

STREET WHISPERS.

Probability of a Reduction in Orange Freight.

Another Party of Excursionists Arrives Here.

A Ruffian Attempts to Rob a Dumb Man Named Horton.

A Quarrel Between Brothers Results in the Conviction of One for Battery.

There is every probability that the outcome of the discussion now in progress at Coronado among the representatives of the freight interests of the transcontinental roads will result in a decrease of the tariff on oranges from California to Eastern points.

A resolution has been passed making rate on oranges, California terminals to Cincinnati and common points, Pittsburg and common points, New York and common points, \$1.25.

The Southern Pacific has decided to put up a new depot building at Buena Park, and will also build a depot at Ivy, on the Santa Monica line.

Timothy Hopkins, of the Southern Pacific, left for the north yesterday.

Jay Adams, of the Chicago and Alton line, has returned to the city from a business trip to El Paso.

Richmond Anderson, the general traveling auditor of the Union Pacific, is in the city.

General Manager Wade, of the Southern California, is out on a trip over the line.

Following were the members of the Raymond and Whitecomb party which arrived here yesterday: Miss Nellie G. Beecher, Westville, Conn.; E. G. Byram and wife, Boston; Archer Corns, Massillon, Ohio; E. C. Gale and wife, Troy, N. Y.; Jesse Gould, Mrs. J. Gould, Chelsea, Mass.; Edwin Holman, Boston; H. H. Kennedy, Jr., Philadelphia; Miss May Lennox, P. Lennox and wife, New Milford, Conn.; E. Merkel, Esslingen, Germany; James Phelan and wife, Lynn, Mass.; G. H. Richards, Jr., and wife, Boston; Mrs. S. B. Rowley, Philadelphia; Misses Alice and Mary L. Rugee, Mrs. M. M. Rugee; A. W. Sherman, Mrs. H. A. Sherman, Glens Falls, N. Y.; E. A. Slack, Brookline, Mass.; Cyrus Spalding and wife, Webster, Mass.; W. H. Sumner and wife, Schuyler, Neb.; Misses Anna V. and Emma L. Swift, William H. Swift and wife, Wilmington, Del.; Geo. H. Taylor, M. D., and wife, New York; Elisha Thayer and wife, South Braintree, Mass.; Lemmon Thomson and wife, Albany; Miss Laura B. Thorne, Montgomery Ward and wife, Chicago; Miss Susie T. Weed, Potsdam, N. Y.

ATTEMPTED ROBBERY.

An Unknown Man Shoots at Alexander Horton.

Shortly after 9 o'clock last night a telephone message was received at police headquarters to the effect that an old man had been shot at by a robber on Santee street.

Mounted Officer Maguire was detailed to investigate the matter, and upon his arrival at the place he learned that at 9 o'clock a bachelor, named Alexander Horton, was seated in one of the rooms of his residence, No. 1029 Santee street, when a man dressed in a dark coat, blue overalls and a black soft hat, and whose face was enveloped in a red muffer, while his hair was obscured by a red bandana handkerchief, presented himself, and covering him with a revolver, demanded money.

Horton is unfortunately dumb, and was consequently unable to cry for help, but nothing daunted he picked up a chair, and swinging it over his shoulder, advanced on the intruder. As he did so the would-be robber fired at the old man and ran from the house, but fortunately his aim was bad, and the bullet penetrated the wooden seat of the chair.

The report was heard by several of Horton's neighbors, who ran over to his house to inquire the cause of the disturbance. One of them then telephoned to the police, and a search was instituted for the robber, but he could not be found, and at a late hour last night he was still at large.

The bullet was picked up by Officer Maguire and retained as evidence of the mysterious affair. Old Horton has the reputation of being a capitalist, and it is supposed the robber hearing of this, and learning that he was dumb and alone in the house, came to the conclusion that he kept a considerable amount of cash on hand, which he could easily be induced to give up.

BROTHERS AT OUTS.

John Grosse Fined for Battering His Brother.

In Justice Lockwood's court yesterday afternoon a young man named John G. Grosse appeared for trial upon a charge of battery preferred against him by his brother, Morris Grosse. The complainant alleged that for some time past he and his brother John had been in partnership together, carrying on the business of a bakery at the corner of Rose and First streets.

On or about November 17th of last year Morris claimed that he made a verbal agreement with his brother John, whereby the latter was to step down and out of the business altogether and resign his half interest in the concern, for and in consideration of the sum of \$300.

Pursuant to this agreement John removed his effects from the bakery next day, but continued to work in the bake shop for seven days afterwards with two of his younger brothers, Lewis and William Grosse. He was then laid up for three days by sickness, and it

is alleged that on his return to the bakery after his recovery he pretended to have forgotten all about the verbal agreement made but ten days before. Morris went to his attorneys and secured their services in making an accounting of the firm's books. On examination it was found that John had overdrawn his account to the extent of \$136, and when he shortly afterwards offered to sell out his interest to his brother for \$400, Morris refused, and insisted upon holding John to his prior agreement. John did not assert any control over the business for some time after this, although he dropped into the bakery at frequent intervals to see how the business was progressing. On December 23d the attorneys, acting under the instructions of their client, Morris Grosse, brought suit in Judge Shaw's court to dissolve the partnership hitherto existing between the two brothers, and asked that a receiver be appointed by the court. John was unable to procure the necessary bonds of indemnity, but acting upon the advice of his attorney, he called at the bakery on February 6th last, and asserted his interest in the business. Going behind the counter, he attempted to open the cash drawer, and finding it locked, it was said, threatened to kick it open unless Morris allowed him to have access to it. The latter objected and walked behind the counter. After an interchange of words, John grabbed his brother by the throat, and pushing him back upon the showcase, choked him. Morris picked up a weight that lay close at hand and threatened to strike John on the head with it unless he desisted, and stamped upon the floor to attract the attention of his other two brothers, who were down stairs. William at once came up from the bake shop and parted the two men, who were still struggling when he emerged from the cellar.

It was this grabbing by the throat and choking which constituted the crime with which Morris charged his brother, and after hearing the evidence of the three brothers, Morris, Lewis and William Grosse, the court found the defendant guilty, and fined him in the sum of \$10.

It was shown by the defense that the indemnity bond had been filed on the 10th inst., and that a receiver, duly appointed by the court, was in charge of the business, and an effort was made to prove that John simply acted in self-defense, but the court did not view the matter in the same light.

The Supervisors.

The petition for a road to the Ballona ranch was denied.

The Clerk was ordered to advertise for bids for a pile bridge over the Los Angeles river at San Fernando avenue.

The same order was made as to a bridge over the Old San Gabriel river near Cerritos hill.

Certain streets in the Sausal Redondo were ordered vacated.

The same order was made as to streets at Hollywood.

A petition of the California Stereopticon Company as to an exhibit of California views in Eastern cities, was referred to the Chamber of Commerce.

The hearing of petition for vacating of streets at Marcellina was set for April.

The same order was made as to streets at Glendale.

The widening of Adams street was continued till April 19th.

The Wilmington and Central avenue extension was continued till April 4th.

Supervisor Davis was made a committee of one to attend to the repairing of the bridge at Western avenue.

The Clerk was ordered to advertise for a bridge over the Pico crossing.

The same order was made as to the bridge at the Sanford crossing.

The board adjourned to April 4th.

Morton Arraigned.

T. W. Morton, the young man who was arrested by Detective W. H. Russell, of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company, on Friday evening last, was yesterday taken before Justice Lockwood for arraignment upon a charge of robbery. He was ordered to appear for examination on April 8th, at 9:30 o'clock a. m., until which time he was released upon filing bonds in the sum of \$300. The specific charge alleged against Morton is that of taking a purse containing \$2.50 from a man named Hinckley, at the Arcade depot, on the 14th inst.

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Big Trees Moved.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the California Sewer Pipe Company, will be held at the office of said company, San Pedro street, opposite Shaw street, Los Angeles, Cal., on the 7th day of April, 1890, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing a Board of seven Directors to serve for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting. C. F. WEBBER, Secretary. March 22, 1890. mar22-tf

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