

HARNESS RACES ON STOCKTON'S TRACK

Speedy Horses Compete in Three Exciting Events.

SLEEPY LOUPEAWAKENS

Phenomenal Time Made by the Golden Gate Park Roadster.

TOO FAST FOR DEL NORTE.

Drivers McManus and Cecil Fined by the Judges—Fanny C Showed Class.

STOCKTON, CAL., Sept. 23.—With beautiful weather, a splendid card of trotting and pacing events, and a free gate for the fair sex, the officials of the track looked for a big attendance to-day, yet it must have been with a feeling of disappointment that they cast their eyes upon the meager crowd in the big grand stand, that in the years gone by re-echoed with the cheers of thousands of excited spectators.

Of the sport itself, nothing but praise can be said. Fanny C, owned by the well-known Sacramento merchant, Hugh Casey, made her field look very ordinary in the 2:40 trot, much to her owner's delight. She was driven by Charley Jefferies, who thus successfully signaled his first appearance before a California racing public, and created a very favorable impression.

Conn was finally out loose and captured the best part of the heat dashes for horses of the 2:15 class. The 2:15 pace remained unfinished as the sun sank below the level of distant hills. And what an overthrow it promises to be! Del Norte, the staccato son of Altamont, buried in the dust kicked up by the heels of the sleepy-looking Loupe, which all winter long posed as an ordinary roadster in Golden Gate Park, San Francisco, hauling his owner out to the beach and sniffing the invigorating sea breeze with such delightful results that he to-day stepped a mile of the third heat in 2:10 1/2 and this in such hurricane fashion as to indicate that 2:08 1/2 might not be beneath his level. The first heat, won by Del Norte and in which Loupe barely got within the distance flag, was expensive for Driver McManus, who was rightfully fined \$100 for his wiseness. Another driver, W. Cecil, took things easy in the 2:40 trot with Peter Jackson and the stand charged up with \$50.

Pity it is that the strict rules of the running race are not in effect on the trotting and pacing turf. The latter is gradually drifting to ruin through the machinations of a clique of "wise drivers," who have grown cool again in their pocket, and who, as a disgraced public which now seeks relief by staying away.

With but three very ordinary ones opposing her, Fanny C sold a \$20 to \$4 favoring her. The first heat, closing money were: Field \$10, Nellie Ham \$9 and Neerut \$4. Conn took the first two heats of the reel, and that after making a bad break in the second heat. He took a mark of 2:15 in the first heat. A break cost him the third heat, won by Eva, 1 1/2, and under the conditions of the race, as well as the mare went to the stable. For the consolation heat, Neerut was favorite over the field. He failed to get a break in the first heat, but won the heat, but was placed second and the heat given to Clay S, greatly to the crowd's satisfaction.

The betting on the 2:15 pace showed a greatly agitated market, the pooling being the liveliest of the entire circuit. Del Norte brought \$40, Loupe \$22, Hazel H \$8 and the field \$11. Del Norte took the first heat after a bruising finish with Hazel H, in the fast time of 2:10 1/2, which is now the black horse's mark; the crowd, however, the heat winner then sold a \$10 to \$6 favorite over the field for the second heat, with a few short-end purchasers. Loupe challenged his brother back in the stretch and made him look like a "waller" doing, winning easily in 2:11 1/2. Now Loupe sold a 2 to 1 choice over the field. He marched around Del Norte in the stretch and finished like a cyclone in 2:10 1/2, with Bill Fraser second. In this heat the handicapper Lena N created a sensation by flying past the field in ghostly fashion the first quarter and giving promise of making the two-minute record. She made a break midway down the backstretch, which threw her out of the heat. The race was postponed on account of darkness until 1 o'clock to-morrow.

Trotting: 2:40 class: three in five; purse \$700. Fanny C, b. m., by Fallies by Beno (Jef.). 1 1/4. Eva, b. m., by Altamont (Kelly). 1 1/4. Nellie Ham, b. m., by Belmont (Shaver). 3 1/2. Clay S, b. m., by Grover Clay (Gannon). 2 1/2. Nellie Ham, b. m., by Max Ham (McDowell). 2 1/2. Columbus S, b. m., by McDowell (Sullivan). 2 1/2. Neerut, b. m., by Designer (Cecil). 1 1/2. Adria, b. m., by Clivio (Clarke). 6 1/2. Lena N, b. m., by Jennie (Rodriguez). 7 1/2. Frazzetta, ch. f., by Frazzetta (Sullivan). 9 1/2. Time: 2:27-2:24 1/2-2:27 1/2.

Trotting: 2:15 class: three in five; purse \$500. Loupe, b. m., by Inca by Irvington (Kelly). 1 1/4. Eva, b. m., by Belmont (Shaver). 3 1/2. Clay S, b. m., by Grover Clay (Gannon). 2 1/2. Nellie Ham, b. m., by Max Ham (McDowell). 2 1/2. Columbus S, b. m., by McDowell (Sullivan). 2 1/2. Neerut, b. m., by Designer (Cecil). 1 1/2. Adria, b. m., by Clivio (Clarke). 6 1/2. Lena N, b. m., by Jennie (Rodriguez). 7 1/2. Frazzetta, ch. f., by Frazzetta (Sullivan). 9 1/2. Time: 2:15 1/4-2:17 1/2-2:19 1/2-2:16.

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STANFORD UNIVERSITY, CAL., Sept. 23.—The playing of the football men to-day was admirable, considering how early it was in the season. There was quite a considerable amount of interference and the teams worked together better than in the previous games. Cross waded around in the muddy clay after the players, and no good play missed his commendation or no poor play missed his reproof. His whole heart was evidently in the game, and he

had the men equally interested. The grounds were in miserable shape, being water-soaked and slippery. Dole '98 and Fisher '98, at halfback positions, showed up well. Dole has a good "strut" arm, which helps him greatly in his runs, and he is fast proving a first class man back of the line. Fisher's strong point is in bucking. He hits the line with great force and is a hard man to throw off his feet. Williams, at center of the varsity, played a good game, and B. Thomas '97 and Lanegan '90, both at halves, showed that they had football blood in them.

Among those who have thus far shown the greatest ability are McGilvray '00 and Madden '00. They are speedy men at getting under punted balls, and each of them had several excellent tackles to his credit yesterday. So even were the first and second elevens divided that neither showed much superiority over the other, inasmuch as there still remain two weeks and more for practice before the first match game of the season. Stanford, from present outlook, should have a much better team than ever before at so early a date in the football season.

ON EASTERN DIAMONDS.

Standing of the Clubs and Scores of the Games Played in the National League Yesterday.

Table with columns: CLUBS, Won, Lost, Per cent. Rows include Baltimore, Cleveland, Cincinnati, Boston, Chicago, Pittsburgh, Philadelphia, Washington, St. Louis, Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, KY., Sept. 23.—Louisville—0, 3, 3; Cleveland—2, 5, 0. Batteries—Prazier and Dexter, Wallace and Zimmer. Umpire—Sheridan.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 23.—Washington—9, 8, 2; New York—7, 16, 5. Batteries—Norton and McGuire; Seymour and Warner. Umpire—Lynch.

PHILADELPHIA, PENN., Sept. 23.—Philadelphia—17, 21, 3; Brooklyn—16, 16, 0. Batteries—Orr and Grady, Payne and Grimm. Umpire—Phelan.

NEVADA CITY RACES.

Adele, Sabilla and My Sweetheart the Day's Winners.

NEVADA CITY, CAL., Sept. 23.—The attendance at the fair grounds at Glenbrook Park to-day was much larger than yesterday, owing partly to the more favorable condition of the weather and partly to the fact that the people are beginning to realize that the Seventeenth District Agricultural Association has arranged a good speed programme and that many fast horses have been brought here to compete for the purses offered. Interest is increasing and the expected expense collectors will grow larger day after day. The result of to-day's events follow:

Special trot and pace; purse \$400—Won by Adele, Monwood second, King of the King third. Best time, 2:27 1/2. Selling race for all ages, seven-eighths of a mile; purse \$200—Won by Sabilla, Toney second. Time, 1:30 1/2. Hurdle race, 4th hurdles, one and a quarter miles, Ruhlstaer's Gilt Edge stake, \$300 added—Won by My Sweetheart, Hunisman second. Time, 2:29 1/2.

All gambling games have been stopped by the Sheriff.

EASTERN TURF EVENTS.

Results of Racing Cards in Brooklyn and St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Sept. 23.—Results: Three-quarters of a mile, Martha Griffin won, Ticky Jim second, Oak Forest third. Time, 1:12.

Three-quarters of a mile, Ethel Dray won, King Michael second, Fauch-a-Balligh third. Time, 1:16.

Thirteen-sixteenths of a mile, Uncle Abb won, Mercury second, Tommy Rutter third. Time, 1:22 1/2.

Three-quarters of a mile, Aquinas won, Harry Duke second, J. A. Gray third. Time, 1:14.

One mile, Terragnes won, John Hickey second, Fasig third. Time, 1:43 1/2.

Three-quarters of a mile, Queen Safe won, Charlie Keifo second, Bay H third. Time, 1:15 1/2.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Sept. 23.—Results: Eleven-sixteenths of a mile, Plaudit won, Red Spider second, The Stockbroker third. Time, 1:12.

Eleven sixteenths of a mile, Tradline won, Maxine Elliott second, Trianon third. Time, 1:11 1/2.

A mile and a sixteenth, Ronde won, Volley second, Musketone third. Time, 1:52 1/2.

Five-eighths of a mile, Xmas won, Rosso second, Hi Daddy third. Time, 1:03.

One mile, Belmont won, Brandywine second, Tinge third. Time, 1:43.

Three-fourths mile, Tom Cromwell won, Harrington second, Amer third. Time, 1:13.

Three-quarters of a mile, Queen Safe won, Charlie Keifo second, Bay H third. Time, 1:15 1/2.

2:50 trot, \$1000, China Silk won, Mabel Moneyenny second, Amure third. Best time, 2:13 1/2.

\$2000, Jack Dawson won, Emma Oful second, Captain Jack third. Best time, 2:11 1/2.

\$1000, Bright Light won, One second, Pearl Onward third. Best time, 2:09 1/2.

A GIRL'S FOOLISH ACT

Mildred A. Clark Took Laudanum in a Market-Street Lodging-House.

She Said Some One Told Her to Go to the Devil, and She Tried to Do So.

She was told to go to the devil. That was all that caused Miss Mildred A. Clark to swallow a bottleful of laudanum, so she says, and but for timely assistance the girl would now have been dead. She is young, handsome, is a talented vocalist, and lived in a good home at 2218 Webster street.

Early yesterday afternoon Miss Clark went to the Mascot lodging-house at 1118 Market street and hired a room, of which she immediately took possession. Late last evening some noise attracted Ed M. Sim, one of the runners for the house, to enter the room, and he found her lying on a sofa unconscious. At once the girl was aroused, and was walked up and down the floor to keep the effects of the laudanum from overcoming her, and then, when she was in a condition to remain still for awhile, she was sent to the Receiving Hospital.

She would not say who had told her to go to the devil, and, as she was tired of life, she thought she would do so. She wanted Dr. Hubbell of 2339 Pine street sent for, as she said he was the family physician, but he refused to come and said to send for her mother. This was done.

In her pockets were found a bottle which had contained the laudanum, a small grip-sack, a cane and a crutch, all of which are strapped on the right side of her wheel, where they offer a resting-place for the stump of his leg.

AFRICAN CHURCH WORK

Bishop Gaines on the Religious Effects Among Freedmen of California and Elsewhere.

Bishop W. J. Gaines of the African M. E. Church, who has been on a visit to Washington and Oregon, arrived here yesterday and is at the Russ. His home is in Atlanta, Ga. He is very much delighted, so he said yesterday, at what he has seen on the Pacific Coast.

"We have here," he said yesterday, "about 1000 members. That is not very many apparently, but it is really a good many, for our population here is very light. The African M. E. Church has

AROUND THE WORLD ON A BICYCLE

A One-Legged Rider Is Pedaling His Weary Way.

TRAVELED 2878 MILES.

He Left Madison, South Dakota, on June 1, and Went as He Pleas'd.

FLED FROM "HARD TIMES."

Now His Possessions Are Reduced to a Single Cent, Some Old Clothes and His Trusty Wheel.

R. W. Brown, who left Madison, South Dakota, on June 1 to ride a bicycle around the world, reached this City yesterday afternoon, weary, battered, bruised and hungry. Brown is not trying to make any particular record. All he wants is a change of scenery and especially to get away, as he says, from "the hard times in South Dakota."

He has been pushing westward only one-third of the three months and twenty-three days he has been away from Madison, and has made many pleasant stops along the road.

"I was born forty-two years ago in a Vermont Green Mountain and have been a farmer, harness-maker and a carpenter up to the time I found I couldn't make a living in the East. I had my wheel and exactly 34 cents when I started out, leaving behind me no relatives nor pleasant recollections and having the world before me to traverse at my leisure, making my living as best I could, either riding exhibitions or working at my trades. That is all there is about me. I'm here now with exactly a sum total of 1 cent as my capital and I'm hungry, need a bath and some clean clothes, and I'm positive I'll have all this before many hours. At all events I'd just as soon start in this country as I would dry up and blow away in Madison."

The agent for the cycle on which Brown rode across the continent was soon with him and it is not likely he will remain long in the city.

"The centpiece I still possess," said Brown, "is an English coin, with the stamp of Queen Victoria on it. I propose presenting her with it when I reach England."

"I took me thirty-one days to get to Ogden. At Denver I rode and won a race, for which I received \$5.

"I left Ogden Wednesday, the 27th of August. At Grand Junction I was presented with an \$8 purse for giving an exhibition."

"I must not forget the professional race in which I rode at Salt Lake. There were thirty entries and twenty-one starters. I was allowed a seven-minute handicap over the scratch men and I came out eighth in a ten-mile race."

"The best time I made on the entire trip was eighty-seven miles in twenty-four hours, my average time being sixty-four miles. I rode with light tires until I got to Ogden, when I was obliged to change them for these heavy road ones. They were punctured eighty times over the Nebraska desert, where I frequently had to ride over fields of cactus plants. These heavy tires were punctured but twice."

"I propose to leave here as soon as I see my way clear to get away. I will go either to Japan or Australia, as circumstances will permit, and I expect to be back next fall, having consumed about eighteen months in visiting this country, Japan, India, Austria, Germany, France and England."

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THREE BOY BURGLARS.

They Break Into a House and Throw Rocks at the Owner, Who Surprises Them.

Three boys broke into the residence of W. Loncas, 804 Greenwich street, about 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and were ransacking the rooms when Loncas came upon the scene.

The boys ran out of the house, pursued by Loncas. When they reached the middle of the street they picked up rocks and threw them at Loncas, forcing him to retreat to his house for shelter.

Loncas called Policeman P. C. Peters, and he found the boys in a vacant house at 803 Greenwich street.

They were booked on the charge of burglary. They gave the names of Genio Dalton, 15 years of age; Albert Morton, 14, and Joseph Hart, 12. Their parents live in the neighborhood of Vallejo and Kearny streets and the boys get a bad name from the police.

Numerous petty thefts have occurred in the neighborhood and adjacent streets and they are attributed to the three boys. They are hardened youths and look upon their arrest as a good joke.

Thousands Are Interested.

Decidedly interesting is the announcement that the new bathhouse at the Paso Robles mad baths is completed and that all the bath arrangements are located on one block. Winter rates at the hotel have been reduced to \$10, \$12.50 and \$15.

700,000 members, eleven Bishops, and churches all over the United States. Besides this, it has missions in Africa, Nova Scotia, Bermuda and Haiti. "I am very much pleased with what I have seen of the Pacific Coast; people are broad minded and hospitable." I wrote a letter, a few days ago, to the Atlanta Constitution, in which I said that 50,000 industrious colored people could find homes and employment on the Pacific Coast. Last Sunday I preached at the First M. E. Church in Seattle, at the invitation of the minister, and I never saw a finer audience in my life. It was a white audience, of course, and they were willing to listen to a colored man, and treat him with all the consideration received by any white pastor. The Bishop left for Los Angeles last night. He was accompanied on his trip by his daughter.

AT THE CARNIVAL.

French Day and the Tableau of the First Singing of the "Marseillaise."

Yesterday was French day at the historical carnival in Native Sons' Hall, on Mason street, between Post and Geary. The beautiful booth of La Belle France was the center of attraction, and the girls, clothed in the national tricolor, were the first ladies of the fairy carnival scene.

In the evening a concert was given with the following excellent programme: Duo by Mlle. Elena Roedel and Mme. Roedel; tenor solo, Charles Morel; chanson, Mlle. Alice Decourteux; vase charlie, Mme. Prosper Reiter; mandoline melodie, Mlle. Roedel; chanson, Prosper Reiter; couplets, Mme. Ellen Courens-Roedel; romance, Charles Morel.

At the conclusion of the concert a tableau was given by the music booth, the subject being "Rouget de Lisle singing the Marseillaise for the first time before Dietrick, the Mayor of Strasbourg, in 1792." The participants were John P.

EMMA ASHLEY IS FREE.

Found Not Guilty of Assault to Murder Millionaire E. J. Baldwin.

It Took the Jury Only Two Minutes to Determine Her Innocence.

The farce of trying Emma Ashley for assault to commit murder in having shot at E. J. Baldwin was yesterday concluded. As was predicted several days ago, the jury acquitted her in less than five minutes.

The party most injured in the entire matter was the City and County, which had to pay several hundred dollars for a long-winded trial, the conclusion of which was practically foregone.

Yesterday's proceedings, arguments and all, were dull and uninteresting. Dr. John W. Robertson was on the stand in the morning and testified as an expert on insanity. He gave it as his opinion, in answer to a hypothetical question, that the defendant was sane at the time the shot was fired. The afternoon was consumed by the arguments of Assistant District Attorney Saxton, General Friedrichs and the charge to the jury.

The only occurrence out of the ordinary was the manner in which the prisoner's counsel scored Millionaire Baldwin. He said among other things that it was a stain upon the honor of the State that the horse man should go unwhipped for his actions during the past forty years.

The time consumed in actual deliberation by the jury was exactly two minutes. On the return to the courtroom it was reported that "We, the jury, find the accused not guilty, by reason of insanity."

Emma Ashley, on hearing the verdict, quickly rose and said to the jurymen, "I thank you. One or two of my emotional female admirers have burst into tears; the attorneys congratulated the Ashley sisters and a trial that has been utterly devoid of anything sensational was ended."

Editor Greenblat Gives a Pointer to His Neighbor.

It shown in a municipal convention that the "push" knows its friend.

Joseph E. O'Donnell took the stage, as usual, at this point. Mr. O'Donnell is a remarkably important part of the Rainey convention. He is the great nominator of that aggregation of political journeyman.

Mr. O'Donnell nominated a Superior Judge, a Police Judge and a Justice of the Peace, besides seconding the nomination of one of each variety of Judge, and also had his say on the platform in connection with most of the tickets.

Mr. O'Donnell nominated George A. Proctor, a graduate of Santa Clara College, who four years ago polled 16,000 votes for Police Judge.

Herbert Choyanski took the stage, mentioned "the glorious work that has been mapped out" for the convention, and named J. A. Spinetti.

W. J. Locke nominated "a well-known resident of the Mission," Stephen R. O'Keefe.

RAINEY'S SLATE FOR THE BENCH

The Junta Nominates Justices and Police Judges.

MR. O'DONNELL'S STRING

The Slate Went Through With Expedition, Harmony and Satisfaction.

TEN DOLLARS IS IMPERATIVE

On Monday Night the Convention Will Gamble on the Supreme Court Reversing Itself.

The Rainey Democratic municipal convention held another session in Odd Fellows' Hall last night during which Justices of the Peace and Police Judges were nominated and three unimportant resolutions passed. According to the Rainey-Lanigan programme the convention adjourned until next Monday evening after deciding to nominate a full municipal ticket in view of the remote possibility that the Supreme Court may reverse itself regarding the four-year term on Garret McEmery's motion for a rehearing in the county government case.

The convention thus has before it not only the nominations for Superintendent of Schools, School Directors and Supervisors, but for the officers which the Supreme Court decided were to be filled only every four years.

These nominations create new interest in the convention, and the "anarchist" combination is being revived. The nomination for the county clerkship appears to be the leading fight, and John F. McGovern, the Third-street merchant and secretary of the General Committee, is agitated at the front with the prospect of getting the nomination, which depends for its value on the hazard of McEmery's petition.

The convention was called to order late by Chairman Ragan. The attendance was smaller than usual and the proceedings constituted a noisy but good-natured and smooth pulling through of the slate.

Attorney Joseph E. O'Donnell, whose voice had already so often been heard in the convention as a representative of the Rainey-Lanigan power, became a regular judge-maker.

He has been mightily interested in the judicial slate from the start, and at the preceding session had nominated Frank J. Murasky for Superior Judge—whom the Buckleites are about to kick off their ticket for letting the thing occur. Mr. O'Donnell at the former session also seconded another nomination, and last night he nominated a Justice of the Peace and then a Police Judge.

The nominations made were as follows: Police Judges—C. G. Conlan, George A. Proctor, J. A. Spinetti, Stephen R. O'Keefe.

Justices of the Peace—John J. Kennedy, John A. Carroll, William T. Hess, Michael O'Gara, Sands Forman.

At 9 P. M. the convention came to order and Secretary Sulman read a report from the committee on resolutions, reporting favorably the resolutions referred at the last session providing respectively that the chairman of the convention, the committee on platform and the general committee of the party be a committee to look after the observance of the platform by nominees, if elected; in favor of paying the municipal debt and in favor of the passage of a pure primary law by the next Legislature. The report was adopted in a perfunctory way.

A further resolution submitted by the committee on resolutions recommended that nominations for a full municipal ticket be made in view of the possibility of the Supreme Court granting a rehearing in the county government case involving the length of terms of municipal officers. This resolution enumerated the offices to which the Supreme Court awarded four-year terms, viz.: County Clerk, Sheriff, Recorder, Auditor, Public Administrator and City and County Attorney.

On motion, consideration of the resolution was postponed "until next Monday evening, which was in effect, a resolution to have a future session on that day."

The chairman took up the course of nominations by announcing that nominations for Police Judge were in order. The slate at once went through smoothly.

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the following candidates for nomination for School Director were reported to the secretary: George S. Bachman, dentist, 6 Eddy street; Benjamin Armer, bookkeeper, 2815 Pine; C. A. Bault, 427 Larkin; J. J. McCarthy, secretary of the City Health Commission, 170 Minna; Michael Byrne, merchant, 1235 Green; George Walcum, furniture, 402 Sutter; Dr. Horace Laidlaw, 1715 Broderick.

The following additional aspirants for the Board of Supervisors were registered at \$10 apiece: W. O'Connell, Seventy-third, 326 Powell street; M. C. McGrath, Ninth Ward, bet. 5th and Fourth streets; J. D. Griffin, Eleventh Ward, boat-builder, 1714 1/2 Howard street.

Trotting Races at Reno. RENO, Nev., Sept. 23.—Two trots were the only racing events at the track to-day. In the three-minute trot El Prince, Lottio G, Cameo L, Mamie F and Oubaid started in the 2:20 trot. Lottio G was a heavy favorite. Mamie F took the first heat, Cameo L the second and Lottio G the next three.

Stanford Game Postponed. STANFORD UNIVERSITY, CAL., Sept. 23.—The first interclass football game was scheduled for to-day, but as both the '98 eleven and the freshman eleven wanted more time for practice the game was postponed until to-morrow. Great interest is being taken in the opening game, for it will show just what strength the freshmen really have.

Reno's Aboriginal Football Game. RENO, Nev., Sept. 23.—A football game between Piute and Washoe Indians, attracted in nothing but barechloths, was the attraction at the fair this morning. The Washoes were victors.

Insolvency Proceedings. F. R. Hayes and J. F. Munroe, doing business as the Pacific Manufacturing and Plating Works, yesterday filed a petition in insolvency. They owe \$26,646.60 and have assets valued at \$1100.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

James E. Runcie put C. G. Conlan's name before the convention. C. A. Reynolds seconded the nomination of O'Keefe and Denprey that of Proctor, whereupon nominations closed and the ticket was declared. There were calls for all the nominees but none responded and nominations for Justices of the Peace followed. George Gallagher named John J. Kennedy and Joseph E. O'Donnell put John A. Carroll in nomination. Hugo K. Asher nominated William T.

Secretary Saulman Studying.

Hess, son of the chief proprietor of the German Democrat. Mr. Hess Sr. had been a slate nominee for Treasurer, but he stepped aside to give his son a show. H. C. Gesford, who is getting into local politics as deeply and prominently as he can since his removal to the City, followed.

"Possibly sentiment has no place at this time—this is a practical convention," said the ex-Senator of the interior. "It was born and raised in a little county north of San Francisco—Napa County—and from boyhood to manhood, one of my truest friends was Michael O'Gara. [Great cheering.] He was true to his family in his struggles to maintain them, and one of his boys he sent to that great institution at Santa Clara which has produced a White, a Del Valle, a Dennis Spencer and others like them. It gives me pleasure to nominate John O'Gara—a good old Democratic name. Vote for him."

C. A. Reynolds nominated Sands Forman.

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