

The San Francisco Call

AMUSEMENTS. BALMAIN THEATRE—"Glimonda." CALIFORNIA THEATRE—"Sigmund" to-morrow evening.

AUCTION SALES. BY E. S. SPUR & Co.—This day, March 15, Old Horse, at 31-33 Sutter street, at 11 o'clock.

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF.

Fair Monday; northerly winds.—A. G. McAdie. Dr. E. R. Pille preached last night on "Unitarianism." A whitehall boat race on the bay yesterday was won by Dave Crowley Jr.

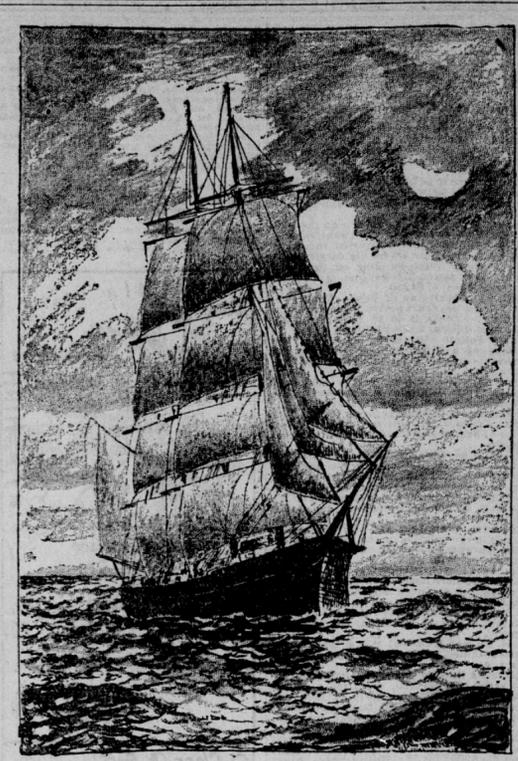
SKEPTICISM IN ITS DUAL PHASE

A Powerful Sermon by Father Prendergast at St. Patrick's.

Beginning of the Solemn Triduum Celebrating the Silver Jubilee.

The Church a Dream of Floral Beauty. Inspiring Music by the Choir.

The deep, mellow notes of the organ in St. Patrick's Church last evening ushered in the beginning of the solemn triduum to be held in celebration of the silver jubilee of that sacred edifice, and as the steady inspiring music reverberated throughout the spacious structure, it carried to the minds of the parishioners an added significance and inspiration befitting such an occasion.



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BARK CARROLLTON WAS IN TROUBLE

After Making a Picturesque Entry She Went Adrift. Collided With the Battle-Ship Oregon, but Did Very Little Damage.

The Whitehall Boatman Had Another Exciting Race on the Bay Yesterday.

The American bark Carrollton made a most picturesque entry into port last Friday, but she did not look so well yesterday morning when she was aloft of the battle-ship Oregon.

The final charter meeting of the Marble Cutters and Finishers' Union last Saturday was held yesterday afternoon, Thomas Christel presiding, James Shannon and John McCann officiating as secretaries.

The membership roll was swelled from 75 to 130, and hereafter an admission fee of \$10 will be charged for all applicants who are citizens or who have applied for citizenship and \$30 for all aliens.

The union has but one serious grievance, according to the committee reports turned in yesterday. It is in regard to the work being done at the City Hall.

A committee from the union called upon the City Hall Commissioners last Saturday and explained that of the three contractors McCormack and Tanqui, and the two Marble Company were the only two who were carrying out their recorded contracts.

The schooner Muriel got in from Hilo yesterday after a fair passage of twenty-four days. Captain Carlson is more than pleased with the performance of his vessel, as he says he is fairly and squarely out on the Golden Gate.

The schooner yacht Lurline made her first cruise of the season yesterday. She was commanded by John D. Spreckels and his guests were Charles Merrill, Grove F. Ayers, Walter Gibson and John E. Dow.

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CYCLE RACERS MADE FAST TIME

Road Events and Relay Try-Outs of Some Wheeling Clubs.

R. A. Coulter of the California Club Covered Ten Miles in 27:04

The Imperial, Alameda, Bay City, Olympic and California Clubs All Held Races.

The annual 100-mile relay race of the California Associated Cycling Clubs will be held Sunday, April 4, and will be contested between probably twelve clubs this year.

Yesterday there were five of these events, three being over the Fruitvale-Haywards course and two over the third relay, through San Mateo and San Carlos.

The Imperial Cycling Club's race had the most starters and the most accidents, and is therefore worthy of first mention, although the California Club made the fastest time.

The following is the summary: Contestant, Time, Rank. C. H. Yeaman, 3:01, 29:14. R. F. Hamann, 2:30, 28:14 1-5.

The officials of the Imperial race were: W. H. Fooker, referee; George J. Panario, E. F. Flinn, Joseph Catechich, James Lynch, Godfrey Edwards, J. F. Jaggins, W. G. Sullivan, G. Roche, starters; W. McFarlane, J. T. Lynch, marshal; E. W. Schneider, C. Trollet, Arthur Nelson, G. H. Koch, G. W. Ward, judges.

The other two events over the Haywards course were the relay try-outs of the Olympic Club Wheelmen and Alameda Cyclists. Considerable speed was shown by some of the men in each.

The California Cycling Club's event was over the third relay, from San Mateo to Menlo Park. The riders fought a strong wind all the way, but this did not seem to affect them much.

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The Bay City Wheelmen held a five-mile handicap race from San Mateo to San Carlos. C. W. Still won, with three minutes' handicap, and Charles A. Kraft made best time, 12:27.

The indoor tournament which is to open at the Mechanics' Pavilion next Saturday night has excited considerable interest among the local riders and a large number of entries are being sent in.

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THE THEATRICAL WORLD.

An Idea of What is to Be Offered to Those Who May Wish to Go to Play-Houses To-Night.

To-night there will be presented at the Baldwin Theater for the first time "Glimonda," by Sardou, which has been produced in Paris, London and in the East and has been exceedingly well spoken of.

"The Foundling" is what is to be offered at the Columbia Theater this evening. It is a play that had an unusually long run in New York and it is spoken of as "a jolly success."

The company at the Alcazar Theater will be appearing in "The Eagle's Nest," a scenic production that contains many startling situations, a mixture of comedy, pathos, and music.

At the Trivoli there will be a continuance this evening of that musical opera, "Her Majesty's Ship Pinafore," which has awakened an old-time interest in the lovers of light music.

To-night a new specialty is to be offered at the Orpheum. It is the four Cohans, who style themselves the "automatic doll-dancers."

At the Chutes there will be the usual number of striking attractions for those who fancy outdoor amusements. There are the chutes, the trolley and the scenic railway, in addition to other special features that are appreciated.

There is not to be any performance at the California to-night, but to-morrow night there will be presented by the French opera troupe, with a strong cast and ballet. It is a story of mortals and demigods.

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JUMPED INTO THE SEA.

A Seaman, Tired of Life, Tries to End it in the Ocean Waves.

The Big Barbecue at the Chutes by the Society of Old Friends Draws a Crowd.

There was a great crowd at the ocean beach yesterday, but among the throng was not seeking pleasure.

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Anna Walcott, the wife of Thomas Walcott, a carpenter in the employ of the California-street Railroad Company, committed suicide at the family residence, 1229 1/2 Filbert street, yesterday forenoon.

The Rev. Father Allen, S. J., is giving a course of instructions on Wednesday and Sunday evenings during Lent.

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MITCHELL THE PHENOMENON.

California Billiardist Will Be Backed Against the Eastern Players.

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