

GREAT RACING AT OAKLAND

Sport Lovers Out in Large Numbers the Opening Day.

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[From a photograph by Holston.]

mile, for three-year-olds and upward, valued at \$1000, was the special ornamental feature of the programme, and Satsuma, Dr. Rowell's constant horse, piloted by Eddie Jones, proved the surprise.

"THE CALL'S" RACING CHART.

CALIFORNIA JOCKEY CLUB—Oakland Track—Thirteenth day of the Winter Meeting, Monday, November 15, 1897. Weather fine. Track fast.

Racing chart table with columns for race number, horse name, age, weight, and jockey.

but Shasta Water, and the filly commanded steady support with sixes about 1-2. Grady looked to have drawn the burnt end with 115 up, and was a drag in the market.

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KNOCKED DOWN BY A ROBBER

Exciting Experience of Mrs. Catherine Reimers in Her Bakery.

She Surprises a Young Man Crouching Under the Counter Near the Till.

He Strikes Her a Brutal Blow in the Face and Makes His Escape.

Mrs. Catherine Reimers, who keeps a bakery at 1120 Howard street, is suffering from the effects of an encounter with a robber Sunday night.

Shortly after 9 o'clock she had occasion to go to the kitchen in the rear and when she returned to the shop a tall young man was standing at one of the counters.

The young man seemed nonplused at Mrs. Reimers' sudden appearance, but recovering himself asked her if she knew any one by the name of Jones in the neighborhood.

Mrs. Reimers went to put up the shutters on the windows and after she had finished the job and entered the shop she happened to look behind the east counter and was startled to see some one cowering under it.

Thinking it was her son playing a trick to frighten her, she said, "What are you doing hiding there?"

A short built young man at the question jumped up from underneath the counter, and with his right hand, he struck her in the face.

Mrs. Reimers' screams attracted the attention of the neighbors, and when she saw her mouth bleeding from the vicious blow and a big lump rising on her left cheek he rushed out in search of the scoundrel, who had disappeared.

Several people saw him and were able to give a good description of him to the police, who were at once notified.

It is supposed that the two men had been waiting for some one to come in, and the taller keeping a lookout for her return while the shorter robbed the till.

THEY DINED AT THE CLUB.

Mrs. R. T. Carroll gave an elaborate dinner at the University Club last evening, complimentary to her debutante daughter, Miss Gertrude Carroll.

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COAST DIVISION (Narrow Gauge). 8:15 A.M. Newark, Centerville, San Jose, Felton.

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