

# OAKLAND WANTS THE NEW ROAD

### The Citizens' Committee Is Ready to Make Definite Overtures.

### EVERY EFFORT PUT FORTH FOR VICTORY.

### A New Ferry Contemplated and Carshops and a Terminal Are Urged.

### PEOPLE ENCOURAGED OVER THE PROSPECTS.

### An Important Meeting Showing That the People Are Awake and Will Work With a Will.

OAKLAND, April 22.—Oakland is determined to have the Valley line if possible. Citizens met Wednesday night and a committee of fifteen got ready to make decided overtures to the railroad company and a terminal were urged for this city.

The committee consisted of fifteen representative citizens, and it was marked with great enthusiasm. Besides the committee several interested citizens were present. The members of the committee were: Mayor W. R. Thomas, J. P. Farver, W. V. Wittich, J. E. Talbot, F. K. Mott, W. H. Pringle, W. R. Davis, E. A. Heron, George C. Pardee, E. C. Sessions, J. A. Britton, J. F. Towle, M. J. Keller, Robert Smith, D. E. Collins and Webb N. Pearce.

Mayor Thomas called the meeting to order, and as this was the first general gathering of the kind, the matter of choosing permanent officers was first taken up.

W. R. Davis nominated the Mayor for chairman and the motion unanimously prevailed.

Webb N. Pearce was elected secretary, and then W. R. Davis spoke, saying: "I gathered from the reports that the railroad people felt predisposed to make a terminal here, coming in from the north. They said considerable about the question of rights of way, and I think it is probable that they will make some proposition to them, though I do not know that any definite declaration was made."

"They answered a question direct," interposed Mayor Thomas, "and said that they did want to come to Oakland, and would get in here if they could from the north. They did not want to give us the go-by, and it is certain they want to come here if they can."

"When it was asked whether they would consider coming in on the California and Nevada line," continued the Mayor, "they did not say it would be acceptable, but that they intended to have their engineers make surveys along the route to see what could be done."

The discussion then took a general turn and it was determined that some terminal should be found north of Seventh street, toward the western end of the city.

E. A. Heron suggested that an executive committee of five be appointed by the chair to ascertain what the railroad wants and what rights of way can be reasonably assured.

M. J. Keller wanted resolutions passed to the effect that the committee believes it is able to secure a right of way into Oakland, in order to get the matter properly to the front.

Others thought differently, some being of the idea that a number of suitable terminals should be determined on first.

The Mayor believed the executive committee was a good idea. It was put in the form of a motion and carried. The following were chosen: E. A. Heron, W. B. Pringle, M. J. Keller, E. C. Sessions and W. V. Wittich.

The Mayor offered the following: "Resolved, That the committee shall offer the best efforts to get the Valley road into Oakland, the amount of the financial aid to be determined by the location of the terminal."

It was unanimously carried. W. R. Davis mentioned the fact that the city could not afford to give rights of way, but the railroad could do so.

E. A. Heron suggested that the committee should be authorized to make a nation most remarkable for health and longevity. The plain, undecorated facts about Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery are all that is necessary to convince fair-minded people of its transcendent merit. They are as follows:

A disinterested and clear-headed judge doesn't allow himself to be biased by prejudice. Superstition doesn't affect his decisions. Mere tradition has no place in his reasoning. Facts are the only things that count. If the intelligent men and women who make up this great country of ours will simply bring their reason and common-sense to bear on the problem of curing their sickness, we will soon see a nation most remarkable for health and longevity. The plain, undecorated facts about Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery are all that is necessary to convince fair-minded people of its transcendent merit. They are as follows:

The germs get into the blood, propagate and increase in the blood, which carries them all over the body. When they find a weak spot, they make it weaker. The disease is called by the name corresponding to its location in the body. The cause is the same for nearly all diseases. All impurities are germs, or breed germs. Impure blood means germ-filled blood. Kill the germs, eliminate the impurities, enrich the blood, and it will force itself into the diseased spot and strengthen it, and give it power to throw off the germs that exist there. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is designed to do this—the theory. The facts are these—tens of thousands of people have used the "Discovery." It used to be sold with the understanding that it didn't cure, it should be returned, and the money refunded. Nobody ever asked for the money, and so that clause was dropped. Thousands of people have written voluntary letters of thanks to its discoverer. A few of these great thousands are included in Dr. Pierce's great thousand-page book, Common Sense Medical Adviser. It will be sent absolutely free on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to pay for mailing only. Address, with stamps, World's Dispensary Medical Association, No. 663 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

might incorporate as a terminal corporation, and thus be able to bring suits. It was finally decided, however, that the subject was somewhat premature at present.

The question was brought up as to whether the railroad people expected Oakland to furnish a complete right of way from here to Point Richmond. Some thought this was the idea, while others believed a route from the charter line in the city was the only matter involved. It was decided to leave the question with the executive committee.

The committee then adjourned to meet again at the call of the chair, when reports will be received from the sub-organization.

**LOUIE QUONG FREED.**  
Missing Witnesses in the Perjury Case Could Not Be Found.

United States Attorney Foote appeared before Judge Morrow yesterday morning and stated that the United States officers had been unable to find the principal witness against Louie Quong, indicted for perjury. He therefore moved that the case be dismissed. Judge Morrow granted the motion and ordered the prisoner discharged.

Louie Quong was a Chinese interpreter employed in the Custom-house with Dick Williams, now under indictment. On the 17th of Wong Sun in March, 1896, charged with importing into San Francisco a few women named Dung Sun Yet, Quong swore that he had not accompanied the woman to a photographer in Chinatown, and had her picture taken in imitation of work done by a Hongkong photograph gallery. Several Chinese witnesses swore that Quong had taken the woman there, and produced the photograph in evidence. After Louie Quong's arrest the witnesses disappeared and could not again be found.

# KNIGHTS TEMPLAR ELECT OFFICERS

### George D. Metcalf Is Chosen for the New Grand Commander.

### The Grand Generalissimo Is John F. Merrill of This City.

### Big Competitive Drill To-Night in Aid of the Widows' and Orphans' Home at Decoto

At 10 o'clock yesterday morning the thirty-ninth annual convocation of the Grand Commandery of the Knights Templar opened at the Masonic Temple and will continue for three days. There was a very large attendance and much interest was taken in the election of the various officers for the ensuing year.

The first thing, however, that commanded the attention of the members

of that is rapidly increasing in population, and is easily accessible from all parts of the city.

The following are the officers of Mission Lodge No. 169, F. and A. M.:

Andrew Christenson, W. M.; William H. Cobb, S. W.; Fred H. Glendon, J. W.; George D. Flack, treasurer; Charles D. Bunker, secretary; Charles A. Day, S. D.; Charles W. Sturges, J. D.; Charles F. Libby, marshal; Charles E. Benedict and William C. Ordway, stewards; Charles Gilsham, tyler.

Following are the directors of Mission Lodge, Masonic Hall Association:

Harvey C. Somers, president; James P. Hodgson, vice-president; George D. Flack, treasurer; Henry C. Bunker, secretary; James W. Keyston and Andrew Christenson.

The cornerstone will be laid Saturday, April 24, at 2 p. m., under the auspices of the Grand Lodge of California, F. and A. M. The procession will start from the present lodge hall at Sixteenth and Valencia streets, thence to Nineteenth, to Mission and to the site of the new building.

**SUES THE DIVISION.**  
California Branch of the Wheelmen's League Winds Up in a League Tangle.

N. A. Hancock, as the assignee of Hancock Bros., P. N. Long and H. F. Wynne, has sued the North California Division, League of American Wheelmen, for \$100.

Hancock Bros. were the official printers of the division, and there is a balance of \$110 owing them. P. N. Long wants \$25 as the balance of his retainer as attorney of the organization, and Wynne claims that he was authorized to spend \$25 for expenses which he did out of his own pocket and was never reimbursed.

The plaintiff has attached 1400 road-books belonging to the division, valued at \$500, to secure his claim.



The Masonic Widows' and Orphans' Home at Decoto, for the Benefit of Which the Drill Will Be Given by the Knights Templar To-Night.

# CHASED AND CAPTURED.

### John Edwards, a Burglar, Discovered in a Rooming-House.

### When Arrested a Number of Stolen Articles Were Found in His Pockets.

John Edwards, a "dope fiend," 30 years of age, was booked at the City Prison last night by Policeman P. H. Murphy on a charge of burglary.

Edwards by means of skeleton keys entered the rooming-house of Miss Mallett, 402 O'Farrell street. He ransacked the room occupied by Mrs. Saunders and then made a visit to Mrs. Munro's room.

David Vincent, one of the roomers, on reaching the house about 6:30 o'clock saw Mrs. Munro's door open, and thinking it strange he looked in. Some one shut the door from the inside. He thought it was Mrs. Munro's boy and walked up to the door. He tried to open the door, but the person inside held it tight.

Vincent succeeded in forcing it open a few inches, when he saw enough to convince him that a burglar was inside.

Vincent left the room, locking the door and taking the key with him. He went to the grocery on the corner of O'Farrell and Taylor and got a revolver. Thus armed he returned to the house and met Edwards, who had used his skeleton keys with effect, coming downstairs.

Edwards dashed past Vincent, who started in pursuit, and J. S. Lean joined him. Policeman Murphy saw the chase and, running up Taylor street, he intercepted Edwards at Williams street and arrested him.

Edwards was taken to the rooming-house and Miss Mallett identified him as a young man she saw in the house. He was then taken to the City Prison, and on being searched a souvenir silver spoon, five silver trinkets, lady's gold pin, a pair of opera-glasses and several other articles were found in his pockets.

Edwards was also found in his pockets. Several other items were found in his pockets, and the police believe Edwards has been the man.

# CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR NEWS.

### Several New Appointments Made on the Users' and Press Committees.

The '97 committee of the Society for Christian Endeavor met last evening at its headquarters in the Y. M. C. A. building. Owing to the absence of the chairman, Rolla Watt, there was not very much done. Several appointments were made on the users' committee as follows:

D. F. Parker, Professor Ham, J. T. Nash and Walker Ames.

On an entertainment report the progress of assigning hotel accommodations for the Eastern State delegations. It was reported that at the present time there was more accommodation than provided for State delegations than had been arranged for at the opening of some of the previous international conventions.

Dr. D. G. Campbell, president of the California State Union, and Dr. W. Reid, State secretary of the same union, were present to make arrangements for space for the California State Union delegation at the Mechanics' Pavilion during the coming convention.

Of the '97 committee there were present C. Z. Merritt, Purcell Rowe, Donald Macder, C. F. Baker, Rev. William Rader, Dr. Dill and G. B. Littlefield.

# ART SPRING EXHIBITION.

### Local Talent Presents Many Original Drawings and Paintings.

### All the Popular Artists' Well Represented and Many New Names in the Line.

By special invitation last evening a large number of the patrons of the Hopkins Art Institute attended the opening of the art spring exhibition, which from to-day on will be thrown open to the general public.

Three exhibitions of local art works within the limited period of a year must be urged as an excuse for the rather meager showing made by California artists. What the exhibition lacked in numbers, however, was made up in general excellence. All the popular artists were well represented, and many new names were noticed in the line.

The exhibit was worthy a greater attendance than the specially invited saw fit to honor it with. Not more than 100 representative art lovers loitered through the spacious rooms or toyed with the catalogues before some specially admired picture.

There were no favorites. Each exhibitor apparently had a few, but no painting however modest lacked its little knot of kindly interest.

Edwards showed several pictures. His "Solitude" a restful study in brown and white, with a high light shining through the trees, was greatly admired. His "Meadow" with its calm, cool atmosphere, and the dainty bit, "Sunset," found many admirers.

Mary Curtis Richardson's "Sketch for a Portrait" was among the most pleasing of figure studies.

Chris Jorgensen's "Coast, Near Santa Cruz," was especially admired for its rich coloring.

R. D. Yelland's "Autumn Twilight, Long Island, New York," was a striking study of light and shade done in the art of a dainty bit of reality was A. P. Niles' "Shady Road."

The lights and shadows in Clara E. Curtis' "Summer" were cleverly managed.

Mary T. Menton's dainty little color piece, "A Study in Violets," was greatly admired.

G. Cadenezo showed a pretty landscape, "Spring," which was chiefly noticeable for its delicate coloring.

Other pictures from the country with its breath of spring was William Keith's "From the Berkeley Hills—Springtime."

Keith's "Sunset" showed exquisite coloring and tenderness of poetic sentiment rarely attained.

Other pictures which drew forth favorable criticism were Jules Page's "Museum at Cluny, Paris" and "Chittenden's 'Chrysanthemums,' Mary Curtis Richardson's 'Childhood,' Charles Rollo Peters' 'Cypress Tree, Moonlight,' and his 'Moonrise,' Elizabeth Curtis O'Sullivan's 'Portrait,' Jules Page Jr.'s 'Fish Alley, Chittenden,' and Evelyn McCormick's 'Sandhills, Monterey.'

Custom-House Regulations. Collector of the Port Wise issued the following notice yesterday to importers and brokers:

# NEW HALL.

### Mission Lodge of Masons Will Lay the Cornerstone Next Saturday.

On June 28, 1863, a few enterprising members of the Masonic order met at the hall corner of Center (which is now Sixteenth) and Valencia streets and formulated a petition to the Most Worshipful William C. Heicher, grand master of Masons of California, for a dispensation authorizing them to organize a Masonic lodge in the district.

On September 7, 1863, the desired dispensation was granted and on September 15 Mission Lodge, with thirteen members, began its work there.

The charter was July 24, 1894, and the lodge is now the statistics show it to be one of the strongest lodges, both numerically and financially, in the State.

From its original thirteen charter members it has increased to 550 active members at the present time, and its charters have been dispensed judiciously and liberally.

Feeling the need of larger quarters the Mission Lodge Masonic Hall Association was incorporated, both the lodge and members subscribing to the stock and a lot on the corner of Fourteenth and Guerrero streets purchased, which the association still owns. The location not being central enough the present lot on Mission street, between Twenty-second and Twenty-third, was purchased 54 feet front by 125 feet in depth, on which a substantial brick building is being erected. There will be two stories on the ground floor, with a large hall with some organ lot and secretary's office, and one smaller hall and banquet-room.

The main hall or lodgroom will be the largest of its kind in the State outside of the Masonic Temple in this City. The new hall is situated in the center of a dis-

# HELPING TO LIVE WITH THE LEPERS

### One Woman Who Would Devote Her Whole Life to Them.

### Mrs. Sarah J. Hutchinson Makes an Offer to the Board of Health.

### Feels Called to Make Their Lives More Bearable—She Talks of Her Plans.

There is one woman in this City who is self-sacrificing enough to wish to devote her life to the unfortunate being who are immured for life in that dismal, dilapidated building called the Pesthouse. She asks for no pay, no emoluments, nothing but the permission to make their lives, while they last, more bearable by rendering their moldy prison more homelike.

This is the letter she addressed to the Board of Health on the subject yesterday:

Mr. President, and Gentlemen of the Board of Health: I have a petition to bring before you in regard to the lepers now confined in the Pesthouse; I may perhaps be more properly called a request. I wish to ask you to give me the care and of course put it in my power to make them as comfortable as the inmates of the hospital are made. If I could have them as my own children, their life is a hard one at the best, after all has been done that can be to alleviate their condition, and the Lord will give me a great loving pity for them wherever found.

I lean about two years ago to try for the purpose of going to Honolulu and have since been to the Marquesas Islands in their behalf, but my services are not needed there. I did not get the letters at the Pesthouse until my return from Hawaii, but they do not seem to me to make a home. I have been to see them and hereby offer my services as a homemaker for the lepers confined at the Pesthouse, with all the help that my home-maker has, of course, always with the approval of the board.

I do not wish any salary, but will provide everything myself except that I should wish for board and lodging.

I would like to go more into details with you if you will grant me an interview. Hoping that you will give me serious consideration I am yours, very respectfully,

Mrs. Sarah J. Hutchinson.

Hotel Ramona, last evening Mrs. Hutchinson said that she was actuated to make her proposition to the board mainly because she was concerned for the welfare of the suffering ones. But her feelings of humanity, she explained, cut no small figure with her desire to take charge of the lepers at the Pesthouse.

"I want to do for them as a mother to her children," she added. "They should be taught that for suffering and torture of the flesh the only true remedy lies in the peace that comes through following in the steps of the Lord."

"I am a member of the Holiness Church of Los Angeles, and believe in sanctification—the justification through the highest religious sentiment."

Mrs. Hutchinson was ignorant of why the board had refused her offer. She stated that she handed in her application to the Board of Health at Honolulu to take charge of the lepers at Moakoa, and that it was refused. She was then assigned a second application received the same treatment, and the newspapers simply said, "Refused for the same reason as at first."

# THE PURE FOOD CONGRESS.

### It Will Be Held in the Large Pioneer Hall.

The Pure Food Congress, to be held on April 30 and May 1, will without doubt be a grand success. At the meeting of the Manufacturers' Association and the committee of the Pure Food Congress yesterday there was a very large attendance.

The first matter considered was the place of meeting. It was expected that the gathering would be held in the Chamber of Commerce, but it was quickly seen, after the invitations were sent out, that the place would not be nearly large enough to accommodate the delegates, a large number of whom are coming from the interior cities. It was decided to hold the congress in the Pioneer Hall on Fourth street, near Market. This hall will hold about 450 people. Jacobs reported that so far 411 delegates have promised to attend the congress, and there are more to hear from.

The special committee consisting of Messrs. Rowley, Fisher, Mead, Jacobs and Sonntag, appointed to prepare a programme and the order of business, made its report, showing the manner of opening the congress, appointing committees, etc. The speakers and subjects will be arranged later. It was decided to organize the congress under the supervision of the Manufacturers' and Producers' Association and a committee from the Council of Associated Industries.

# WANTED-A CROSSING.

### Mission Residents Ask an Outlet From Chenery Street to the Mission Road.

The Street Committee of the board of Supervisors held a long discussion yesterday on the subject of making a crossing of the railroad at Roanoke and Milton streets for the purpose of giving residents of the Mission district an outlet from Chenery street to the Mission road.

Supervisor Clinton appeared on behalf of the residents and asked that a grade crossing be made by ordering fences across the ends of Roanoke and Milton streets removed. This, he said, would give the desired result at a small expense.

Chief Engineer Curtis of the railroad company said a grade crossing would be dangerous and the proper way to settle the matter would be to construct a bridge over the tracks.

On the other hand, and by making an under grade crossing at Castro street, gave the desired outlet.

Dr. Clinton objected to this on the ground that it would cost several thousand dollars to construct the bridge which the City would have to pay, while the grade crossing would cost very little. He thought the railroad company desired to save the expense of maintaining a gate there.

The matter went over for two weeks.

# THE CLOSE OF THE SEASON.

### Society of Pioneers Entertained Their Families Last Evening.

The Society of California Pioneers closed their season of entertainment with a pleasant reception to members and their families at Pioneer Hall last evening. Miss Josie Davis presided "The Organ Builder," and was followed by Miss Florence Fair, who sang "Bunker Hill." The vocalist was accompanied by Mrs. Frank Tracy. The entertainment was concluded by a city relicton entitled "I am a California Girl," by Miss Louise Cleveland. The members of the society and friends then mingled in the mazes of the dance, which concluded at 12 o'clock.

NEW TO-DAY-DRY GOODS.

# SPECIAL LEADERS

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# THE NEW SPRING GOODS!

To successfully close another great week's business in New Spring Goods we make a SPECIAL OFFERING of the following stylish and seasonable lines at

### PRICES BARGAIN-BUYERS WILL APPRECIATE!

- LADIES' WAISTS.**
- 50c**—LADIES' LAUNDERED SHIRT WAISTS, "Stanley" make, detachable collars, will be offered at 50c each.
- 75c**—LADIES' LAUNDERED SHIRT WAISTS, detachable collars, in all fancy stripes and figures, will be offered at 75c each.
- \$1.00**—LADIES' LAUNDERED DIMITY SHIRT WAISTS, in all the latest patterns, will be offered at \$1 each.
- \$1.50**—LADIES' FANCY DIMITY AND FIGURED L A W N WAISTS, in the very latest figured patterns, will be offered at \$1.50 each.
- LADIES' KID GLOVES.**
- 60c**—150 dozen 4-BUTTON REAL KID GLOVES, large outsize, black only, regular price \$1, on special sale at 60c a pair.
- 75c**—103 dozen 8-BUTTON LENGTH MOUSQUETAIRE UNDRRESSED KID GLOVES, in dark and medium tan shades, regular price \$1.25, on special sale at 75c a pair.
- MEN'S FURNISHINGS.**
- 50c**—162 dozen MEN'S UNLAUNDERED WHITE SHIRTS, made of Utah Nonpareil cotton, with double backs, r-entorced linen fronts, felled seams and guaranteed perfect fitting, worth \$1, on special sale at 50c each.
- 50c**—50 dozen MEN'S STANLEY AND GOLD SHIRTS, made up in the latest style and of new spring suitings, worth \$1, on special sale at 50c each.
- 50c**—92 dozen MEN'S DERBY RIBBED BALBRIGGAN UNDRER SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, in new tan shades, shirts finished with silk French-ribbed collarettes and drawers double seamed, worth \$1, on special sale at 50c each.
- HANDKERCHIEFS.**
- At 10c Each.**
- LADIES' WHITE HEMSTITCHED L I N E N H A N D K E R C H I E F S (slightly imperfect), regular value \$2.40 a dozen, will be offered at 10c each.
- At 15c Each.**
- LADIES' WHITE HEMSTITCHED L I N E N H A N D K E R C H I E F S (slightly imperfect), regular price \$4 a dozen will be offered at 15c each.
- WASH GOODS.**
- When we want to offer some Leaders in Wash Goods we find it the best way to cut the value in two and close out the lines quickly. We have lots of them, although our Special Sales last week closed out some lines. Our new arrivals require more room. These prices will make it:
- About 250 pieces Fine Grade, Stylis 15c DIMITIES, at.....yard
- About 50 pieces SHEER IMPORT-ED 25c DIMITIES and TISSUES at.....yard
- TAMBOUR, FANTAISIES and other high-grade fabrics at yard
- NICE, FINE INDIA LINONS, the 12 1/2c quality, at.....yard

# HOSIERY DEPARTMENT

- LADIES' FAST BLACK COTTON HOSE, tan and new russet shades, high-spliced h-els, double soles and toes, all sizes, worth 50c a pair, at.....
- LADIES' FINEST BLACK IMPORTED BLACK HOSE, in Maco yarn, plain and ribbed, with white feet, regularly sold at 50c a pair, special at.....
- New Spring, Fancy Two Toned HOSIERY, plain and ribbed, harness buck, special prices, sky, red, lavender, canary and blue, our 50c quality at.....pair

# LADIES' BELTS, Etc.

- LADIES' LEATHER BELTS, colors tan, brown, green and black, harness buck, special prices 25c, 35c and 50c each.
- LADIES' FINE SATIN HOSE SUPPORTERS, colors black, light blue, pink, cardinal and orange, button fastener; special at.....
- REAL BLACK OSTRICH FEATHER COLLARETTES, 18-inch ribbon ties, at \$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50, \$4, \$4.50 and \$5 each up.

# RIBBONS! RIBBONS!

- 3 1/2-INCH ALL-SILK SHADED TAFFETA MOIRE RIBBONS, in assorted colors, value 30c a yard, will be offered at.....yard
- 4-INCH ALL-SILK SHADED TAFFETA MOIRE RIBBONS, in assorted colors, value 40c a yard, will be offered at.....yard

# NEW CLOAKS AND SUITS.

- \$6.00**—LADIES' COVERT CLOTH JACKETS, new sleeves, fly front, all-silk lined, worth \$8.50, on sale at \$6 each.
- \$4.95**—LADIES' SERGE SUITS, fly-front jacket, lined with silk, new sleeve, skirt lined and bound, worth \$7.50, on sale at \$4.95 each.
- \$7.75**—LADIES' LIGHT BROWN COVERT CLOTH SUITS, Bolero Jacket, lined with silk, and bra ornaments in front, skirt lined and bound, worth \$12, on sale at \$7.75 each.
- \$6.50**—LADIES' FIGURED SILK DRESS SKIRTS, full width, double lined and bound, full figures, worth \$10, on sale at \$6.50 each.

**J. J. Orient Co.**  
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Market Street, Corner of Jones,  
San Francisco.

# CHILDREN COUNT WORDS

Thousands of Answers Sent In to the Carnival Contest.

Three of the Lucky Winners Announced Last Night After a Careful Count.

The carnival word contest got up for the children of the State has not lapsed with the carnival, nor will the successful youngsters have to go without their prizes just because the fiesta has gone over for a year.

The lists are all in and have been counted, and the first three prize-winners have been announced.

The idea was to make as many words as possible from the words "Golden Gate Carnival," the words to be good English words and to be found in the dictionary.

Fred Cost, southeast corner of Stockton and Chestnut streets, won first prize with 9236 words; Frank Mighell, 386 Twenty-fourth street, was second, with 8829 words, and Ethel Way, 923 First street, came third, with 8284 words.

The answers were turned over to Miss Lillie Polli of this City, and on her rested the burden of counting and verifying. They came in by thousands. There were lists in blankbooks, on footscep, on wrapping paper, on scraps of old letters.

There were words never in the dictionary, words misspelled and uncounted, some lists not signed, others accompanied by pathetic little notes. They almost filled a room when piled together, and the task of sorting them out was a herculean one. The prizes will be \$20, \$15, \$10 and ten prizes of \$1 each. These will be paid at once from the remainder of the carnival funds. The lists have been coming in for