

LABOR REPORTS

LABOR LAWS

Tenth Annual Convention of Workingmen's Delegates.

Governor Budd's Rock-Crusher Law for Convicts Is Condemned.

Delegates From Sacramento Make a Report on the Status of Various Measures.

The tenth annual convention of the California Labor Convention was in session all yesterday afternoon at 915 1/2 Market street.

The proceedings were characterized by heated discussions on subjects of interest to organized labor, and the convention adjourned after condemning the bill now pending before the Assembly on the convict labor problem—a measure that provides that convicts may crush rock for public works and that the State buy an improved rock-crusher.

The delegates from Sacramento made a report on the status of various measures, as follows: Minimum compensation bill; passed the House; no action in the Senate.

Bill to enforce the prompt payment of wages; passed on favorably by the House. Bill remitting court costs in certain cases; third reading in the Senate; nothing done in the House.

Department of labor bill; reported on favorably by the Ways and Means Committee of the House; nothing done in the Senate.

Regulation of hours of labor in lumber camps; no action in the Senate; favorable report by the House committee.

Nothing has been done with the bill providing for the employment of women in the eight-hour bill has been favored by the House and has reached the second reading in the Senate.

Regulation of employment agencies and punishing collusion between agents and employers; nothing done in the House; second reading in the Senate.

The law giving the State a lien on public works; nothing done in the Senate; read the first time in the House.

Fitzgerald's employment bureau scheme; nothing done in the Senate; first reading in the House.

On the boiler inspection law and on the appointment of an inspector for barber shops, nothing was done. The same report was made on the poll tax law.

Bill regulating bakers' hours; second reading in the Senate; nothing done in the House.

Law exempting the wages of seamen and fishermen; favorable reports by both branches, with amendments.

After considerable deliberation the body put itself on record as opposed to the arbitration law now before the Assembly.

The Supervisors of San Francisco were censured in resolutions for allowing inmates of almshouses and others to do work at less than union wages.

John Beatty of the Painters' Union said the board had recently paid \$1270 for about \$50 worth of calumny.

Resolutions were adopted condemning all measures to employ convict labor in any form, whether on county roads or elsewhere.

H. Binham, who was not a delegate, was allowed to speak. He said he represented 150,000 men and 2000 women who belong to no unions.

This is Budd's scheme to force convict labor on the State, he said, "and we should fight it to the end. We have 20,000 names on a petition against the bill."

The delegates to Sacramento reported that the rock crusher bill was a gubernatorial scheme, and they believed it would pass, but the body denounced it.

Julius Raphael of New York, representing the Cigar-makers' Union there, was allowed to speak. He denounced certain brands of cigars as "poison made goods" and urged the adoption of a law to allow to circulate thousands of cards running as follows:

TO THE FRIENDS OF HONEST LABOR WHEREVER: You are hereby officially informed by the International Cigar-makers of New York City that the cigar manufacturers by using hemlock and Schiefer's No. 1116 and 1117 third district, New York, are made in filthy tenement-houses.

They are earnestly requested to smoke other cigars until such time as kertes, Wertheim & Schiefer see fit to recognize the right of labor to organize and to pay living wages.

The brands are as follows: General Arthur, Round Trip, Bank Note, Arbitrator, Dark Horse, Merchant, The Good Hand, World Beater, Cuba, Eagle, Sweet Potato, K. W. & S. Cubas, Walt & Bond's No. 1, Speckled Bandits, Rose's Girl, Sweet Marie, Minnesota Queen, Prince Albert, Fantastico, Camp, Reception, Pioneer, Reception, O'Leary, La Tempe.

INTERNATIONAL CIGAR-MAKERS OF NEW YORK. Resolutions were passed condemning the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States in the Arago case, wherein it was held that sailors may be arrested and imprisoned for failing to work after signing articles to go on a voyage.

It was announced that there will be a mass-meeting at Metropolitan Temple to-morrow night, at which Mayor Phelan will speak for the sailors.

A committee was appointed to solicit further funds so as to maintain delegates at Sacramento.

RYAN ON FUGITIVISM. A Good Thing That It Will Be Confined to the Sagebrush.

Tax Attorney E. B. Ryan of the Southern Pacific Railroad permitted his mind to wander from tax titles, deeds, claims and records, and roam over the crosses of the road into the State of Nevada, where glove-contests for a purse have been legalized by the Legislature and approved by the Governor.

He said: "It strikes me that the legalizing of prizefights in Nevada is a good thing. In a financial way it may be a good thing for Nevada, and it is a good thing for the country that distinguishes it from the rest of the sagbrush. The people who see them will go there especially with that object, and the moral sensibilities of communities which do not regard pugilist exhibitions will be shocked no longer."

PAULISTS HOLD SOLEMN SERVICES

Feast in Honor of Their Patron Saint's Conversion.

Forty Hours' Adoration Fittingly Inaugurated at St. Francis Church.

Young Men of St. Dominic's Parish Band Together to Battle Against Profanity.

The feast of the conversion of St. Paul was celebrated by the Paulist Fathers at St. Mary's yesterday afternoon with the greatest solemnity.

This feast, which fell on the 26th of January, but was not celebrated until yesterday, is to the Paulists one of the most important on the calendar, and in recognition of the efforts of the clergy to have the day fittingly observed nearly 1500 people braved the inclement weather to attend the services.

There were also a number of visiting clergymen present, among them being: Father Powers, assistant to Fathers Wynn and O'Connell, S. O. F.; Father McGovern, O. P.; Father Frieden, S. J.; Father Nugent of St. Brendan's, and Father McNulty.

A solemn high mass was celebrated by Father Powers, assisted by Fathers Wynn and O'Connell. During the rendition of the mass a musical programme was rendered, consisting of Haydn's mass in C, with Benedictus from Gounod's "Messe du Sacre Coeur," Te Deum by Elmer "Veni Creator" by Handel, with organ and orchestral accompaniment under the direction of Eugene Schmitz.

The general musical programme was under the direction of Miss Marie Giorgani, organist. The special singers engaged were: Soprano—Mrs. Adele Rottazzi, Kathleen Duffy, L. Devine, Annie Devine, M. Byrne, Tillie Pauba, Mary Higgins, Margie Ryan and Bertha Smith. Contraltos—Mrs. Leo Paulina Steffan, Misses Agnes Bergen, Madeline Bunnard, G. Rottazzi, Helen Ford and Jeanette Hughes. Tenors—James Lane, Daniel G. Feather, Henry Dinan, T. Meagher and Dr. Bonini. Basses—Messrs. William Gordon, William O'Brien, Dr. Rottazzi and James Allen. Solos were rendered

Major and Mrs. Frank Robinson Found an Asylum for the Unfortunate.

A Place Where Those Who Have a Desire to Reform May Have All the Comforts of Home.

Major Frank Robinson and his wife have just opened their new rescue home for girls in this city. It will be conducted on wholly new lines, according to the outline given by the founders, and its progress will be watched with more than usual interest.

"We do not propose to make war on other homes," said the major last night, "but Christ's Rescue Home will not pursue girls after they leave it, nor will we inform people that the girls must be

watched. It is the crying evil of some such institutions that their managers tell the world all about the errors committed in moments of weakness by those whom they rescue. We will never allow the girls to go out under assumed names. It is enough if they behave themselves and report to us occasionally of their doings, and we would be absolutely satisfied for us to bound them. To delicate natures this is extremely embarrassing, and often starts them down hill again.

"We intend to make the place in a large measure self-supporting. The girls will be able to cook and sew here, and everything possible will be done to make them content with the new and pure mode of living. It will therefore be a homelike place throughout."

Major Robinson has been engaged in rescue work for many years, and was formerly prominent in Salvation Army circles. He says his idea of the home that he is now founding were evolved after many years of study and experience, and he feels sure that the work will be one of lasting benefits.

"We are receiving encouragement from all classes of workers," he said last night, "and if people will only aid us the enterprise will do vast good in the community."

ANNIE BESANT COMING. Will Include San Francisco and the Coast in a Lecture Tour.

Mrs. Annie Besant, one of the most prominent theosophists, who by many is believed in that philosophy is thought to be taking the place of Mme. Blavatsky, will lecture in San Francisco during next summer. Mrs. Besant has been in India for the last two years with the exception of the time when she delivered a course of lectures in Australia.

Mrs. Besant is expected to arrive in New York March 13 or 17 next, and she will be in the United States continuing at least six months. Several months of this time will be spent on the Pacific Coast. Mrs. Besant makes her annual lecture tours over the world, and she is said to have special information from either the "wisdom religion" or the "accepts" of India to impart or doctrine to teach in the coming tour. She will lecture to the Theosophical societies of which the late Mme. Blavatsky was the head as distinguished from the Theosophical Society in America of which Mrs. Tingley of New York is the present head.

Charles T. Neilson delivered an address to theosophists last night in Native Sons Hall on "The Hymn of India."

"A THRILLING EXPERIENCE."

A Well-known Boston Evangelist Addresses Young Men.

The well-known Boston evangelist, Rev. John M. Dick, delivered an address in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium yesterday afternoon, entitled "A Thrilling Experience."

The speaker's remarks were in effect the recital of personal trials and temptations encountered during his conversion from sin to a state of righteousness through the grace of Christ.

Secretary Perkins of the Columbus (Ohio) Y. M. C. A. was among those who occupied seats upon the platform, and contributed a few words to the afternoon's programme. Mr. Perkins is visiting the Pacific Coast, accompanied by his wife.

HYPNOTIC INST., treating, teaching, 60' Farrell.

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The Many Attractions That Are Offered at the Various Playhouses for This Evening.

The attraction to be offered at the Baldwin Theater this evening will be a complete production of "Macbeth," in which Modjeska will appear as Lady Macbeth and Joseph Haworth will take the part of the Thane of Haworth. The play will be presented with a full cast.

"The Prodigal Father," which is to be offered at the Columbia Theater this evening, is a farce-comedy which is said to be an enjoyable one—quite as it repeats with its interesting plot, a new face at this house, will appear.

"A Legal Wreck" is to be offered at the Alcazar this evening. It is claimed that this is the banner play of the Madison-square Theater of New York, and is said to be one of the best ever written by Gillette, the modern playwright. It will be beautifully staged.

The play that has been chosen for the audience at Morosco's Grand Opera-house for this evening is "The Westerner." It is a comedy-drama that is said to be of interest, and is a story that repeats with its interesting plot, a new face at this house, will appear.

"Aladdin; A Story of a Wonderful Lamp Up to Date," which has already proved a hit at the Tivoli Opera-house, will be again presented at the Alcazar. The charm that has won for it so many words of commendation. The music is good and the dialogue clever.

There will be a rich vaudeville programme at the Orpheum music hall this evening. The bill is as follows: "The City of the Future," which will be presented by the City, will appear, as will Ward and Curran, who are said to be "prophetic comedy" and "Bessie Clayton, a head-over-heels dancer."

La Famille Will Not Receive Patients Until Further Notice.

The board of lady managers of the French Christian Union of California has decided on account of the hard times and a debt of \$250 to close until further notice the home for self-supporting convalescent or unemployed girls and women.

During the last year there have been sheltered under the roof of "La Famille" (The Family) not only French girls and women, but also American, German and British women, who could not be admitted into other homes because their age had passed the limit, or because their convalescent state rendered them unable to take the long journeys required for the hospitals.

This caused Miss Marie Marshall, president of the French Christian Union of California to take upon herself alone the entire responsibility to keep this quiet home from being closed to those in need of such. The debt has been incurred through the admission into the home of some very distressing cases which were not able to pay for their board which have remained some length of time; also because a means of helping this work has not been sufficiently understood by ladies who come to the employment office. This office is kept after the rules of the International Union, the Friends of Young Women, headquarters in California, and the girls pay no fee for getting a situation—they must only bring references—but the ladies must pay \$1 for one year, and thus become members of the board.

Any name, address and amount toward the rent subscription can be sent to the president of the French Christian Union of California, 1520 Clay street.

An appeal is made by Mrs. Marshall to all men and women who are anxious to help the self-supporting when in distress, regardless of creed or religion. Thirty subscribers giving monthly 50 cents, or sixty giving 25 cents, will insure the rent of the home, for which a generous donor has remained for many years, and is president and owner of a bank at Silver City. He is an old Apache fighter and was the staff of General Sherman's army town of about 600 people, called Pearce, has grown up at their mine. Tombstone is twenty miles distant.

J. L. BARDWELL'S PRESENT A Fine Collection of Animal Paintings Given to the Park Museum.

The wet and dismal weather yesterday prevented pleasure-seekers from enjoying the park and Cliff House. No one was stirring in the park except an occasional horseman out for a trot.

In the park museum there is a new attraction in the fine collection of watercolor paintings of birds and animals which were recently presented by John L. Bardwell. This collection of sixty-four finely executed little pictures were painted by Henry von Arnim, who is an artist, a naturalist and an anatomist. He is considered a very fine animal painter, and some of his pictures of horses were painted by special order of the Sultan of Turkey. He has also done some good work for the Khedive of Egypt.

In making these portraits of birds and animals he copied them from life in the zoological gardens of Europe. One of the finest of them represents a black leopard of Java, which is a very rare animal.

OTTO FEUSBERG Arrested and Charged With Breaking Into the People's Palace.

Otto Feusberg, a young man, was arrested last night by Police Const. L. Ryan and held on a charge of burglary.

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DR. SANDEN'S ELECTRIC BELT Has made a reputation for its wonderful vitalizing influence on the nerves.

When I purchased your Belt I had been troubled for four years with acute nervous dyspepsia. I had violent pains in my stomach and back and was generally debilitated. Now, after using your Belt, I can sleep well and the pains in my stomach and back are all gone. I feel better than I have done for years."

Arise yourself! A waken the vitality that is within you! Get out of that sluggish, half-sleep condition! The fire and vigor of your manhood! Call and consult the doctor and learn how the vitalic nerves are aroused by Dr. Sanden's Electric Belt.

AS GOOD FOR WOMEN AS MEN. If you cannot call, send for book, "Three Classes of Men," which explains his methods and the cures. It is mailed, sealed, free. It may save you years of misery. Call or address:

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AT THE SUTRO BATHS THERE WAS SOME SPURIED SWIMMING RACES.

THE NEXT FEATURE ON THE PROGRAMME WAS THE HIGH DIVING FROM A SIXTY-FOOT PEDESTAL BY PROFESSOR O. SCHULTE.

THE CHUTES WERE CLOSED ON ACCOUNT OF THE BAD WEATHER. THEY EXPECT TO HAVE BIG CROWDS AND A GAY TIME THERE THIS WEEK WITH THE CHINESE.

NEW TO-DAY. THIS DAY, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1897. AT 12 M.

By Order of Public Administrator The Seven Following Properties:

First—Mary Sloane Estate. Number 1212 Scott st., between Eddy and Ellis; 2-story frame dwelling; brick foundation, etc.; selling low at \$25 per month, lot 100 feet.

Second—Edward Simpson Estate. Numbers 3558-60-62 Twentieth st., bet. Valencia and Guerrero; 2-story frame dwellings in front and rear; lot 25x114; front house renting for \$18 per month; rear house vacant.

Third—John F. McManahan Estate. Number 5 Bernard st., west of Taylor, bet. Pacific and Broadway; 2-story house; renting for \$16 per month; lot 25x30; street accepted by the city.

Fourth—Martin Dougherty Estate. Number 21 Ripley place, or Prospect place, east of Potomac st.; cottage of 4 rooms; lot 50x100 feet; half block front electric cars.

Fifth—E. S. Matthews Estate. S. line of Ripley place or Prospect place, running through to N. line of Mary st.; 2500 W. of Columbia place; 30x150; 2 frontages, bet. Potomac st. and Columbia place.

Sixth—Mary Sheppard Estate. 18 Natoma st., bet. First and Second; front in stone and brick; 12 A. W. and 2 B. W. and 7 to 8 P. M. Sunday; from 10 to 12 A. M. only. Mail treatment always successful. Therefore write if you cannot call. Address

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