

MERRILL LOST HIS HEAD.

MAY LOSE IT AGAIN WHEN THE COMMISSIONERS MEET.

The Tattoo That He Beat on Young Carl Rackliffe's Head on Thursday Night.

M. H. Merrill is a special policeman of the Capitol grounds, but the indications are that his official life in that capacity is about finished.

It appears that on Wednesday evening a number of young hoodlums invaded the Capitol grounds, and when ordered to move on by Special Policeman Merrill, hooted at him, and in other ways showed their contempt, but carefully kept out of the way of his ready cane.

But their actions seemed to rankle in the officer's breast and on Thursday night he set to work to play even.

It so happened that Master Carl Rackliffe, the 15-year-old son of State Treasurer Levi Rackliffe, in company with a companion had ridden their wheels into the country, and on their return pedaled into the Eleventh-street entrance on L street, with the intention of resting on the north steps of the Capitol building.

Young Rackliffe dismounted from his wheel and was in the act of taking a seat on the steps when Special Policeman Merrill appeared on the scene. He evidently recollected the event of the night before and ordered the boy out of the grounds.

"I've got a right here," said the son of the State Treasurer, but he had no time to say more, for the special policeman fished up a revolver and with that weapon in one hand and his heavy cane in the other began a tattoo on the boy's head and back, which only ended when the latter had reached L street.

The beating was simply terrible, and when it was over great knots stood out on the boy's head where the cane and revolver had landed, and black and blue bruises covered his back, shoulders and arms.

State Treasurer Rackliffe also happens to be one of the three Capitol Commissioners, the other members being Secretary of State Brown and Governor Budd, and it also happens that the Capitol Commissioners have the appointing of special Capitol policemen.

State Treasurer Rackliffe was seen by a "Record-Union" reporter yesterday, and said the story of the assault upon his son as given heretofore, was true in every particular.

"It was simply an outrage," said the State Treasurer, "and whether it was my son or somebody else's, makes no difference. Merrill, the same as other Capitol policemen, has orders to arrest anybody who breaks the rules laid down by the Capitol Commissioners, but he has no authority to abuse or beat them."

Mr. Rackliffe further said that he did not care to suspend Merrill before a regular meeting of the board could be held, but when such meeting should be held, he would certainly take steps for his removal. Merrill, he said, was probably a good man, but lost his head too easily to ever become a success as a policeman.

The same evening several young men came to the office of the Chief of Police, complaining that, as they were riding on the driveway in front of the Capitol, Merrill ordered them out of the park, without giving any reason, and when they declined to go beat one of them named Merrill, and he drew with his cane, drawing his pistol with his other hand.

Last evening a similar event occurred, the victims this time being a couple of members of the Wheelmen's Club named Frank Petterson and R. Armstrong.

The young men stated that they had been at the club and were going home. Petterson had no wheel and Armstrong was walking beside him, trundling his wheel. Suddenly Merrill appeared before them on the driveway between L street and the Capitol, and ordered them out of the park. They explained that they were on their way home, and asked why he ordered them out, when he told them they could go no further, and tried to kick the spokes out of Armstrong's wheel. He then drew his pistol in one hand and ordered the occasion of the row, when Merrill ordered him off the driveway and refused to receive his card. The young men, thinking discretion the better part of valor, retreated to the clubroom, where they told their story.

They say that they did not at any time use any disrespectful or discourteous language to him, and that they intend to-day to swear out warrants for battery and for assault with a deadly weapon against him.

THE CHINESE FAIR.

Officers Expect Some Trouble Between the Tongs at That Time.

For the past three weeks quiet has reigned in Chinatown, and there has been no strife between the Suiy On Tongs and the Fong Duck Tongs, even though it is known that the trouble arising from the recent murder of Hom Gow Nuey, who was a member of the

latter organization of thugs, has never been salved over with coin.

There is not a Fong Duck Tong man in the city, so the Mongols claim, and the headquarters of the gang is locked and the police have the key. The Fong Ducks are engaged in the hop fields, and are probably thus raising funds with which to carry on the expensive litigation arising from the murder. But the annual Chinese fair is only about ten days off, and then the police expect trouble. During the progress of the fair, or harvest festival, the Mongols are inclined to hilarity, and the officers think that at the right time a deputation of Fong Duck Tong men will appear, wipe out the killing of Hom Gow Nuey by tumbling over some Suiy On man or men, and the next morning be back in the hop fields working industriously, and evidently believing with Tony Weller that there is nothing to equal an "alley-oop." The vigilance of the officers on guard will be increased during the progress of the fair.

McKENZIE DISCHARGED.

Claimed That His Witnesses Were Not Subpenaed.

In the Police Court yesterday morning George McKenzie was arraigned to show cause why he should not be held in contempt of court for giving information leading to the arrest and trial of George McAdams for battery, which had not been borne out by evidence.

Attorney Owen G. Hopkins appeared for McKenzie, and stated to the court that two witnesses for the prosecution, whose names had been furnished to City Attorney Brown, had not been subpoenaed in the case against McAdams, and that they would have corroborated the testimony of McKenzie in every particular.

Attorney Hopkins further stated that he had interviewed the two witnesses the night before, and that they were still ready and willing to corroborate the testimony given by McKenzie. He requested that a continuance be granted until this morning, and promised that at that time to produce the two witnesses whom the City Attorney had neglected to summon, and stated that they would bear out the statement made by McKenzie in every particular.

Justice Davis said that while McKenzie's statement had been contradicted throughout, he was inclined to believe that there had been perjury rather than contempt. He felt satisfied, however, that McKenzie had been sufficiently punished, and ordered that he be discharged.

YAGER PLEADS GUILTY.

But He Says the Spring Door Was What Bruised His Wife's Arm.

In the Police Court yesterday morning Frank Yager entered a plea of guilty to a charge of battering his wife and was fined \$20.

According to the statement made by the City Attorney, Mrs. Yager had visited the fire station at which Yager was employed for the purpose of seeing her husband, who had stepped out when the latter returned he ordered the woman to go home, and when she refused to obey took her by the arms and led her out. Her arms were badly bruised.

Yager stated that he had led his wife out of the building, but that while she was passing out of the doors the spring was jarred loose and she was caught in the jamb, which accounted for the bruises on her arms. As he had pleaded guilty, he was fined as stated.

Articles of Incorporation.

Articles of incorporation were yesterday filed in the office of the Secretary of State as follows: San Diego Yukon Mining and Transportation Company. Principal place of business, San Diego. Directors—H. S. Saner, E. R. Pierce, W. F. Norman, G. E. Hunt, S. C. Blanchard, D. O. McCarthy, Jay E. Fuller, B. H. Buck, F. F. McCracken, all of San Diego. Capital stock, \$100,000. Subscribed stock, \$13,500.

Oceanside Colonization and Development Company. Principal place of business, Oceanside. Directors—J. L. Sharp, E. S. Payne, W. V. Nichols, Neils Spencer, Oceanside, and Burt Russell, Escondido. Capital stock, \$300,000. Subscribed stock, \$500.

Electric Water Company. Principal place of business, Bakersfield, Kern County. Trustees—W. S. Tevis, Frank S. Rice, Walter James, H. A. Jastro, C. N. Beal, W. L. Dixon, Frank G. Munger, all of Bakersfield. Capital stock, \$300,000. Subscribed stock, \$700.

H. R. Bemis Company. Formed to carry on a wholesale and retail liquor business. Principal place of business, Redding. Directors—H. R. Bemis, W. A. Schroter, R. O. Ormer, O. E. Nash, Walter B. Rutledge, all of Redding. Capital stock, \$10,000, all subscribed.

Schmidt Construction Company. Formed to conduct the business of wharf, bridge and railroad building. Principal place of business, San Francisco. Directors—W. J. Schmidt, Edward Schmidt, Anson S. Blake, Berkeley, Marston Campbell, F. W. Bilger, Oakland. Capital stock, \$50,000. Subscribed stock, \$500.

There is Where the Crowd Goes To the great assignee's sale; \$10,000 worth of dry goods, fancy goods and millinery; bought of S. B. Smith, assignee for the creditors, and confirmed by Judge Hughes (of the Superior Court) at less than 20c on the \$1. This transaction needs no proof outside of the public record. Mr. J. W. Lindner became the purchaser and is now busy with twenty-five salespeople distributing it all over the country. There is seldom a fire but it is someone's gain. In this case one loses and thousands are benefited. Come to-day and swell the crowd and help change the old to new.

Secure a sound mind, which seldom goes without a sound digestion, by using Dr. Siegert's Angostura Bitters. Try McMorris's Blend Coffee, 35.

TO-MORROW'S BICYCLE MEET.

A New and Strong Attraction—The Hour of Commencement.

J. E. Wing, crack amateur, has written to the Race Committee having charge of to-morrow's bicycle meet, asking permission to go between two of the races in an effort to beat the half-mile record, paced. He will be paced by a tandem and a triplet. The committee has replied giving consent, so the event will be an additional attraction.

Wing is one of the fastest amateur riders of the slope. His work has always been high class and genuine and he stands among wheelmen as one of the squares and best riders of the time.

Vaughn, the last man to enter in the professional races, is a speedy gait. He comes all the way from San Diego to prove what he can do. It is his record that in the recent long northwest circuit he won more prizes than did Ziegler.

The full Committee of Arrangements held its final meeting last night and closed up the smallest detail of preparation, Chairman Lavenson giving final and explicit instructions to the heads of all sub-committees so that there is assurance. The reports of the ticket committees were very flattering and that seats are selling well. The box office at Seventh and J and Fifth and K will be open to-day and this evening and that at the latter place will be open until 12 noon to-morrow.

The committee will meet such of the San Francisco contingent as come up to-night. Among them will be the Race Committee of the California Associated Cycling Clubs and it will hold a session at the Golden Eagle Hotel at 9 o'clock.

It has been definitely settled that the races will begin to-morrow at 2 p. m. sharp. There are so many events, and so many sections in each event, that from the tap of the bell at 2 o'clock it will be a constant rush of races until the close at 4:30 o'clock.

SUPERIOR COURT.

(Department One, Hughes Judge.) Friday, Sept. 24th. Estate of James Canavan, deceased—Petition to set aside whole estate to widow granted.

Estate of James Canavan, deceased—Letters of administration granted to Robert Forbes; bond, \$2,700. E. J. Dwyer appointed attorney for absent heirs.

Estate of William Wolze, deceased—Letters of administration granted to W. J. Curtis, J. P. Culverston, D. W. Carmichael and George Brand appointed.

Estate of William L. Short, deceased—Letters of administration granted to James M. Short; bond, \$300. Ralph H. Miles, James B. Furnish and James L. Ruf appraisers. Guardianship of John Welch, an incompetent—Claim of Dr. McGeigan; \$29 allowed.

G. P. Curtis vs. his creditors—Account of assignee allowed and settled; attorney's fee, \$150. Luther Harris vs. his creditors—Petition for payment of dividends granted.

D. F. Weaver vs. his creditors—M. Dine allowed \$25 as preferred claim. Capital Telegraph and Telephone Company vs. Sunset Telegraph and Telephone Company—Motion of respondent to strike out answer of petitioner to special defense granted.

Della Eberhardt vs. M. J. Coyne—Time to file points extended till September 27th. Henry Couvill vs. John Rooney et al.—Sale by receiver confirmed. All other cases continued.

(Department Two, Johnson Judge.) N. C. Stachon vs. his creditors—F. T. Johnson appointed assignee. Walter B. Lawson vs. his creditors—Settlement of account of assignee allowed.

Michael Quiggle et al. vs. Robert E. Kent, et al.—Set for trial October 31. George C. Locke vs. al. vs. Howard D. Kercheval et al.—Demurrer of defendant Peter F. West overruled; ten days to answer.

B. Ford vs. Eva E. Phillips, et al.—Demurrer overruled; six months to answer. Joseph Beebe vs. J. F. Calderwood—Set for trial September 27th.

Estate of Adelle A. Carter, deceased—Petition for order directing Administrator not to sell property of estate submitted on briefs.

Frederick J. Stauffer, deceased—Adolph Helmer appointed administrator; bond, \$1,800. Appraisers, Henry Quass, Louis Bell.

Estate of Fidelia Dunning, deceased—Decree of final discharge of administrator.

Estate of Henry Wittenbrock, deceased—Will admitted to probate; Eliza Wittenbrock appointed executrix; withdrawal of bonds. Appraisers, R. Wittenbrock, S. B. Slight and Robert H. Hawley.

Estate of Anna B. Schirmer, deceased—Decree of due notice to creditors. Estate of John Richards, deceased—Decree of due notice to creditors. Estate of Harriet M. Figg, deceased—Decree of due notice to creditors. Estate of Lawrence C. Bennett, deceased—Decree of due notice to creditors.

Estate of Michael Haley, deceased—Decree of due notice to creditors. Estate of John Hallanan, deceased—Decree of due notice to creditors. Estate of Joseph Petraslka, deceased—Order of final discharge of administrator. All other cases continued.

AMUSEMENTS.

At the Clunie this afternoon at 2, and this evening at 8, Mr. Bacon's company will repeat the rural idyllic drama, "The Estate of Hannibal Howe." This is the last week of the Bacon Company. It is a well-balanced, all-around capable troupe, and presents its plays with nicety of mounting and artistic excellence.

The box office of the Metropolitan Theater opens this morning for sale of seats for the Ellefrouz troupe's engagement of one week. The first play will be given to-morrow night, and will be the sensational labor drama "The Lost Paradise," which has played here something over a year ago by the Frawley Company.

The box office of the Clunie is now open for sale of seats for Madame Mountford's dramatic Oriental lectures. The first will be given Monday evening.

Weather Reports. The Weather Bureau reports show the highest and lowest temperatures yesterday to have been 93 and 63 degrees, with gentle to fresh southerly winds and clear or hazy weather prevailing.

There were a few clouds hanging over the Sierra Nevada range of mountains yesterday afternoon and evening, in fact for several days past a heavy bank of clouds had been seen in the northern and northeastern portions of the horizon. The highest and lowest temperatures

one year ago yesterday were 79 and 50 degrees, and one year ago to-day 86 and 57 degrees.

The average temperature was 78 and the normal 68 degrees, showing yesterday to have been 10 degrees warmer than usual for the 24th of September. The wet thermometer at 5 p. m. was 71, being 20 degrees cooler than the dry thermometer at the same hour. The percentage of moisture in the air at 5 p. m. was 37 per cent, as against 30 per cent, at the same hour on Thursday.

HAS SKIPPED OUT.

Jennings Will Probably Forfeit His Bail.

About three weeks ago William Jennings, who several years ago was a member of the fire department in this city, but who subsequently went to San Francisco where he was employed, for a while in the police force, was arrested for maliciously scratching a number of plate glass windows on the south side of K street with a diamond ring.

Three several charges were filed against Jennings in each case and demanded jury trials. He deposited \$300 for his appearance in court and went his way. In speaking of the matter last night, Chief of Police Drew said that Jennings, since making the deposit, had skipped out, and that was as much as anybody knew about the matter.

Jennings' cases will be called in the Police Court this afternoon, and if he fails to respond, a similar course will be pursued to that taken in the Garnett case, and Jennings' gold pieces will go to swell the sum in the city contingent fund.

Three Months in Jail. Lone Fisher Sentenced for Shooting at Charles Yates.

Judge Johnson yesterday sentenced Lone Fisher, the woman whose bullet will be flattened against the skull of Charles Yates, the L-street saloonkeeper, to ninety days' imprisonment in the County Jail. While sentencing her he said that the testimony showed a deliberate attempt at murder, and that she would not get off so easily if ever brought into court again on a similar charge.

Commendable Work.

(Truckee Republican.) Some very commendable work is being done by the "Record-Union" in its endeavor to have a free wagon road constructed to Yosemite Valley. It should receive the earnest support and hearty co-operation of every paper in the State in this work. It is a gross injustice to the people that a national park, far famed for the beauty and grandeur of its scenery as Yosemite is, should only be reached by toll roads, and poor ones at that. Let everybody join in the earnest request, and it will not be refused.

Murray Was Acquitted.

Several days ago Contractor George Murray was arrested by Water Inspector W. T. Hamilton for violating the ordinance intended to prohibit the use of water for irrigation purposes during the progress of a fire.

The case was tried before a jury in the Police Court yesterday afternoon, and Murray was acquitted.

A New Company.

Articles of incorporation have been filed in the County Clerk's office by the California Gold Mine Investment Association, with its principal place of business in this city. Its capital is \$200,000, with \$40,000 subscribed, and A. C. Hinkson, H. W. Bragg, John Weil, T. L. Enright and W. D. Lawton of Sacramento as directors.

To Open a Road.

Thomas Jenkins, Supervisor and ex-officio Commissioner of the Fifth District, has commenced suit in the Superior Court against Susan Harvey and others to compel them to remove gates and bars from the public road known as Galt that passes through their lands.

Rev. Johnston Called.

At a congregational meeting of the Westminster Presbyterian Church held on last Wednesday evening, Rev. R. J. Johnston was unanimously given a call. Mr. Johnston has been filling the pulpit as stated supply for the past few months.

Wants a Writ of Execution.

Laura Norman, formerly Laura Payne, has petitioned the Superior Court to issue a writ of execution against John Stout, an insolvent debtor, for a judgment of \$300, alleging that he improperly included it in his list of debts.

Wanted—Two Divorces.

Nellie McLaughlin has commenced suit in the Superior Court against Earl McLaughlin for divorce on the ground of cruelty. Ida F. Collins has commenced suit for divorce from George E. Collins on the ground of cruelty.

Filed an Appraisement.

W. J. Webber, D. W. Carmichael and Joseph Maucher have filed in the Superior Court their inventory and appraisement of the estate of Margaret Perry, deceased, which consists of personal notes and real estate valued at \$4,200 65.

Inventory Filed.

C. J. Hasman, H. Goethe and J. M. Henderson, Jr., have filed in the Superior Court their inventory and appraisement of the estate of J. A. Bachelor, deceased, which consists of notes and a mortgage valued at \$9,025.

A Little Sufferer.

Face, Hands and Arms Covered With Scrofulous Humors—How a Cure Was Effected.

"When five years old my little boy had scrofula on his face, hands and arms. It was worst on his chin, although the sores on his cheeks and hands were very bad. It appeared in the form of red pimples which would fester, break open and run and then scab over. After disappearing they would break out again. They caused intense itching and the little sufferer had to be watched continually to keep him from scratching the sores. We became greatly alarmed at his condition. My wife's mother had had scrofula and she used Hood's Sarsaparilla. We decided to give it to our boy and we noted an improvement in his case very soon. After giving him four bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla the humor had all been driven out of his blood and it has never since returned."

WILLIAM BARTZ, 416 South Williams St., South Bend, Indiana. You can buy Hood's Sarsaparilla of all druggists. Be sure to get only Hood's. Hood's Pills cure Liver Pills; easy to take, easy to operate. 25 cents.

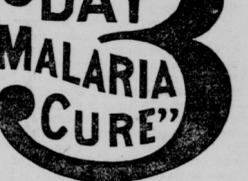
SCATTERED THE COAL.

Two Cars Derailed by an Accident at Auburn Yesterday.

About 7 o'clock yesterday morning two cars of a westbound freight train left the track while passing through the yards at Auburn, Placer County, and for two hours traffic was impeded.

One of the cars, heavily loaded with coal, was completely wrecked, and a wrecking train from this city was sent up to clear the track.

The Colfax local was the only passenger train delayed by the accident, and its passengers were transferred to another train west of the wreck and reached this city two hours late. Nobody was hurt.



OTT'S LIVER PILLS. Best pills on earth for colic, biliousness, indigestion, etc. Never gripe or sicken, nor leave one constipated. Price 50c.

FRANCIS S. OTT, Manufacturing Druggist, 200 K Street, South Side Second and K Streets, Sacramento, Cal.

NEW TO-DAY.

Republican Primary

At a meeting of the Republican City Central Committee, held Monday, September 20, 1897, it was Resolved, That a Republican Primary Election be held in the city of Sacramento, on

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 28TH, between 2 and 6 p. m., under the provision of the Porter Primary Law, to elect delegates to meet on Wednesday, September 29th, at 7 p. m., to nominate candidates for the following city offices: Mayor, Auditor and Assessor, City Treasurer, City Collector, City Attorney, five Trustees (one for First, Third, Fifth, Seventh and Ninth Wards), four School Directors (one for Second, Fourth, Sixth and Eighth Wards), and such other officers as may be voted for at the city election.

Resolved, That the qualifications required of voters at said primary election, in addition to those prescribed by law, shall be that the voter shall have voted the Republican ticket, or would have so voted if he had voted, and will support the Republican City Ticket.

Resolved, That caucuses be held in each ward on Monday evening, September 27th, at 8 o'clock, to elect delegates to the said convention.

Resolved, That the polling places and election officers be as follows: First Ward, Front to Sixth, north of K, delegates 19. Inspector, W. A. Anderson; Judges, Thos. Harper, Louis Caffero; polling place, 216 J street.

Second Ward, Front to Fourth, south of K, delegates 17. Inspector, Chas. Chenu; Judges, J. Schacht, I. W. Holman; polling place, southwest corner Fourth and K.

Third Ward, Fourth to Seventh, south of K, delegates 17. Inspector, W. R. Hall; Judges, M. W. Littlefield, A. S. Baker; polling place, southwest corner Seventh and K.

Fourth Ward, Sixth to Tenth, north of K, delegates 17. Inspector, F. F. Gunn; Judges, R. Flint, D. Gillis; polling place, Eighth, between I and J.

Fifth Ward, Tenth to Sixteenth, north of K, delegates 19. Inspector, J. T. Stafford; Judges, J. J. Thackham, J. Palm; polling place, Twelfth and E.

Sixth Ward, Seventh to Eleventh, south of K, delegates 17. Inspector, Wm. Ince; Judges, O'Neill, S. B. Smith; polling place, 1109 Ninth.

Seventh Ward, Eleventh to Nineteenth, south of K, delegates 17. Inspector, D. D. Sullivan; Judges, W. H. Hanlon, Jos. Mann; polling place, Pavillion, Fifteenth and M.

Eighth Ward, Sixteenth to Thirty-first, north of K, delegates 19. Inspector, Fred Joy; Judges, Fred Dosch, C. W. Anderson; polling place, Twentieth and H.

Ninth Ward, Nineteenth to Thirty-first, south of K, delegates 17. Inspector, Frank Mannigan; Judges, P. H. Leonard, Frank F. Briggs; polling place, Twentieth and O.

F. W. Rohrer, Secretary. (See News, Leader copy.) 1t

TO GET THERE

J. M. and P. STREET CARS GO DIRECT TO Oak Park and bicycle meet to-morrow. Ticket sets, 10c. One crack-a-jacks. Get your seat now, 27th and K, and Seventh and J. 1t

FREE ART SCHOOLS.

TWO FREE YEAR SCHOOLS. School of Design, to award. Address to Miss Crouch, 525 J, at once. (B.C.) 1t

Baseball! Baseball!

Snowflake Park, Sunday, Sept. 26. FIRST GAME OF NEW CALIFORNIA STATE LEAGUE. Olympians of San Francisco vs. Gilt Edge of Sacramento. On account of bicycle races at Oak Park the game will be called at 1 p. m. sharp. 425-2t

AUCTIONS.

AUCTION SALE. ON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 27TH, At 10 o'clock, at 82 1/2 J street (over Furrnell's Bookstore), I will sell the contents of nine rooms, consisting of 7 Oak Bed-rooms, Beds, Carpets, Lace, Curtains, Shades, Bed Lounges, Chairs, Tables, Linoleum, Cook Stove, Crockery, Glassware, Toilet Sets, Oil Paintings, and in fact everything in said nine rooms. Sale positive. No limit. W. T. CROWELL, Salesman. 25-2t

AUCTION SALE OF CAMPING OUT-FIT. 100 Family Tents, 25 DAY (Saturday), September 25, 1897, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. Bell, the Auctioneer, will sell the stage coach, four horses and harness, guns, tent, camp stove, bedding, blankets, hardware, groceries, etc., etc. The outfit left San Francisco August 22d, which date the "Chronicle" gave a picture and description "Bound for Trinity Gold Fields." By order of J. A. Paulin, J. O. Haydenfeldt, F. Gearmire, H. P. Paulin, and E. B. & Co., Auctioneers.

From Germany to Breuner's

On display now in our kitchenware department is a line of goods, just arrived from Germany, that every housekeeper ought to see. It is a white Enamel Ware that looks like crockery, but has the advantage of being practically indestructible. The line consists of basins, pitchers, saucepans, chambers and other usefuls. See it!



Office Mr. Business Man: Just jot it down on your memory Desks that when you get ready for a desk you're coming to Breuner's. Why? Because we offer you a selection equal to any shown in the metropolis at prices lower than those of the metropolis. \$22 50 will buy an astonishingly good Roll Top Solid Oak Desk, with antique rub finish. There are imitation oak desks that come cheaper, but you wouldn't want one of those.

Fish If you haven't got a fish net hanging over some cozy corner in your house, you're simply way behind the times. They're all the rage. Breuner's price brings them within everybody's pocketbook limit. Per yard, 12 1/2 to 25c.

Muffin Pan Special Granite Steel Six cups on solid frame. A big money's worth at our regular price of 30 cents. But what do you say to 17 cents? That's the price to-day—to-day only.

John Breuner

Corner Sixth and K.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

SPECIAL low rates on palms, ferns, nurseries plants, begonias, etc. Bell Conservatory Co., Nursery Tenth and Y.

Vehicles—Baker & Hamilton—Hardware, Carts, Buggies, Carriages, Phaetons, Bain Farm and Road Wagons, Wholesale Hardware. Send for catalogue.

IF AFFLICTED WITH Sore Eyes use DR. ISAAC THOMPSON'S EYE WATER. Sold at 25 cents.

AMUSEMENTS.

METROPOLITAN THEATER. CHAS. F. HALL, Lessee and Manager. L. HENRY, Business Manager. Commencing Sunday Night, September 28th. Special Engagement of ELLEFROUZ'S BIG COMPANY, including the charming Soprano, JESSIE NORTON, in stupendous Productions of Dramas, Melodramas and Comedies never before produced at Popular Prices. Change of play nightly. Opening with

THE LOST PARADISE. MONDAY The Greatest of All Successful Melodramas.

THE STOWAWAY. Realistic Representations with New Scenery, Elaborate Appearances and Surprising Effects, Songs, Dances, Spectacles.

Popular Prices, 10c, 20c, 30c. No Higher. Seats on sale Saturday.

THE CLUNIE. J. H. TODD, Manager. Commencing Monday, September 28th, with Saturday Matinee.

FRANK W. BACON and his Excellent Company in JUDSON BLUESIE'S Pastoral Comedy.

THE ESTATE OF Hannibal Howe. NOTICE TO HUNTERS.

NO SHOOTING OR HUNTING WILL be allowed on the Rancho Del Paso. Any violation of this order will lead to arrest. JOHN MACKEY, Superintendent.