The San Francisco Call

MONDAY.....APRIL 13, 1896

AMUSEMENTS.

BALDWIN THEATER.—"Beau Brummell."
CALIFORNIA THEATER—"The Night Clerk."
COLUMBIA THEATER—"Pudd'nhead Wilson."
MOROSCO'S OPERA-HOUSE—"Michael Strogoff."
TIVOLI OPERA-HOUSE.—"Blue Beard."
ORPHEUM.—High-Class Vaudeville.
GROVER'S ALCAZAR.—"Cad the Tomboy."
SUTRO CONEY ISLAND—Grand Athletic Exhibition and Concert.
SHOOT THE CHUTES—Daily at Haight street, one block east of the Park.
PACIFIC COAST JOCKEY CLUB.—Races to-day.

AUCTION SALES.

BY GEORGE F. LAMSON—This day, April 13. Furniture, at 2517 California st., at 11 o'clock.
BY S. BASCH—This day, April 13. Chinaware, etc., at 319 Sutter st., at 10:30 o'clock.
BY EASTON & ELDRIDGE.—Wednesday, April 15, Oil Paintings, in Maple Hall at 12 noon.
BALDWIN & HAMMOND.—Thursday, April 16, Real Estate, at salesrooms, 10 Montgomery street, at 12 o'clock.

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF.

The Latter Day Saints held their semi-annual conference at Pythian Castle.

A new Socialist Singing Section was formed at Turk-street Temple yesterday.

About 5000 people attended the opening of the El Campo pleasure grounds yesterday.

Miss Susan B. Anthony gave an address at the Second Unitarian Church last evening.

Yesterday was the last day of the California State Sportsmen's Association's tournament.

The Sportsmen's Protective Association gave a successful picnic at Schuetzen Park yesterday.

The Empire Gun Club held its semi-monthly contest on bluerocks at Alameda Point yesterday.

R. Linehan and J. Rogers defeated J. J. Feeney and Terry McManus, 17—21, 19—21, 21—19, 21—17, 21—18.

The body of an unknown man was found about half a mile from Strawberry Hill, off the South Park drive, yesterday.

Proposals for filling in a large space of the Presidio marsh will be received this week by Colonel A. S. Kimball, U. S. A.

F. O. Young of the Columbia Pistol and Rifle Club has made a success of full charges of nitro-powder in his target rifle.

Rev. Dr. Yorke delivered a lecture at Scottish Hall last evening on "Mistakes of Theology in the Light of Liberalism."

The Bay City Wheelmen won the great 100-mile relay race around the bay yesterday in 4 hours, 56 minutes and 12 seconds.

The splendid riding of C. S. Wells and Emil Ulbricht won the great relay race for the Bay City Club yesterday in clever style.

The Bay Conference will meet at Berkeley to-morrow. It is expected that the Brown scandal will be fully gone over again.

Morrison I. Swift of Berkeley predicts a broad Socialistic party provided Socialists will cease abusing and begin demonstrating.

Chauncey Parke addressed the good citizenship meeting yesterday morning at Metropolitan Temple on "Antagonisms of Civilization."

Amateur Champion Donnelly and T. F. Bonnet defeated Coast Champion Harlow and J. Riordan at the San Francisco Handball Court yesterday.

A circular has been issued to the members of the abandoned Irish-American branch of socialists asking that they join forces with Liberty Branch.

The cricket season opened yesterday with a "Ground vs. Ground" match at Golden Gate which resulted in a victory for the Alameda Ground team.

Mrs. George Q. Cannon, wife of one of the first presidency of the Mormon Church and mother of United States Senator Frank J. Cannon, is in the City.

Richard Mansfield, the famous actor, arrived in this City yesterday. Although greatly indisposed, he expressed interest in the subject of poetry on the stage.

Several applications to command the battleship Oregon have been received by the Secretary of the Navy. Commander Allen V. Reed may get the coveted position.

The great-great-great-grandson of Daniel Defoe, the famous novelist, arrived in this port last Tuesday. He is an apprentice boy aboard of the British ship Bass Rock.

J. M. Burg, one of the keepers at Agnews Insane Asylum, and Frank L. Fiffer, an inmate on a visit to the City, got drunk together on the Barbary Coast Saturday night, and Fiffer was arrested.

The Olympic Club will make some inquiries on its own account to forestall any unfavorable action of the Amateur Athletic Union in the East resulting from recent investigations on this coast.

William Sanborn, a burglar, while attempting to enter a house on Pine and Jones streets at an early hour yesterday morning, fell from the roof of an alleyway a distance of thirty feet and was painfully injured.

John Box, an employe at Hendy's iron works on Kearny street, near Bay, had his right leg broken yesterday afternoon by a large piece of iron railing falling on it. He was taken to the Receiving Hospital in the ambulance.

Mayor Sutro has a pet monkey which is attracting considerable attention about the heights. It has adopted a little sick kitten, and the attendants are compelled to force the cat from the monkey's arms in order to feed either.

George J. Jones, a young man who hails from Los Gatos, in a fit of wantonness yesterday afternoon, while riding on one of the Park and Ocean cars coming from the beach, kicked a lady who was waiting for the train to pass. The woman fell and the train continued on its course. Later she could not be found and Jones was not arrested.

DIED IN THE PARK.

Body of an Unknown Man Found in the People's Pleasure Resort.

The body of an unknown man was found about half a mile from Strawberry Hill, off the South Park drive, yesterday. From outward appearances death occurred fully a month ago.

The man wore a blue cutaway coat, underneath which was a brown woolen sackcoat. Gray woolen trousers tied around the ankles, after the fashion of those given to bicycling, completed his attire. Two pair of spectacles bought from Montgomery, Ward & Co. of Chicago, a pocketbook containing a nickel and three coppers and a pistol of the American bulldog style were the only articles found. Every barrell of the pistol was loaded, proving in a way that the man had not shot himself.

The body was removed to the Morgue, where a further examination was made, but nothing was revealed which would in any way establish the identity of the dead man except, possibly, the sole of the right shoe, where a lot of brass tacks had been driven, forming a perfect horseshoe. It is thought by the Morgue officials that the man was a stranger, probably a traveling salesman, and that he hired a bicycle with the view of taking in all the beauties of Golden Gate Park. Feeling faint he dismounted, and walking to the spot where his body was found, was stricken with heart trouble, or probably apoplexy.

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TOO DRUNK TO "BURGLE."

William Sanborn Falls a Distance of About Thirty Feet.

TOO MUCH GIN THE CAUSE.

The Noise of the Fall Caused Consternation in Mrs. M. E. Brown's Boarding-House.

William Sanborn, a dive performer, well known to the police, had a thrilling experience at an early hour yesterday morning and caused the wildest consternation among the inmates of Mrs. M. E. Brown's fashionable boarding-house, 1034 Pine street.

Shortly before 2 o'clock Attorney Edward D. Smith, one of the boarders, was wakened by a peculiar noise on the roof of the house. He listened, thinking it was a cat prowling about, but became convinced it proceeded from some other cause. He jumped out of bed and on peering out of the window he saw an object on top of the glass covering over the alley between Mrs. Brown's house and the house of A. Webster, 1004 Jones street.

While Smith stared at the object it suddenly disappeared and he was startled out of his wits by a most terrific noise in the rear of the house from crashing bottles and breaking tin cans that could have been heard blocks away.

Every inmate of the house was awakened by the fearful noise, and for a time pandemonium reigned. Women shrieked with terror and men's faces turned pale.

Smith grabbed his revolver and rushed downstairs and out into the cold night air. He saw a man lying on top of the icehouse in the yard and he promptly notified Policeman E. R. Wall. The officer rang for the patrol wagon, and as the man appeared to be considerably under the influence of liquor he told Policeman McGrath, who accompanied the wagon, to enter a charge of "drunk" against the man.

At the City Prison the man gave the name of William Sanford, 538 Howard street, but Sergeant Bidwill recognized him as William Sanborn, who had "done time" for petty larceny and receiving stolen property and had also been arrested for burglary.

Sanborn was bleeding from a cut on the chin, but as he did not complain of feeling any pain he was locked up in the "drunk" cell. About 9 o'clock he complained of pains all over his body and he was sent to the Receiving Hospital, where it was found that he had a lacerated wound of the chin, a contusion of the left knee and chest and a sprain of the right hip.

When daylight broke the inmates of the Brown boarding-house found that there had been an attempt at burglary and the police were so notified. Detective J. A. Fitzgerald was detailed on the case and on making an investigation he was satisfied that Sanborn had been at his old tricks.

Sanborn had climbed up the lattice work in front of the alleyway between the Webster and Brown houses till he was able to stand on top of the door, about twelve feet from the ground. The glass covering the alleyway gradually ascends, till at the end it is about thirty feet from the ground. Sanborn had crawled up the side of the alley till he reached the end of the glass covering, as the marks showed.

It is then supposed that he reached out to open a window in Webster's house, and in his drunken state he overbalanced himself and fell. In falling he struck against Mrs. Brown's fence, knocking a hole in it, and rebounded, landing on the loose planks on the top of the icehouse, which was filled with empty bottles and tin cans.

Mr. Webster's house was entered recently and an overcoat and umbrella were stolen, which leads the police to believe that it was his house that Sanborn was trying to enter. Sanborn is believed to have had a companion, as a tall young man had been noticed prowling around the corner for two or three nights. Fitzgerald has a good description of him and expects to capture him.

Sanborn said he had been in the Eureka Music Hall and afterward went to Chinatown, where he drank too much Chinese gin. He explained his presence at Mrs. Brown's by saying that he was "mashed" on one of the servant girls and wanted to see her. All the servant girls had a look at him, and they all said they had never seen him before. Sanborn will be detained pending a full investigation.

His mother came into notoriety about three years ago when she was arrested for being the "fence" of three Russians who robbed numerous stores in the country and are now doing time in San Quentin. She turned State's evidence against them and escaped prosecution.

FOR THEATER-GOERS.

The Attractions That Will Be Offered at the Different Places of Amusement To-Night.

Richard Mansfield is to appear this evening at the Baldwin in the play entitled "Beau Brummel." He will be supported by the Garrick Theater Stock Company, made up of well-known artists.

At the California "The Night Clerk," a catchy production, will be continued by Peter F. Daily and his company. The production is an amusing one, and theatergoers love to be amused.

The story that Mark Twain wrote, and which Frank Mayo dramatized, is on the bill for this evening at the Columbia Theater, it having been decided that its reception last week warrants its being continued.

The management of the Grand Opera-house will this evening offer the well-known drama "Michael Strogoff," illustrative of Siberian life. Miss Lisle Leigh will appear in the cast.

"Bluebeard" in its new dress is on at the Tivoli for this evening, it having been so well received last week, that the management has decided to let it run another week.

That popular play "Cad the Tomboy" will be on the boards at the Alcazar this evening with Leonard Grover Jr. in the character of the gas man, Thomas Ward, in which character he has been very successful.

The Orpheum Music Hall will present a number of new specialties to-night, including the wonderful dancing by Miss Rosie Rendel, the Hewetts, musical sketch artists, and Lady Zetta, a mind reader.

Lost Two Fingers.

Julius Fenton, 737 Clementina street, was out at the ocean beach shooting yesterday, when his gun accidentally exploded. He came to the Receiving Hospital and Dr. Bunnell amputated the second finger of his right hand and the little finger of his left hand. Three of the other fingers of his right hand were lacerated.

Drawings Exhibited by Public School Children in Superintendent Babcock's Office. The Upper One Is the Work of Alice Hagarty and the Lower One of Bertha Vorrath.

POETRY ON THE STAGE.

Richard Mansfield Expresses Himself on His Pet Subject.

He Thinks Theaters Shou'd Be Instructive and Elevating Instead of Mere Specu ations.

Richard Mansfield, the famous actor, arrived in this city yesterday morning and took up his quarters at the Palace Hotel. He was quite fatigued by the long journey over the mountains, but not too indisposed to talk a bit on the theme that interests him most now—that of poetry on the stage.

No actor living to-day is more interested in his work than Richard Mansfield, and he says he feels it a great honor to be able to impersonate the characters of history or romance so as to make his audience feel every shade of passion. Although of English birth, Mr. Mansfield thinks that there is just as good talent in America as any part of the world, and that the reason it is not developed is because it is not sufficiently encouraged.

In speaking of the stage he can say some strong things—things that ought surely be profitable to all theater-goers.

"What we want," said Mr. Mansfield, "is poetry upon the stage. Poetry! The stage is for poetry. It is not for merchants and mechanics and penny-a-liners. It is for poetry. Neither for rot, nor for drivel, nor for filth, nor for tanks of water, nor for ancient dames in tights, nor for cheap sentiment, nor for catchpennies, but for poetry.

"And this is not incomprehensible either, for the 'Morte d'Arthur' and all the tales of the Round Table are poetry, and 'Hiawatha' and a thousand Indian legends there are that are poetry; and so is 'Lucile' of poor dead Meredith."

In speaking of the moral side of the stage, Mr. Mansfield said: "The stage should not be for temptation, for the deliverance from which we pray in the morning and which we court in the evening; it should not be for the idiotic laugh and the imbecile applause; it is not for the drunkard and the wanton; it is not to be shrieked at to-day and to be ashamed of to-morrow; it is not for gymnastics; it is for the gracious, the graceful, the thoughtful and the gentle; it is to send us home with better thoughts and better feelings, with a lesson learned by example and with food for pleasant reflection. It is for wholesome mirth, or for such stirring tragedy as will fire us to nobler deeds, or for such potent example as will sicken us of evil doing. This is the stage as I understand it and as I would strive for it.

"Let the managers have their theaters and the actors theirs and the rivalry will benefit the drama. Let the poet realize some of his dreams, the actor and the painter, and come and look at them. They may be strange, these dreams, and weird and odd and not successful, but there will be something gained and something new and not the same eternal drumming out of A square plus B square multiplied by A square plus B square and its monotonous results."

The Higher Thought of Tennyson.

The subject of the evening sermon by Rev. William Rader in the Third Congregational Church last evening was "The Higher Thought of Tennyson." He reviewed the Christian poets and classed them in order as Shakespeare, Milton and Tennyson, and then spoke of his religion, which he said was: "There is something that watches over us, and our individuality endures. That's my faith and that's all my faith," and after drawing attention to his poems, said that "The Crossing of the Bar" was the crown of his theology.

Richard Mansfield, the Famous Actor, Who Arrived Here Yesterday.

RICHMOND FIRE TRAGEDY.

A Child Burned to Death and Several People Seriously Injured.

The Fire Department Greatly Impeded Owing to an Insufficient Water Supply.

Shortly after 9 o'clock last evening, while Mrs. Job Erasmy of Fifteenth avenue was putting her youngest child to bed she accidentally overturned a lighted coal-oil lamp. The articles in the room soon ignited and the flames spread rapidly.

Every effort was made to check the conflagration, but without success, and the flames were not extinguished until a boy had been burned to death, an old lady badly burned and two men injured by broken glass and fire.

There were seven children in the house besides Mrs. Blume, 75 years of age, Mrs. Erasmy's mother. All the children were saved with the exception of a boy 7 years old. He was sleeping upstairs at the time the fire broke out and in running downstairs became confused and crawled underneath the stairway.

When his body was found after the fire it was burned to a crisp.

Mrs. Blume, completely losing her presence of mind, jumped from a second-story window. She was taken to the Receiving Hospital, and was found with both arms and legs badly burned and her hair singed off. In jumping she almost fractured her jaw.

Dr. Bunnell said she was suffering severely from the shock and considering her advanced age might not recover.

Job Erasmy, the father of the child burned to death, a butcher on the corner of Lake avenue and Clement street, was badly burned while endeavoring to rescue his children, and George Kugeler, a relative of the family, had his legs badly cut with broken glass while trying to save Mrs. Blume before she jumped from the window.

The flames communicated to the cottage occupied by W. Chipman, a milkman, and nothing was left of it but the bare walls. The furniture, however, was saved.

The Erasmy family suffered a total loss.

The Fire Department was greatly impeded in its efforts to subdue the fire by a great scarcity of water. The nearest engine-house was six blocks from the fire and the nearest police signal station on First avenue twelve block away.

Blaze on Bernal Heights.

A defective flue started a blaze in the cottage of Michael O'Brien of 606 Highland avenue last evening, which resulted in a complete loss of the house and furniture.

The alarm was turned in from box 451 at a few minutes before 8 o'clock last evening.

The loss was estimated at $1000. The Fire Department was immediately on the scene, but found the nearest hydrant at the corner of Highland avenue and Patton street productive of wind only. A stream was finally obtained at the corner of Mission street.

ARTISTS AND ARTISANS.

Clever Showing Made by the Youthful Wielders of the Pencil.

DRAWING IN CITY SCHOOLS

Exhibits of the Art Department of the Public Schools at the New City Hall.

The first of a series of creditable exhibits of drawing by the pupils of the City schools was made in the office of Superintendent Madison Babcock last week.

The pupils of the Mission Grammar School showed 600 drawings, 450 of which were arranged on the walls in such a manner as to show the natural sequence of the work, while the Longfellow primary school made an exhibit of elementary color work.

The grades represented in the drawing in the Mission Grammar are the fifth, sixth, seventh, eighth and ninth, and the work includes the pictorial representations of geometric solids and such common objects based upon them as boxes, books, baskets and jars; the drawing of foliage in outline and light and shade; in pencil and in pen and ink; the making of constructive patterns for geometric solids and the making of the objects themselves; this constituting the manual drawing side of the course of instruction in use; the making of working drawings both freehand and with rule and compass.

In studying the exhibit, it will be seen that the work progresses from the simple to the complex, from the lower to the higher grades; that it is all done directly from the object; that the method of drawing is that of using the bold, direct stroke, with full arm movement, aiming to express only the essentials, with the simplest rendering.

The mechanic and artisan may see with interest examples of simple constructive drawing, which must be of value educationally to every pupil, if not of more practical value; while the student of art may find examples of pen and ink drawing that might be a credit to artists of considerable training. In an adjoining room, the milliner, dressmaker, furnisher and decorator may see how systematically color and its applications to ornament are taught, this being the work of the Longfellow Primary School.

The system of drawing which has been in use in the public schools of this City since June, 1894, is known by the name of its promoter, Louis Prang.

Miss Katherine Ball, the superintendent of this department, is an enthusiast on the subject. "It is the only system of drawing. The other alleged systems are mere modifications of it. It recognizes that there are three type forms reproduced in nature and art, the cube, sphere and cylinder. Therefore it lays stress upon familiarity with those fundamental forms and requires the closest study of them. You will observe that the work is characterized by broad, soft lines, and that it aims at a bold representation of outlines without too close attention to detail. Those are, perhaps, the most marked features of the system. You see there is little evidence of laborious work here. The aim is that it be speedy and done with a full, free movement of the arm. Perhaps its forte is education in the industrial line, although the pictorial side is not lacking.

"The citizens of London discovered that the English fell far below the other competing powers in mechanics, as shown at the exposition of 1851. They recognized the need of systematic training in an industrial line, and the result was the establishment of the South Kensington school. The history of that movement was repeated and paralleled in this country by the Centennial Exposition at Philadelphia and the resultant founding of the Boston Art Normal School. Teachers were sent out from this school to give an impetus to industrial drawing in the public schools. Professor Walter Smith came to this country about the same time, and introduced his method, which, excellent though it was, proved not entirely adapted to American needs. Louis Prang, who is a millionaire lithographist who made his fortune during the war, bought Professor Smith's right, and has since been improving upon it. The common opinion that it is a mercantile enterprise is wrong. It is a hobby of his."

The exhibit shows the steps from the outline drawings in pencil of the type forms from models in the fifth grade, to the geometric problems, the pattern and working drawings, and foliage work done in all the upper grades, the development in the quality of the line showing in the various stages. Doubtless artisans would be most pleased with the sets showing on one sheet the pattern of an object, the geometrical form itself fashioned from that pattern, the working drawing made from that object and the perspective view. An artist would linger most over the foliage work in pen and ink, all of which is from the object. There is a showing of training in perspective which would attract the admiring attention of all who realize how rare is a mastery of that difficult phase of art study.

The exhibits will be given by various schools from time to time.

BEFORE THE CONFERENCE

Pastor Brown Will Be Asked to Explain the False Dispatches.

His Censure of the Council to Be Considered—Good Audiences at the First Church.

Dr. Brown preached twice at the First Congregational Church yesterday. At the morning service his theme was "Sincerity," and at night he talked of "Mendelssohn and the Elijah." The reverend gentleman has apparently lost none of his drawing power, for good-sized audiences greeted him on both occasions.

The pastor's Bible class was not nearly so well attended as on the previous Sunday, there being scarcely a hundred people present. Mrs. Cooper's class, which meets in Native Sons' Hall, showed a largely increased attendance, a score or more new faces being seen. The Endeavorers met in the same room at 6:30 o'clock, ten persons making application for membership.

The Bay Association will meet at San Lorenzo to-day. The programme as now outlined will consist entirely of routine business, the Brown case being passed with a short report from the committee which made an abortive attempt during the early stages of the scandal to have the accused pastor make an explanation.

To-morrow at 1:30 o'clock the Bay Conference meets at Berkeley, and outside of the ministere and delegates from San Francisco the various churches in the district will be represented as follows:

Oakland—Erwin S. Chapman, William H. Cooke, Alanson Coplin, Frank H. Foster, John H. Goodell, Rhys R. Lloyd, Wallace W. Lovejoy, Oramel W. Lucas, John K. McLean, George Moore, Charles S. Nash, Francis B. Perkins, William A. Tenney, Mahlon Willett; Berkeley, George B. Hatch; Alameda, William W. Scudder; San Quentin, August Brahms; Lorin, Jesse D Foster; San Rafael, William P. Hardy; Woodland, Frank E. Hinckley; Stockton, John C. Holbrook; Niles, Frederick H. Maar; San Lorenzo, George T. McCollum; Clayton, Joseph H. Merrall; Schellville, John Phillips; Mill Valley, John Rea; Sunol Glen, Jacob H. Strong; Black Diamond, Frederick H. Wales; North Temescal, Aaron Williams.

Every member of the conference takes a deep interest in the meeting, because it is well understood that the conference as a body has to grapple with the Brown scandal. The pastor is expected to receive his warmest support from San Francisco representatives, though it is equally well understood that some of his bitterest enemies also hail from this City. It is known of course that the First Church delegates, Dr. Pond and possibly one or two others, will stand by the pastor.

The conference will first take up the matter of the false press dispatch which Dr. Brown caused to be sent over the entire country. On the same line will come an inquiry into the private telegram sent by the pastor to his friends in Kalamazoo. Should Attorney Nagle and Young Kimball succeed in shouldering the blame of the first, it is scarcely possible for them to perform a similar service for the doctor in the latter instance. The Kalamazoo message was signed and sent by himself.

In addition to these charges Dr. Brown will have to answer for his criticism of the verdict of the council. That assemblage was composed of some of the most influential members of the Bay Conference. They do not take kindly to the pastor's defiant attitude and they will no doubt express themselves strongly on this point before the conference adjourns.

It was rumored yesterday that Dr. Brown had been removed by the trustees. The pastor indignantly and emphatically denied that any such action had been taken.

In the Fortieth.

A large and enthusiastic meeting of the representative Republicans of the Fortieth district was held at Bear Hall. J. E. Marks, county committeeman of the district, called the meeting to order, and by an unanimous vote was chosen chairman. Preparations were made for the primary to be held next Wednesday, and it was the prevailing sentiment that an honest and impartial election should be held. A ticket was selected to represent the district at the State convention.

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