The San Francisco Call

MONDAY ..... MARCH 22, 1897

AMUSEMENTS.

BALDWIN THEATER—"Gismonda."
CALIFORNIA THEATER.—"Les Huguenots," to-morrow night.
COLUMBIA THEATER—"The Foundling."
MOROSCO'S OPERA-HOUSE—"The Great Northwest."
ALCAZAR THEATER—"The Strategists."
TIVOLI OPERA HOUSE.—The Merry Wives of Windsor."
ORPHEUM.—High-Class Vaudeville.
GOLDEN GATE HALL.—Camilla Urso, Monday evening, March 29.
OBERON.—Grand Concert.
MECHANICS' PAVILION—Bicycle Races.
LURLINE BATHS.—Bathing, etc.
SUTRO BATHS—Bathing and Performances.
THE CHUTES AND SKATING RINK—Daily at Haight street, one block east of the Park.
PACIFIC COAST JOCKEY CLUB.—Races to-day.

AUCTION SALES.

BY FRANK W. BUTTERFIELD—This day, March 22, Restaurant, at 21 Ninth st., at 2 o'clock.
BY A. M. SPECK & CO.—Thursday, March 25, Real Estate, at 602 Market st., at 12 o'clock.
BY G. H. UMBSEN & CO.—Monday, March 29 Real Eastate, at 14 Montgomery st., at 12 o'clock.

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF.

Mlle. Trebelli's farewell concert drew a good house last night.

Con Mooney's wildcat was killed in a fight with a bulldog at Carson.

The few days' work on the new boulevard already makes a fine showing.

A fair Monday with continued cold weather and heavy frosts Monday morning.

The League of Henry IV gave a banquet in honor of its retiring officers last evening.

A local sport, George H. Ehrenpfort, was cleaned out by a sure-thing gambler at Carson.

A party of San Francisco capitalists has returned from a visit to the Corral Hollow coal mines.

The people showed their appreciation of the Park Museum yesterday by visiting it 5000 strong.

Dr. Dharmapal, the Buddhist teacher, lectured last evening upon "The Nature of Theosophy."

The children of Beth Israel presented "Ruth and Naomi" to a crowded house yesterday afternoon.

The Socialist Labor party is preparing to organize sections in the towns in the San Joaquin Valley.

The mass-meeting of Saturday night raised much enthusiasm in San Francisco for the cause of Cuba.

Robert Fitzsimmons, champion pugilist of the world, appeared yesterday in an exhibition at the Chutes.

The preliminary heats of the Pioneer Rowing Club trophy race were brought off yesterday at Long wharf.

The tenth anniversary of the American Bakers' Union was celebrated on Saturday night by a banquet.

Mrs. James Hagan was badly burned in a fire resulting from a lamp explosion at 3618 Nineteenth street last evening.

The California labor convention met yesterday afternoon, and after discussing the late Legislature, adjourned sine die.

The foundation stone of the Affiliated Colleges will be laid by the Regents of the State University next Saturday.

Thomas Conly, a boy 5 years of age, living at 1646 Alabama street, was severely bitten on the nose by a dog yesterday afternoon.

Ira D. Sankey, the evangelist and hymn writer, spoke yesterday afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. Auditorium and introduced some new hymns.

"Mysterious" Billy Smith, the prize-fighter, assaulted John L. Herget in the latter's saloon and was knocked out in one round, retaliating by nearly biting Herget's little finger off.

The German residents of the City celebrated the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of Emperor William I by a literary entertainment and ball last night in Eintracht Hall.

The arrangements for the State contest in the National Guard are such that many of the best military rifle shots will stay away. They say it will be too much like shaking dice for medals.

Ex-Alderman Dunne of New York and T. F. Bonnet played a single-handed game in the San Francisco Handball Court yesterday afternoon and after each had won two games it was declared a draw.

Mme. Fodor and Aimee Pascal, two of the prima donnas of the French Opera Company, are quarreling. Pascal, who is the beauty of the troupe, claims that Fœdor is jealous of her and will not let her sing.

Many of the men who wanted to go out to the battleship Oregon had flasks of whisky with them and Henry Peterson would not allow them aboard the Amy. Consequently they missed a visit to the ship.

The big indoor cycle meet continues at the Mechanics' Pavilion to-night. Six more speedy professionals have been added to the already long list of competitors and some remarkable racing can be expected.

The yachting season has fairly begun. The Tiburon draw was opened yesterday and all the yachts that have been laid up for the season came out. They will be overhauled and ready for next Sunday's cruise.

Dr. David Starr Jordan returned yesterday from Washington, hopeful that at last pelagic sealing will be stopped, for he "saw blood in McKinley's eye" when the necessity of protecting the seal herd from extermination was explained to the chief executive.

There was a large attendance at the Olympic Gun Club's practice shoot at Ingleside yesterday. About thirty dozen birds were killed. Peter Murphy, the Eastern expert, was present, but he did not shoot in his regular good form. The same might be said of F. H. Bushnell and Dr. Knowles. Since Bushnell joined the rifle and pistol club he has not done very brilliant work, either on live birds or bluerocks. As a fact but very few of those out yesterday did good work. The principal event was a six-bird race, $2 50 entrance. In this P. Sloane and Mr. Jackson divided first money and got $6 each. N. H. Neustadter got second money, $5, and P. Murphy, Mr. Brown and Frank Vernon $4 each.

At the request of the Merchants' Association the street-cleaning contractors have discontinued the use of machines in sweeping the streets north of Market street, and since March 1 have been using only hand-labor in that district. Five extra gangs of sweepers have been put to work, and besides resulting in better cleaning, it gives employment to thirty-five more unemployed men. The efficiency of this new system can be noticed in the rapidity with which the accumulations resulting from several days' rain are removed. If extra gangs can be put on at such times and the sweeping kept up to the schedule. Over 200 men are now daily employed in sweeping the streets, and the Merchants' Association hopes that the time is not distant when all machine-sweeping will be discontinued and only hand-labor employed.

Nearly all the female servants of Russia have to supply their own mattresses, and place them in any convenient corner—usually in the kitchen.

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READY NOW FOR WIND AND WAVE

The Opening of the Tiburon Draw Took Place Yesterday.

The Yacht Fleet Came Out and Immediately Went Into Commission.

Arrival of the T F Oakes, on Which 95 Per Cent Reinsurance Was Paid.

The opening of the "draw" at Tiburon and the burning of the clubhouse at Sausalito were almost simultaneous yesterday. The yachts that had wintered in the lagoon back of Belvidere came out about noon yesterday, while those that were at anchor in Richardson's Bay witnessed the conflagration. A boat's crew was sent ashore from the yacht Lurline and did considerable service, while the men on the Rover did gallant work.

As the yachts left the basin they made a pretty picture, as can be seen from Coulter's reproduction of the scene.

There was trouble at the Folsom-street landing yesterday. The launch Amy was carrying passengers to and from the battleship Oregon and a great many were taking passage. At 2 P. M. about eight men sought to go out on the launch, but as they had liquor secreted about their persons, Henry Peterson would not allow them to go out to the man-of-war. Every one of the eight had to unload his flasks, and Peterson's boathouse looked like a ginshop before the Amy started on the 3:30 P. M. trip.

A new ark is to be added to the fleet next summer. Commodore Boechke of the New California boarding-house on East street has one almost ready for launching. As he is a married man and has a baker's dozen in his family the ark is of no small proportions. She will be launched from the ways at Sausalito, and as the commodore expects many visitors during his cruise he has constructed a tender, which is now almost completed and which will be launched from the foot of Folsom street next Wednesday.

The George Skolfield got away from Howard I yesterday on her annual cruise to the canneries. Chinese and whites intermingled as the big vessel left the dock, and the question is which made the biggest demonstration as the vessel was towed into the stream. The men on the Skolfield are bound for a new fishing ground and one and all anticipate a big catch of salmon.

The scow schooner Tar and Tartar had a narrow escape yesterday. She was loaded with ballast and capsized during a squall at the bulkhead, between Green and Union streets. She was righted, however, during the afternoon and will be in commission again to-morrow.

The Willis R. Hume that was put in quarantine last week on account of the crew being afflicted with Asiatic boils and also from having come from an infected port, was released yesterday and docked at Folsom 2. The stories about her being in a filthy condition were grossly exaggerated and the barkentine showed up as well if not better than nine-tenths of the vessels that came in from a long sea voyage.

A surprise came over the wires to the Merchants' Exchange yesterday. The well-known trader, T. F. Oakes, from Hongkong for New York, has long been given up as lost, and 95 per cent reinsurance has been paid on her. She was out 262 days, and the next longest trip was that of the British ship Somali, which took 147 days to come from Hongkong to San Francisco. Both vessels came around the Cape of Good Hope, and both had very hard luck, but the Oakes evidently got the worst of it.

DANCED LIKE FAIRIES.

Children of Beth Israel Present "Ruth and Naomi" to a Crowded House.

Little Ones Almost Smothered in Floral Offerings From Appreciative Friends.

The California Theater was crowded to the doors yesterday afternoon to witness the production of the cantata, "Ruth and Naomi," given by the Children of Beth Israel.

Mrs. L. A. Morgenstern and Mrs. S. Myerson had charge of the affair, and they are to be congratulated on the success it achieved.

Mothers, fathers, uncles, aunts, cousins and friends filled the theater to overflowing and fairly smothered the little ones with their floral offerings.

All was smiles and applause and it made no difference whose child was singing or dancing, they applauded just the same. There will certainly be a decided increase in the glove trade for the next few days, but there will be no complaining, for it was worth it all. From tiny little Sibyl Goldstein up to pretty Phoebe Wolff the children all acquitted themselves in a manner that reflected credit on their teachers.

Alice Lewis was Ruth and Sadie Mendesohn Naomi. Both girls have pretty voices and did very well. Rose Fulda made a manly Boaz; indeed, her make-up was so realistic that few would have known her to be a girl if it had not been for her sweet soprano voice. Leo Levy made a decided hit. He is the possessor of a very musical voice and more than the usual amount of dramatic ability.

The dancing was a leading feature of the entertainment.

There were several ballets, each one prettier than the other. Little Adele Morgenstern did some very pretty work. She is a pretty, graceful little girl, with all the self-possession of a professional.

Rabbi Levy made a short address and presented Miss Minnie Dreyfuss with a framed vote of thanks from the little dancers whose teacher she was.

The Sunday-school, for the benefit of which the cantata was got up, will reap a most substantial sum from the production.

IN THE HANDBALL COURTS.

Ex-Alderman Dunne of New York and T. F. Bonnet Play a Match.

Ex-Alderman James Dunne of New York will leave for home this morning after showing for the few days he has been here the local handball players some of the tricks of the game that were new to them.

He played a single-handed game Friday afternoon in the San Francisco court against John Riordan, the coast champion, and won easily by three games to one. It was then suggested to him that T. F. Bonnet, who had defeated Riordan Thursday afternoon, might give him a hard battle for supremacy, and the veteran at once expressed his willingness to play him.

The match was played yesterday afternoon and the court was crowded to the doors, a large number being unable to find standing room. Every player of any note in the City was present, and among the most enthusiastic were Detectives Roche and Conroy of Sydney, Australia. Several heavy bets were made on the result, but all were declared off, as the match ended in a draw. J. C. Nealon acted as scorer and referee.

The first game was a scorcher, and was won by Bonnet. Dunne scored the next two games and Bonnet the fourth. This left them two games each, and it was mutually agreed to call the match off owing to the failing light.

A finer game was never seen in the court, and Bonnet proved that he can take rank among the best players anywhere. He was in splendid form and made good use of his head as well as his hands. In the most exciting rallies he used excellent judgment. The veteran played with his usual coolness and rare judgment and notwithstanding that he was double the age of his opponent he seemed as fresh as a daisy at the end.

Following were the games played in the San Francisco Court yesterday:

M. McLaughlin and R. Adams defeated J. Moffitt and W. M. McLaughlin, 21—14, 16—21, 21—19. W. Aitken and G. Sanderman, defeated P. Steiner and F. Knobloch, 21—12, 15—21, 21—20. D. Rodgers and P. Ryan defeated M. McNeil and G. McDonald 21—16, 18—21, 21—15. W. Stansbury and C. Carson defeated M. Basch and D. Regan, 21—14, 13—21, 21—17. M. McClure and W. Stansbury defeated E. Curley and M. McLaughlin, 21—13, 16—21, 21—18. P. Hutchinson and J. Lawless defeated A. Pennoyer and G. Hutchinson, 21—15, 16—21, 21—19. R. Murphy and E. Toy defeated J. Collins and E. Curley, 21—13, 15—21, 21—18.

Ex-Alderman Dunne of New York played against T. F. Bonnet and each won two games. Score:

Dunne	16	21	21	18
Bonnet	21	12	20	21

THEATER-GOERS' GUIDE.

The Several Places That Can Be Visited To-Night by Those Who Seek Amusement.

To-night Fanny Davenport will commence the second and last week of her engagement in this City. The play to be offered will be "Gismonda," in which Miss Davenport will assume the leading role, supported by Melbourne MacDowell and the rest of the company.

"The Foundling," with Cissy Fitzgerald and her catching wink, will be continued at the Columbia Theater this evening. Miss Fitzgerald will, for the first time, give her famous hoop-skirt dance, which was the season's furore while she danced it in New York.

"The Great Northwest" will be presented at the Grand Opera-house to-night. In the production of this melodrama will be introduced two startling scenes—a blizzard and a prairie fire. Irma Fitch has been engaged to play soubrette parts, and will make her first appearance.

There is to be, in accordance with the established rule of the Alcazar Theater, "a new piece every Monday night," a change of programme at this house this evening. The play to be offered is, "The Strategists." It is a comedy that produces a laugh for three hours.

"Her Majesty's Ship Pinafore" was run into the theatrical drydock on Sunday night, and this evening the management of the Tivoli Opera-house will produce "The Merry Wives of Windsor," a comic opera, which has been in preparation for some time past.

The attractions at the Orpheum Music Hall this evening will include many new features presented by new people. There will be an artistic novelty in Henry Lee, who will present "Great Men, Past and Present"; then there are new musicians, acrobats and comedians.

Those who are fond of roller-skating and outdoor amusements will find what is to their liking at the Paul Boynton Chutes. For want of ice in this City a smooth floor and rollers have to be substituted for skates. There are many who go to the Chutes to glide.

The great indoor bicycle meet in the Mechanics' Pavilion is attracting a good share of the public attention, and this evening there will be a number of crackerjacks moving around the great circle in the race for speed and endurance.

The French Opera Company will give to the lovers of music at the California Theater tomorrow night (to-night being an off night) "Les Huguenots." This will be followed by "La Navarraise," "Mignon," "Faust," "Aida," "Voyage of Suzette" and "Sigurd."

WHAT IS THEOSOPHY?

Dr. Dharmapala Explains That It Is Understood by the Pure Only.

Dr. Dharmapala lectured to a large audience at Native Sons' Hall last evening, his subject being "What Is Theosophy?"

"Theosophy," he said, "is that transcendental science which teaches us to lead a noble spiritual life. It can only be known by those who are pure and unselfish.

"The spiritual student must put aside all sensuality and devote his life to the work of uplifting humanity. No man can sell theosophical science. The man who says he can teach theosophy for a price has nothing that is worth giving. True theosophists give—they cannot get."

The speaker spoke in highly eulogistic terms of Colonel Olcutt and Mme. Blavatsky, and particularly of their work in India, where they had taught the natives their own forgotten science. Mme. Blavatsky, he said, had brought new truths to the western world which had been revealed to her by the great masters.

He concluded by counseling his hearers to devote the energies they were now devoting to dissipation and pleasure to the development of their own individuality and spiritual natures.

Flourished a Revolver.

J. P. Egan, emanuensis for Ex-Champion Corbett, was arrested on Market street yesterday on a charge of carrying a concealed weapon. He had imbibed too much liquor, and a crowd of small boys followed behind him. He pulled a revolver out of his pocket and was flourishing it in the air when Coleman arrested him. Judge Low released him on his own recognizance.

Sarah Bernhardt has always had an almost morbid dread of fire, and this has led her to direct that all her stage dresses shall be of fireproof material.

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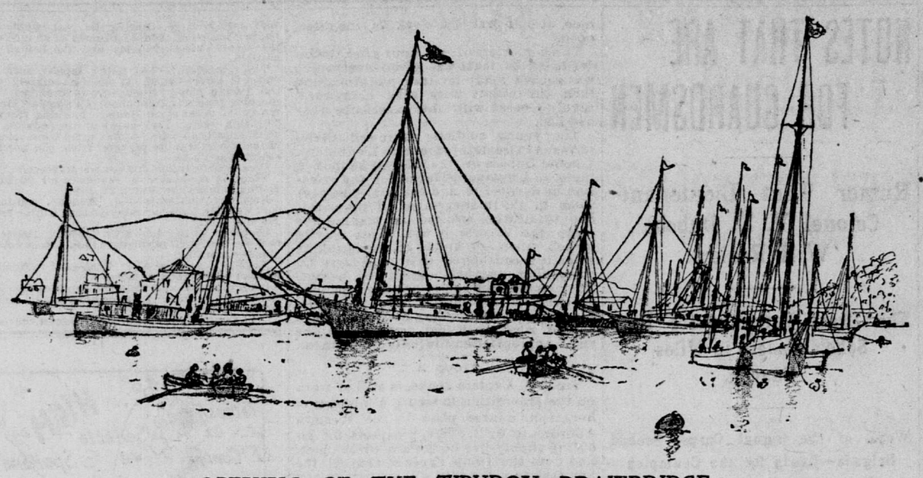

OPENING OF THE TIBURON DRAWBRIDGE.

The Yachts That Were Laid Up for the Winter Got Under Way Yesterday, and as Soon as the Drawbridge Was Opened Made for Richardsons Bay. The Aeolus Led the Way, and the Fleet Made a Pretty Picture While Moving Into Summer Quarters.

MARKSMEN AT SCHUETZEN PARK

San Francisco Turn Verein at the San Rafael Grounds.

California Schuetzen Club Holds Its Regular Monthly Medal Shoot.

Arrangements Being Made for the Opening of the Park for the Summer Season.

The California Schuetzen Club held its regular monthly bullseye shoot yesterday at Schutzen Park, near San Rafael. The sun shone brightly, and save for a slight wind the day was perfect. The light on the targets was good and enthusiasm ran high.

The Schuetzen Section of the Verein Eintracht also held its regular monthly bullseye shoot, and the monthly medal shoot of the San Francisco Turn Verein took place on the San Rafael grounds.

Philo Jacoby was at Schuetzen Park yesterday, completing the arrangements for the grand opening of the grounds, when the California Schuetzen Club will offer prizes to the extent of $1275 for the best shooting. The 4th of April has been set as the day for the opening, and Mr. Jacoby states that over 5000 people will be present.

In the bullseye shoot of the Schuetzen Verein Eintracht the following were successful, in the order of arrangement:

F. Hagerup, J. Zahn, C. Ehlinger, L. Schmidt, C. Over, J. Young, C. Gumbel, F. Kuhls, C. Guehrstedt, J. Rohrer, C. von Harting.

Two good scores were made by J. F. Robinson and J. Dawson, members of Company D, Fifth Regiment, N. G. C. They each made 47 on a military target twice.

The San Francisco Turn Verein in its monthly medal shoot made the following scores:

Champion class—John Utschig 400 rings, Captain Attington 380 rings. First class—Chris Eging 406, Charles Sagehorn 385. Second class—C. Neilsen 322, H. Klamburg 298. Third class—Joe Grassner 302. First best shot, R. Finking, 22; last best shot, R. Finking, 24.

In the California Schuetzen Club's monthly bullseye shoot Louis Ritzau took first place and J. Wollmer second.

THE MILITARY SHOTS.

Many Good Marksmen Will Stay Away From the State Contest.

The contests for the musket and revolver championships of the State among the members of the National Guard of California will be held in Sacramento on next Saturday. All who in the last spring and fall shoots qualified by making 90 per cent are eligible to contest for State decorations.

The arrangements of the authorities for the big event are anything but satisfactory to the military marksmen, who regard the contest as more of a dice-shaking proposition than a test of marksmanship, and they believe that the results will make them the laughing-stock of the military shooters of the United States.

The reason is this: When they shot for qualification they were permitted to use Springfield muskets and Colt's army revolvers, with which they are familiar. They were allowed to load their own cartridges so long as they loaded for the musket with sixty-six grains of powder and bullets not weighing less than 405 grains. Their revolver practice was with such factory ammunition adapted to the weapon as best suited them.

Under the regulations governing the contest the marksmen are compelled to shoot rifle cartridges furnished by the State, and the size of the load, weight of bullet and freshness of the powder are unknown to the marksmen.

The proposition that it is just as fair for one as for the other does not hold, for the contest is supposed to be to determine who is the best shot. This can only be done by letting each shoot under the best conditions to himself so long as he observes the general rules with regard to loading his ammunition, trigger pull, etc. As stated the marksmen regard the coming contest more in the light of a dice-shaking game and a large number of the best shots have asserted that they will not go to Sacramento and make monkeys of themselves with strange ammunition.

However the local interest in rifle shooting is not decreased with the militia boys. A large number were at their favorite haunt, the Shell Mound range, yesterday. The light was good, but the wind was strong, gusty and chilling.

The scores made on the military targets, off hand, ten shots, were as follows:

Company F of the Fifth—P. H. Bray 40, C. W. Scott 34, H. B. Gerrish 23, F. Howland 42, A. N. Brewis 35, F. Miller 37, C. R. Frazier 27, W. R. Griffin 42, C. Cary 37, F. Barker 34, J. Harford 37, A. Harbridge 33, J. Swanson 28, A. Sears 36, W. Sears 41, W. E. Blakely 10, J. Peterson 36, C. P. Griffin 35, F. M. Smith 21, P. F. Johnson 43, M. H. Morse 37, R. Hanson 39, A. D. Wilson 29, J. McCrudden 17, S. R. Mudge 40, A. Hansen 33, H. Stevenson 26, F. Schulze 29, J. S. Carney 38, Lieutenant Wink 41.

Company A of the Fifth—Sergeant Brier 39, Corporal Littlefield 31, Kohler 24, Sergeant Dickinson 34, King 35, J. T. Grismore 37, De Poy 33, P. Munroe 29, Lieutenant Hunt 29, Sergeant Downie 43, Captain Poulter 43, Corporal Gait 42, G. Langford 29, Peterson 34, C. E. Tabor 32, G. Smith 28, Moore 29, Bodwell 32, Cron 23, Glass 34, C. Puckett 29, J. Ellis 33, Sergeant Strong 41, Jumper 22, C. Ellis 42, J. W. McCombs 31, J. C. Bergner 29, Lieutenant Vaughn 40, G. W. Puckett 42, Grismore 36, Captain Poulter 36.

Company L of the First—Captain Eggert 41, McMenomy 37, Lieutenant Addler 38, Reardon 38, H. G. Leffman 30, Sergeant Burleson 38, J. Lauber 35, French 31, Rogers 30, Sergeant Grundman 41, Leary 18, Ziemer 3, Davis 33, Lieutenant Curzons 38, E. A. Williams 33, W. D. Williams 28, Corporal Foley 38, H. J. Leffman 23.

Company B of the First (City Guard)—G. Ungerman 42, D. Briggs 30, C. Creigton 14, M. Cresslin 30, J. Cresalis 6, G. Bell 30, E. Fitzgerald 27, C. Lindecker 41, C. Perry 45, G. Clausenius 43, W. Poll 32, G. Filmer 41, E. L. Filmer 40, T. Woods 35, J. R. Wear 42, Hawley 22, T. Giesen 30, W. L. Overstreet 33, E. B. Peppen 40, L. R. Townsend 39, A. E. H. Apthorpe 37, H. B. Sullivan 35, W. H. Krug 37.

Knights of the Red Branch Rifles (practice)—Joseph Louehrey 36, E. Kahill 33, P. Donohoe 36, Pat Kahill 28, Lieutenant M. Mau 12 39, Lieutenant M. Casey 38, J. J. Rogerson 40, Sergeant Russell 38, James Smith 43, A. Whetton 36, J. J. Louehrey 16, J. Kiliamede 15, M. Lane 26, John McKenna 32, John Green 36, James Campbell 38, P. J. Marron 17.

Chris Meyer of Company C and J. F. Norton of Company G fired eight scores of ten shots with the following results:

Meyer—45, 48, 44, 42, 43, 46, 45, 44. Norton—44, 45, 42, 43, 47, 43, 44, 44.

Eight men in Company A arranged a private match of four men to a side. The purse was won by J. Vaughn's team, as shown by the following:

J. Vaughn 41, Kid Puckett 37, C. Ellis 45, Tait 39. Total 162.

G. W. Puckett 45, Captain Poulter 42, Littlefield 39, Grismore 25. Total 151.

AT THE OBERON.

Commemoration Programme in Honor of the One Hundredth Birthday of Kaiser William I.

To-day being the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of the Emperor William I of Germany, a grand commemoration programme will be rendered this evening at the Oberon by Herr Stark and his orchestra. Mr. Fischer, proprietor of the resort, has augmented the orchestra for the occasion, and a rare programme, arranged by Herr Stark, has been neatly printed in the German national colors—red, black and white.

The members of the Deutscher Krieger Verein, composed of veterans of the late Franco-German war, as well as all ex-German soldiers residing in the City, will be in attendance. "The Kaiser March," composed by Herr Theodore Vogt of San Francisco, will be an especial feature of the musical celebration.

BITTEN BY A DOG.

Thomas Cooney, a Boy, Nearly Loses His Nose.

Thomas Cooney, a boy six years of age, living with his parents at 1646 Alabama street, was playing with a dog yesterday afternoon when the animal bit him on the nose so severely that the point was hanging as if by a thread.

Policeman Blackman took the boy to the City and County Hospital, where the wound was stitched and dressed. The boy is young and may not be disfigured.

The boy belongs to Michael Cradd, an expressman, who lives in the neighborhood, and the boy's parents will insist upon the animal being shot.

A Union Mass-Meeting.

There will be a splendid evangelistic service at the Young Men's Christian Association Auditorium, Mason and Ellis streets, this evening at 8 o'clock, to be conducted by Ira D. Sankey of New York. The service will be free for all. By special request Mr. Sankey will sing several of his most popular selections.

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Misses' fine pebble grain button, pebble tip, spring heel; sizes 11 to 2.. .....$1 15

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Infants' fine kid button, patent leather tip; sizes 2 to 6; sold regularly at 75c, this week..... 45c

Child's fine cloth-top button, kid tips, spring heel; sizes 5 to 7½; regular $1 quality, this week..... 75c

Child's pebble grain button, pebble tip, spring heel; sizes 5 to 7½..... 80c
Sizes 8 to 10½, to pull out..... 90c

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MAIL ORDERS PROMPTLY FILLED.

THE BOULEVARD'S RAPID PROGRESS

A Good Showing Already Made on the New Drive.

Many Visitors Go to View the Work the Men Are Doing.

The Vice-President of the Organized Unemployed Says They Are Willing to Work for $1 a Day.

A large number of visitors went out yesterday to see how the new boulevard is progressing. There were so many carriages, buggies, bicycles and pedestrians on the road thither and back that it somewhat resembled a procession.

The work is rapidly going forward. A big hill has been partly cut down and the ravine just below the Almshouse has been so far filled up that vehicles can pass. The timber has been cut away for about an eighth of a mile. Superintendent Egan says in a week from to-day they will have completed a mile of the driveway, and in a few days it will be so far opened up that a view of the ocean can be had from the bottom of the hill where the road passes the Almshouse.

The hardest part of the grading will be accomplished with the cutting through of the first hill, which is now half done. All they need is more funds to quickly open up the new drive, for there are plenty of hard workers ready to buckle down to the job for a dollar a day.

Chairman McCord says there were 260 men at work Saturday and there will be 300 to-day. They have a contribution box put up on the side of the tool shed so that the pilgrims out there can help the enterprise along.

The number of organized unemployed quartered in the old Armory Hall on Howard street is now reduced to 600. A number have found employment and many have gone away. They had a meeting yesterday afternoon in which they decided to reject the new headquarters the committee selected for them on Second street because they were too small. The place where they now are is so crowded it is difficult to get all the men fed, because so few can sit at the table at once. The men are sleeping on the bare floor, most of them with very light covering over them and some with none.

Vice-President F. T. Merrill says that the men are perfectly willing to work for $1 a day and will take any sort of work offered. There are men, he says, in the organization representing nearly all trades, but they are willing to try to adapt themselves to any new occupations that will give them a living.

The men have some hopes of hearing again from an Oregon miner who talked of employing 150 of them. Vice-President Merrill says that three times the number called for had offered to go.

The organized men have a grievance against the Salvation Army, and they take no interest in the Salvationists' proposal of sending them to the country. They are not averse to going to the country under other auspices, however.

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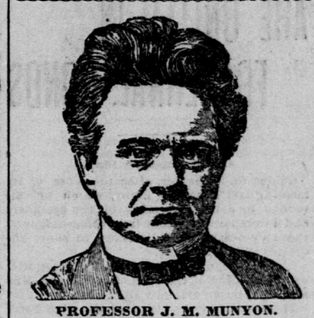

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