. F. Nolan, J. Luind, A. Breuner, Mrs. J. Downey, Mrs. K. Prior and John Kavanaugh and wife.

From Sacramento—S. J. Rippon, J. H. Wiseman, James Finnegan, Levi Kackhoff, Fred C. Yock, Mrs. G. W. Jackson, A. Becker, W. S. Uron, L. Gambach and P. F. Becker and wife.

F. Miller, Los Angeles; Edgar Stone, Oakland; Peter Mory, Livermore; Herman Schultz, Arbutckle; James H. Keyes, Suisun; William Giffin and wife, Nevada City; J. D. Ennis, Chicago; Louis Clausen, wife and child, Marysville; Mrs. S. Long, Vacaville; Miss Mary Pacheco, Ignacio; W. Koster, Tangian, A. T. J. Smith, Concord, Cal.; Edward Gillman, Oroville; J. H. Sherman, Waterman; F. W. Schultz, Arbutckle; Captain James Reed, Oakland; J. McElroy, Miss McElroy, College City; J. B. Danner, Miss Danner, Carolyn Hawkins, Miss Riddle, Colusa.

Condition of Southern Mexico. (Translated for the Record-Union.) The State of Oaxaca is in the same condition of decadency as it has been for the last twenty years. This is a sad situation for a State from which so much might be expected. After we had made a searching investigation into the condition of things in the capital, we have made inquiries as to the state of business in almost all the districts. It is with a heavy heart that we see they all are marching in perfect unison with the slow, backward state that is noticed here in the capital.

Neither commerce, the industries, agriculture nor anything else, in fine, gives signs of advancement or the impulses of activity. All live, but they are stagnated. All produce, but they syrate sadly within the fatal circle of exclusive conservatism; and at the same time in the strong boxes of the rich capital accumulates that ought to make the Oaxacan soil bud with the natural fruit that other countries desire to have. And there are arms crossed with irritating indolence and disconsolate laziness that show the rebellious ignorance of thousands of natives that for our detriment exist yet, arms that ought to be calling at the doors of work, so as not to be debilitated by inertia.—La Libertad of Oaxaca, Mexico.

THE BICYCLE TOURNAMENT.

Records and Heads Were Broken the First Night.

A Good Attendance and Some Very Fast Riding—To be Resumed To-Night.

There was a large crowd present last night at the New Pavilion to witness the opening races of the bicycle tournament on the indoor track and they witnessed some fine racing, which was evidently "for blood," a number of exciting finishes being made and two world's records for inside track work being broken. The management had evidently taken pains to keep every promise made to the public and a long programme, with plenty of close races, was given.

Following is the list of those officiating: Referee—Walker B. Fawcett, O. C. W. Judges—Scott Ennis, C. C. W.; Will Ripley, Un.; F. H. Kerrigan, B. C. W.; James E. Little, O. C. W.; Lew Anderson, C. C. W.

Timers—H. D. Hadenfeldt, O. C. W.; August Yoerk, S. A. C.; Horace Ball, S. A. C. Scorers—F. T. Dwyer, C. C. W.; H. H. Cosgriff, O. C. W.; "Galey" Graham, M. C. Clerk of Course—George E. Dixon, B. C. W.

Assistant Clerks of Course—Fred Hiner, O. C. W.; George Readman, C. C. W.; Robert Smith, C. C. W. Umpires—C. C. Hopkins; George Lavenson, C. C. W.; J. T. Sheehan, C. C. W. Marshals—James Clark, P. C.; Charles Koenig, S. A. C. Starter—Stewart Upson. Assistant Starter—"Brick" Kuhn, M. C.

Announcer—Horace Crocker, C. C. W. Following are the abbreviations for the clubs: O. C. W., Olympic Club Wheelmen; Acme, Acme Athletic Club; R. A. C., Reliance Athletic Club; P. A. C., Portland Athletic Club; B. C. W., Bay City Wheelmen; I. C. C., Imperial Cycling Club; O. C., Olympic Cyclers; C. C. W., Capital City Wheelmen; G. C. C., Garden City Cyclers; S. P. R. C., San Francisco Road Club; S. A. C., Sacramento Athletic Club; Un., Unattached.

The first race was a one-mile scratch, amateur, with L. A. Payen, C. C. W., F. R. Mott, R. A. C., and G. H. Crafts, Acme, as starters in the first heat. In the sixth lap the lights began to flicker suddenly and Crafts ran into the fence on the upper turn, and got an ugly fall, cutting his head and being run over by Payen, who, luckily, did not fall. Mott won the heat in 2:50.

The second heat was won by Ed Chapman, O. C. W., in 2:30. L. A. Young, C. C. W., being the other starter.

The third heat was won by E. E. Baker, O. C. W., in 2:27 1/2, the other starters being S. Brereton, R. A. C., and H. Ten Bosch, C. C. W.

The fourth heat was won by R. E. C. Languetin, B. C. W., Walter Leitch, C. C. W., and T. J. Welsh, C. C. W., being the other starters. Time—2:21 2/5.

The final one-mile scratch, amateur, was won by Chapman in 2:26, Languetin second, and Mott third.

The first heat of the half-mile professional, the starters were Hardy Downing, G. C. C., D. E. Whitman, O. C. W., M. J. Lee, P. A. C., and R. E. Dow, O. C. It was won by Dow, in 1:04, breaking the world's record.

The starters in the final one-mile scratch, amateur, were Mott, Chapman, Bauer and Languetin. It was won by Chapman in a very close heat, in 2:26, Languetin second and Mott third.

The one-mile exhibition tandem heat by Geo. E. Dixon, B. C. W., and George M. Hamlin, S. P. R. C., was another world's record breaker, they making the half mile in 0:58 2/5 and the mile in 2:05 2/5.

W. A. Turrell, B. C. W., won the second heat in 1:14 2/5, beating J. E. Edwards, O. C., and Bert Rucker, G. C. C.

A. N. Jones, O. C. W., won the third heat in 1:04 2/5, the other starters being C. D. Davis, O. C. W., M. W. Borden, R. A. C., and C. C. Hewitt, R. A. C.

R. L. Long, B. C. W., won the fourth heat, in 1:05 3/5, the other starters being O. Osen, O. C., F. M. Byrne, I. C. C., and Peter Metcalf, I. C. C.

The final half-mile professional resulted in a total mix-up on the lower turn in the second lap. Some one collided with Dow, who took a header into the fence, narrowly escaping being badly hurt. The other three all went down within a few feet of him and it looked as if the race was over, but Jones showed his presence of mind by picking up his wheel, which was disabled, in his arms, and starting to run around the course and the others followed, as soon as they pulled themselves together.

They were provided with wheels as they went around, but Jones maintained his lead and came in ahead, Mott second and Turrell third. The time was given as 2:00 2/5.

Next came the half-mile handicap, amateur, the first heat of which was won by C. F. Bauer, forty yards, handicapped, by J. Welsh, C. C. W., and J. Goodwin, unattached, being the other starters.

Languetin won the second heat in 1:04 at twenty yards' handicap, L. A. Payen and G. J. Jackson, C. C. W., being the other starters.

J. Hirsch, C. C. W., at thirty yards' handicap, beat E. Chapman and D. W. Terson on the third heat. Time—1:03 2/5.

H. Ten Bosch, C. C. W., at thirty-five yards, beat J. L. Brereton, R. A. C., and T. Weidman, C. C. W., in the fourth heat. Time—1:05 2/5.

Walter Leitch, C. C. W., at thirty yards, took the fifth heat in 1:03 3/5, beating C. F. Lemmon, O. C. W., and L. A. Young, C. C. W.

In the first heat of the semi-final half-mile amateur handicap, Chapman, Bauer, Ten Bosch and Hirst started. Hirsch took the heat in 1:03 2/5, Chapman coming in second.

In the final half-mile amateur handicap Hirsch, Chapman, Leitch and Languetin started and Hirsch won by a burst of speed that brought him the hands of his audience and he was carried off on the shoulders of his friends.

The first mile handicap, professional, was won by C. L. Davis, O. C. W., at forty-five yards, in 2:13 1/5, over C. Osen, O. C., and R. Cushing, G. C. C.

The second heat was won by F. M. Byrne, I. C. C., in 2:15, over M. J. Lee, P. A. C., P. Metcalf and D. E. Edman.

The third heat was won by J. E. Edwards, O. C., at 25 yards, in 2:11 2/5, beating Bert Rucker, O. C. W., and A. M. Boyden, R. A. C.

The final heat was won by Byrne in 2:18 1/5, Edwards second and Davis third.

The races will be resumed this evening, and the management has decided not to allow more than three men on the track at one time. This, it is believed,

will insure the riders immunity from collisions.

To-night's programme will bring out some of the speediest riders, and fast time may be expected.

It was announced later in the evening that Crafts had not regained consciousness, and it was feared he was seriously injured.

THE GRAHAM CASE.

Attempt to Prove an Alibi for the Defendant.

The trial of Thomas Graham for malicious mischief was resumed yesterday morning in the Police Court, the charge being that he mutilated a building that the Sullivan-Kelly Company was painting.

A. M. Seymour made the opening statement for the defense, and Joe Nevis testified that he heard no vulgar language during the altercation between Foreman Baker and Graham.

F. Windrick testified that a man came to the building on the morning of the day on which the mutilation was done and asked if Sullivan & Kelly were doing the painting, and if they were painting any other buildings. He said he wanted a job. Witness had never seen him since, Graham was not the man.

Witness denied that he knew a young man named E. F. Rolf or that he borrowed a chisel from Rolf at any time, or that he lost any borrowed chisels.

City Attorney Brown produced a chisel and asked the witness if he had ever seen it before. Witness said that he had. The City Attorney asked if he would deny that he had borrowed it of Rolf, and he answered that he borrowed it of another carpenter, whose name he did not know, who was also working on the building. He was positive, however, that he returned it to Rolf, who was working with him. He used the chisel a short time and laid it on the bench with Rolf's other tools. Witness lost his own chisel on the morning of the outrage, and had never seen it since. His tool chest was in the house that night and was not locked.

A. L. Wolf said that on July 7th he went to the Stanfield residence with the attorneys for the defense and Miss Stanfield said that witness was not the man she saw. She also said, when she was shown Graham, that he was not the man in the water colors. Graham declined. They had hot words, but witness did not hear Graham use the language attributed to him. He did not hear all the conversation, as he went around to the back of the house. At noon Graham asked Baker to sign his time-card, as he had quit. Baker refused, saying that Dwyer was the one who paid the men.

Witness did not hear Graham call Baker a vile name in the cellar. He worked at one time for Sullivan & Kelly, but they were complaining that the work was getting along slowly, and he was let off.

There was some testimony offered by the defense to establish an alibi. One witness testified to having been with Graham up to 5 o'clock on the afternoon the mischief was done, and a restaurant man said Graham had supper in the place where he is employed at 6:30 o'clock.

After some further testimony of minor importance the case went over until to-day.

SUPREME COURT DECISIONS.

SYLLABI. (S. F., No. 100—Department Two—Filed July 20, 1896.)

J. Milton Painter, appellant; Theodore P. Painter, R. B. Dallam and Caroline A. Painter, executors and executrix of the will of Jerome B. Painter, deceased, et al., respondents. Accounting. Affirmed.

The appeal was not taken within sixty days after the rendition of the judgment, i. e., from the time when findings were filed, and judgment ordered for defendants. Therefore, the evidence cannot be considered an appeal.

A son of the testator having been born after the execution of the will, and not having been provided for or mentioned therein, succeeds to the same portion of his father's estate that he would have succeeded to if the testator had died intestate.

(S. F., No. 148—Department Two—Filed July 20, 1896.)

Joseph von Arx, respondent; San Francisco Guelti Verein, appellant. Mandamus proceedings for restoration to membership. Affirmed.

The proceedings which resulted in the expulsion of the plaintiff were not in accordance with any procedure established by the constitution or by-laws of the society. Therefore, the trial court was justified in finding that they were "lacking in the essential elements of fairness, good faith and candor which characterize the action of men in passing upon the rights of their fellow-men."

Interesting Observation.

GENEVA (N. Y.), July 22.—Professor William A. Brooks, director of Smith Observatory, while observing the moon last night with the large telescope, made a most interesting and unique observation. A dark round object was seen to pass rather slowly across the moon in a horizontal direction. Professor Brooks believes that it was the passage of a dark meteor between the earth and

moon far beyond the earth's atmosphere. The observation is now in astronomical records.

Saturday Auction.

Bell & Co. will offer a large lot of household goods at auction at 927 K street on Saturday at 10 a. m., including carpets, mirrors, paintings, etc. They will also sell horses, harness and wagons.

Notaries Public.

Governor Budd has appointed the following Notaries Public: E. C. Curtis, Fresno; R. J. Billon, St. Johns; C. M. Wells, Los Angeles; Henry Gimbal, Jr., San Arreto; Ben H. Yardell, Bishop.

West Virginia Republicans.

FAIRBENBURG, July 22.—The Republican State Convention to-day named Hon. G. W. Atkinson for Governor by acclamation. Senator Elkins, who was Temporary Chairman, made the principal speech of the day.

Economy.

"Ah, a chaffing dish," remarked the late arrival. "Well, well!" "Yes," answered Satan, affably. "Now and then we get one of those fellows who is more sinned against than sinning, and it doesn't pay to build a fire in the range, don't you know?"—Detroit Tribune.

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