

TRAINS MEET ON A SIDING.

Coaches Overtaken, But No One Seriously Injured.

The Accident Occurred at Nord Station Early Yesterday Morning.

Two trains collided yesterday morning early at Nord Station, Tehama County, one bound north and the other south.

A boxcar standing on the track had to be moved out, and a small house standing between the main line and the sidetrack interfered with the view of the engineer.

The road was blocked about eight hours, but all the passengers were brought here and sent south by the local leaving here at 3 o'clock.

The following dispatch from Chico gives the particulars of the accident:

"At 4 o'clock, as Oregon trains 17 and 16 were passing at Nord, a small station six miles north of this city, a collision occurred which derailed three passenger cars and badly damaged the engine.

"Many others are being told as to how the accident occurred, but the following is the account furnished to the Associated Press representative by an eye-witness:

"The south-bound train, No. 16, reached Nord just before the north-bound train, and was running onto the side track when the latter train rushed past the depot, and before any signal could be given dashed into the south-bound coaches, derailing the smoker, first-class day coach and sleeper.

"In the overturned car were many passengers, among them seven deserters from Alcatraz, who were in charge of officers, and when the car went over the wildest confusion reigned for a time.

"A wrecking train was immediately telegraphed for and arrived at the scene of the accident about 8 o'clock.

"The south-bound passengers were taken aboard the local at 11 o'clock and conveyed to Sacramento. One man, who suffered from a broken arm, was brought to this city, where medical aid was procured for him.

"Another dispatch from Chico states that as the south-bound train pulled up on the sidetrack to await for the north-bound train to pass, it was found that as a box car had been left standing it was necessary for the express to slacken speed and push the box car ahead.

"Just then the north-bound train was seen approaching down the smooth track with no intention of stopping.

"It was impossible for the engineer on the north-bound to see the headlight of the south-bound, as it was behind the box car. Before all the cars of the south-bound could get upon the sidetrack the other train struck them.

"The engine struck the smoker first, diagonally plowing its way along to the next car, which was the tourist car, turning it completely over, but leaving the trucks on the track.

"In this car the passengers were thrown from their seats to the lower side of the car, which was lying in a deep pool of water by the track. The passengers at first thought they had been thrown from a trestle into some river.

"In this car were seven deserters from the regular army, handcuffed together and guarded by six soldiers. The passengers in this car were soon rescued from their perilous position, and it was found that only one was injured, one of the deserters having an arm broken.

"The next car, being a tourist sleeper, was the last one struck before the engine was stopped. It was not turned completely over.

"Hotel Arrivals. Arrivals at the Golden Eagle Hotel yesterday: Z. Oppenheim, W. Batenberg, Philadelphia; A. F. Maginnis, John G. Reiger, T. E. Newlin, Los Angeles; Otto von Detten, Stockton; C. C. Andrews and wife, Kansas City; Ed. Tottling, Mrs. C. Miderehoff, Butte, Mont.; O. W. Burglinger, L. Henry, San Jose; A. H. Bryant, St. Louis; C. H. Woods, A. H. Murphy, H. Newell, Dick Bush and wife, E. V. Cowell, J. T. O'Brien, San Francisco.

EVANGELIST GARDNER.

Last Night's Discourse, and the Subject for To-Night.

Evangelist Gardner returned from San Francisco last evening to resume meetings at the Christian Church. In the meantime the pastor, J. E. Denton, delivered a prelude on the subject for the evening: "Is a Man Responsible for His Faith?"

The question was answered in the affirmative by both speakers.

At the close of the services the ordinance of baptism was administered.

The subject for to-night is, "The Conversion of a Soldier, or Will Morality Save a Man?"

PERSONAL MENTION.

Otto von Detten of Stockton is visiting the city.

Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Wait have returned from a visit to San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bush of San Francisco are at the Golden Eagle.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Andrews of Kansas City are stopping at the Golden Eagle.

Weather Report.

The Weather Bureau report shows the highest and lowest temperatures yesterday to have been 53 and 46 degrees, with fresh southerly winds and showery weather prevailing during the forenoon, the afternoon being fair and pleasant.

The highest and lowest temperatures one year ago yesterday were 59 and 41 degrees, and one year ago to-day 60 and 43 degrees.

The rainfall yesterday was .25 of an inch, making 13.22 inches for the season, as against 14.39 inches to an equal date last year.

The river was stationary all day yesterday at 23 feet 7 inches.

Lost His Pay-Dirt.

The Folsom "Telegraph" says: "J. P. Cox had the misfortune of losing most of the dump from what was to be the last clean-up from his mine during the storm of the early part of the week.

The dirt had been placed on the dumping ground at the foot of Riley street preparatory to washing the same, and the heavy storm of Sunday and Monday swept most of it away before that could be accomplished."

Gospel Mission Services.

In the article published yesterday regarding the work of the Gospel Mission the number of night services during the year was given at 163, whereas it should have been 363.

The afternoon services were 52 in number, instead of 365, and the number of Sunday afternoon meetings held since the mission was organized was 156, instead of 1,005.

Entertainment at Woodland.

Next Saturday the Sacramento Athletic Club Quartet will give a concert and boxing exhibition in Woodland.

The bouts will be between the Johnson brothers, Payen and Donahue and McCraw and Birdsall.

Mormon Island Bridge.

The material for the joint bridge of Sacramento and El Dorado Counties, that is to span the American River at Mormon Island, has arrived there, and the work on the structure begun.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

Pebbles.

Lenses for the eye are made of rock crystal (commonly called pebbles) or crown glass. Lenses made from rock crystal are harder and therefore less liable to scratch.

Pebbles unless cut accurately are apt to refract unequally. They also absorb more heat. So that lenses made from good crown glass are equal to the best pebbles, are cheaper and universally used. I shall be pleased to give more information on this subject at my offices, Masonic Temple, Sixth and K. Optician F. De Wolfe Hennah."

Sleep, Sound and Refreshing.

Comes to those who take Anheuser-Busch's Malt-Nutrine—the food drink. To be had at all druggists.

Special sale of a mixed lot of children's shoes, sizes 4 to 8; 29 and 25c kind for 5c pair; children's 25c black wood bicycle hose, 12 1/2 pair; ladies' fast black hose, 4 pairs for 25c. The Red House.

Before wiring your house get my prices, also inspect my electric fixtures. Tom, Scott, plumber, 303 J.

Edison incandescent lamps are for sale at \$15 J only. Sacramento Electrical Engineering Co. Fully guaranteed."

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Women's wool jackets, small sleeves, 25c; silk plush jackets, \$1; lot of long ulsters (wool) for 50c, 75c and \$1 (can be made over), at Red House.

The only genuine domestic bread at the Pacific Grove Bakery, 823 J.

Dr. Weldon, 806 J Street, extracts teeth without pain; local anaesthetic.

ECLIPSE WON FIRST MONEY.

Conclusion of the Unfinished Coursing Match.

There Were Not Enough Hares For the Second Stake—it Goes Next Sunday.

Owing to the lack of hares there was but one stake concluded at yesterday's coursing in Agricultural Park, and that was the one that was left unfinished on the Sunday preceding.

There was to have been another stake run yesterday, but the hares could not be found, though fifty or more were received on Saturday.

Those that were killed on Friday were not poisoned, it seems, but were killed in the corral with clubs. The parties who did the work were aided by dogs, as some of the rabbits were found with their heads beaten by clubs, while others had been torn by dogs.

There is trouble in store for someone. Ed Canavan was the judge yesterday, W. M. O'Neill the slipper, and T. Kennedy slip steward. Reguin & Barrett's San Francisco dog Eclipse won first money, \$30; Spain & McDonald's Defender second, \$15, and T. Kennedy's Schoolgirl third, \$10.

Following is the full score of the stake: Schultz & Rought's Arrah-Go-On beat W. Seltz's Slower and Slower. Egan & Hanlon's Well and Strong beat C. M. Griffin's Susie. Nethercott Bros.' Moonlight beat Tyr Bros.' Golden Rule.

T. Kennedy's Little Schoolgirl beat J. F. Heenan's Harry S. Ed. Walsh's Jasper beat Tyr Bros. Flora T.

P. Kennedy's Schoolgirl beat Spain & McDonald's Bureka Girl. J. Stout's Lord Lansdale beat Sheehan & O'Brien's Grady.

I. Williams' Airship beat Sheehan Bros.' Banjo. Spain & McDonald's Defender beat H. Blue's Uncle Ike.

Egan & Hanlon's Reception beat Devine & Lipman's Patience. L. McMahon's Lily of the West beat W. McCurdy's Belvidere.

C. Gallager's Duke Orlando beat Nethercott Bros.' Red Cloud. T. Patrick's Yellow Jacket beat Spain & McDonald's Lily V.

Reguin & Barrett's Eclipse beat I. Williams' Alkali Boy. Schulz & Rought's Butcher Boy beat Stephenson & Tyler's Old Jack.

T. Patrick's Combination beat W. Seltz's White Flyer. Devine & Rogers' Straight Tip beat Turf King's Inside.

J. R. Dickson's Hercules beat Heinrich & Vogel's Angelina. Second series—Arrah-Go-On beat Well and Strong, Schoolgirl beat Moonlight, Little Delight beat Jasper, Airship beat Lord Lansdale, Defender beat Reception, Lily of the West beat Duke Orlando, Eclipse beat Yellow Jacket, Butcher Boy beat Combination, and Straight Tip beat Hercules.

Third series—Schoolgirl beat Arrah-Go-On, Airship beat Little Delight, Defender beat Lily of the West, Eclipse beat Butcher Boy, Straight Tip a bye. Fourth series—Schoolgirl beat Airship, Defender beat Straight Tip, Eclipse a bye.

Fifth series—Eclipse beat Schoolgirl, Defender a bye. Final series—Eclipse beat Defender.

EDWARD HANLON, One of the Most Remarkable Athletes of the Present Century.

Edward Hanlon, the world famous Canadian oarsman, who will soon go to England in search of the scalps of the English oarsmen who are willing to row him, is one of the most remarkable athletes of the century.

He has been a professional oarsman for 24 years, and during a good part of the time has held world's championships. He is 42 years of age, and during his racing career has won close to \$320,000 in prizes. He has raced in every civilized country on the globe.



Hanlon is in good financial circumstances and has a family of five children. The youngest of these is a boy of 7, who already shows a marked fondness for the water.

"SECRET SINS OF MEN."

A Lecture That Filled the Metropolitan Theater Yesterday.

Rev. John M. Dick, the evangelist of Boston, gave a lecture yesterday on the "Secret Sins of Men," the title of which drew an audience that completely filled the Metropolitan Theater.

Mr. Dick spoke of evil practices that have become common among boys, and urged his hearers to train their children to observe correct habits and to instruct them as to the evil consequences of any deviation from the straight line of life.

The three principal sins mentioned were drunkenness, gambling and licentiousness.

In the evening Rev. Mr. Dick spoke in the Congregational Church to a large congregation. The Presbyterian, Methodist Episcopal Church South, First Baptist and the Congregational Churches united with the Y. M. C. A. in the service.

SHUT DOWN.

The City Pumps Had to Close Down Yesterday.

There was a difficulty again in the Water Works last night, and the water was shut off for nearly two hours.

During that time an alarm of fire was turned in from the Corporation House, but the fire turned out to be of little moment. It was in a building in the alley between Fifth and Sixth, K and L streets, but the firemen soon put it out.

At that time the mains were full and there was forty-five pounds' pressure from the tanks, but the call for

the fire was apparently urgent and the machinists at work became flurried, and in trying to fix the boiler quickly lost considerable time.

The pumps are said to be in good shape for work now, and the new Allen pump will probably start up on Thursday.

The spigap from the river that nearly stopped the pumps on Friday night and Saturday left some slickens in the valves of the Holly pump, and that, with the necessary fixing of one of the main boiler pipes, caused the shut-down last night.

The "Blind-Reader" in Trouble.

Leon Daniels, who has been traveling about the city for some weeks, and who claims to be a blind-reader, will appear before Judge Davis this morning. He is accused of stealing from the Central Hotel an overcoat belonging to the proprietor.

A Stabbing Affray.

J. Malone arrived at the Receiving Hospital yesterday morning with a wound on his head, inflicted by a knife, and was attended by Sergeant Plunkett. His assailants, two in number, have not yet been found.

Fond of Pictures.

Joseph P. Anderson was arrested yesterday for stealing a large framed picture from an establishment on J street and trying to sell it in Chinatown. He will appear before Judge Davis this morning.

Critic Club Dinner.

The Critic Club has resolved to hold its annual dinner on the evening of Washington's Birthday. A committee of wives of the members has charge of the matter. There will be some twenty to twenty-five persons at table.

"Some Young Fellows."

An American who had lived in Mexico for twenty years came back to this country a few months ago and visited the places and people that were once familiar to him. His opinion of his native land, as reported by the Mexican correspondent of the Boston "Herald," is by no means flattering.

There are "nice people" here yet, but he thinks that the prevailing tendencies in American life favor extravagance, pretension, hurry and worry; and along with the overdriven man we have the lazy man also.

"Just to test this labor question," the visitor told the correspondent, "I went to plantations in Virginia and to farms in Ohio, dressed in my old duds, and asked for work. There was plenty of it, planters and farmers were willing to give me \$10 a month and good board and a clean bed all the year round. I reckoned it up that I could save \$100 a year at that rate and get fat, too. I have worked hard in my time in rough employments, and have no fear of sweating."

"Well, then, I met some young fellows in Washington, loafing about the bar-rooms and in front of the hotels, talking about hard times.

"Boys," I said, "there is no need of loafing and grumbling. I'll tell you where you can get work; go over to Alexandria, and there's Mr. So-and-So wants a man; another wants three, and still another two. Wages \$10 a month, good board and meat, and peaches and cream in the season."

"You can read Sundays and learn something, and come out with money in your pocket at the end of the year. Why loaf on your friends and talk politics? Better work."

"My reception by these young men was not enthusiastic. Some said they had never worked at hard manual labor, others hated farming. It was so dull in the country. All sorts of excuses were given, but not one prompted by good sense and a willingness to do honest, hard work."

"Now, that's a fine lot of young men for you! You call them, I suppose, the 'Hope of America' and all that!"

The fact is, our cities are crowded with men, so that there is a surplus in every department of labor. The country has been emptied of the brain and muscle that should be given to agriculture. On a farm a man can at least raise food enough to avoid starvation; and if he is not able to purchase land and cannot find occupation in our cities, there are farmers in nearly all parts of the country who will be glad to employ him.—Youth's Companion.

An Anecdote of the Queen.

The Queen, when a girl, was passionately fond of climbing walls and trees. One day at Malvern, she climbed a tall apple tree and was unable to get down.

A young man named Davis, a gardener, was attracted by her cries, got a ladder and brought her safely down. Deeply grateful she opened her purse and presented him with a guinea. Davis framed it, and ever since has been proud to tell the tale and show the piece of gold which the Queen gave him so many years ago.

Would Do.

An Englishman and an Irishman were one day holding an argument respecting the nationality of various great men who had lived and died. The Irishman had successively claimed each one mentioned as a countryman of his own, till at length the Englishman, somewhat nettled, inquired: "How about Shakespeare—was he an Irishman?"

To which he received the reply: "Well, I can't say that he was altogether, but at all events he had the abilities of one."—Household Words.

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AMUSEMENTS

CLUNY OPERA HOUSE. J. H. Todd, Lessee and Manager. Week commencing Monday, February 8th, and Saturday Matinee. The Famous Illusion Dancer, MISS DE FULLER, (Sister of La Loie Fuller), And her High Class DRAMATIC AND VAU-DEVILLE COMPANY. Management Mr. Carl Smith. Prices ONLY 10c, 20c, 30c.

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NEW TO-DAY.

NOTICE TO ALL MERCHANTS.

A MEETING OF MERCHANTS WILL BE held at the Chamber of Commerce, 214 J street, on Tuesday, February 9th, at 7:30 p. m., to consider the subject of city and all bills. J. O. COLEMAN, Secretary.

SEALED PROPOSALS.

BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE office of the undersigned until 5 o'clock p. m. on TUESDAY, February 9, 1897, for running the new pumping plant at foot of S street for the period of one year from date of contract. Specifications will be on file at office of City Clerk on and after date of February 9, 1897. A certified check for 10 per cent of amount of bid must accompany each bid. The Board of Trustees reserves the right to reject any and all bids. M. J. DESMOND, City Clerk.

NOTICE OF STREET WORK.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Trustees of the City of Sacramento, on the 1st day of February, 1897, adopted Resolution No. 338, of its order, to order the following street work to be done, viz:

That the alley between L and M streets be paved from the east line of L to the west line of Fifth street, be improved by grading and macadamizing, constructing redwood curbing and a brick catch basin to be connected to the sewer therein.

For further particulars reference is hereby made to said resolution on file in the office of the City Clerk. Sacramento, February 5, 1897. E. J. CROLY, Superintendent of Streets.

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That Eighteenth street, in said city, from the south line of the alley between B and C streets, to the north line of E street; from the south line of E street to north line of G street; from the south line of G street to the north line of H street; from the north line of H street to the north line of I street; from the north line of I street to the north line of J street; from the south line of J street to the north line of K street; from the south line of K street to the north line of L street; from the north line of M street to the north line of N street; from the south line of N street to the north line of O street; from the south line of O street to the north line of P street; from the south line of P street to the north line of Q street and from the south line of Q street to the north line of R street, be improved by grading and macadamizing, constructing redwood curbing with round corners and filling in behind the same with earth for a width of eight (8) feet, constructing rock gutters three (3) feet wide, laying granite crosswalks at the street intersections and at the street intersections of C, D, and F streets and laying iron culverts at the street intersections of C, D, and F streets.

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AUCTIONS

AUCTION SALE—PERSONAL PROPERTY of the estate of Calob Tyler, deceased, TUESDAY, February 9, 1897, at 10 a. m., on the premises, situated four miles south of the city of Sacramento, on the middle road between the Lower Stockton and Freeport roads, on the Tyler ranch. I will sell by order of Harry Coster, administrator of the estate of Calob Tyler; Cows, Horses, Buggies, Wagons, Farm Implements, Harness, Chickens, 7 rooms Furniture, Terms cash. Sale positive. R. E. GREER & CO., auctioneers, office and salesroom, 1001-1006 J street, Sacramento, California.

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BELL & CO. ARE INSTRUCTED BY Messrs. B. U. Steinhilber and Eugene J. Gregory, executors and trustees under the will of Alice M. Chesley, deceased, to sell at public auction, for cash, and subject to confirmation by the Superior Court of Sacramento County, the north 115 feet of lot 3, 14 and 18, and Eighth and Ninth streets, Sacramento, California.

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Thereon, occupied by Mrs. G. W. Chesley in her lifetime. The lot has a frontage on H street of 80 feet, and on Eighth street of 115 feet. The house is in first-class repair, and contains three reception and four bedrooms. Sale will take place on the premises on TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1897, AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M.

House open for inspection from 2 to 4 p. m. each day until sale. For further particulars apply to the auctioneer, BELL & CO., 415 J street, Sacramento, or to R. PLATNAUER, attorney-at-law, No. 420 J street, Sacramento, Cal. jan21-207

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