THE DEMOCRATS ARE UNABLE TO HARMONIZE

Major Harney's Followers Will Not Abide by the State Committee Decision.

Governor Budd Publicly Announced That He Is Not a Candidate for Governor or Senator.

The efforts of the Democratic State Central Committee to restore harmony in the camp of the local Democracy have failed. A new county committee was appointed by the State Committee yesterday at the California Hotel on recommendation of the "harmony" committee, but the followers of Harney and Rainey are still sulking in their tents. After the State Committee meeting adjourned yesterday afternoon, several of the members of the old Harney committee declared that they would vote the Republican ticket at the next general election rather than submit to the dictation of the men selected to supplant the old committees of the two warring factions.

Governor Budd, who is a member of the State Central Committee, attended the meeting, and in the course of a speech declared that he was not a candidate for United States Senator or for Governor. That news was received with pleasure by the friends of Congressman Maguire, who feared that Governor Budd might go before the next Democratic State convention seeking a renomination for the office he now holds. His public withdrawal from the Senatorial fight also surprised many, who thought that in the event of there being a Democratic majority in the next State Legislature, he might seek to succeed Senator White.

From the standpoint of harmony the meeting was anything but a success. The two local factions are in worse position now than they were before. The members of the Harney wing believe that they were unfairly treated, and they will not submit to the decrees of the State committee. The result will be a merry war among the Democrats between now and election day.

The meeting was called to order shortly before noon hour by Chairman Alford, who announced that the first business for consideration was the report of the committee of nine appointed to reorganize and harmonize the local factions.

R. L. Fitzgerald of Alameda, chairman of the committee, read a lengthy report, recommending that neither of the contesting local factions be recognized and that in the stead of both, the following committee of 100 be appointed to manage the affairs of the local Democracy:

Dr. Beverly Cole, John P. Dunn, Dr. C. A. Clinton, James Denman, M. Greenblatt, A. Comte Jr., W. R. Cope, Charles W. Fay, John M. Klein, Jeremiah Deasy, Frank J. Henry, Joseph Gorman, R. P. Doolan, William T. Hess, Thomas G. Pindar, William M. Hinton, H. Jones, D. C. Murphy, Dr. T. B. Leland, I. Gutte, A. B. Maguire, R. V. Whiting, P. J. McCormack, Howard Park, G. Howard Thompson, Jeremiah Coey, John McGilvray, Dr. Thomas Shumate, Dr. F. Morse, M. H. Hernan, Finlay Cook, Frank K. Lane, E. A. Bridgeford, Timothy Lyons, W. H. Vincent, William G. Murdock, Daniel O'Neal, W. H. Mead, W. Goodwin Williams, Patrick Boland, J. C. McKinstry, James N. Block, George F. Lynch, Frederick Denicke, Rudolph Herold, Dr. Charles E. Jones, Samuel Braunhart, M. C. Hassett, Leo Kaufmann, Louis Bartlett, W. J. Farren, Lawrence J. Brannan, P. H. McCarthy, P. J. Tomalty, Joseph N. Nougues, John H. Grady, T. J. Walsh, Timothy O'Brien, John Fay Jr., Thomas Murray, Sidney Van Wyck, Max Popper, Harry N. Kelly, W. J. McGee, James Butler, Edward Reddy, Edmond Godchaux, E. P. E. Troy, William A. Murison, James H. Barry, James V. Coleman, Henry Leichtenstein, Richard G. Curtis, F. C. Drew, J. F. Cavagnero, John H. Hansen, Mathew Lally, Barney McKinney, Peter J. Dunne, J. B. Reinstein, Osgood Putnam, John F. Twigg, John Reedy, Max Magnus, Percy Henderson, L. F. Byington, Ben Hawes, Bart Burke, C. M. Stultz, Citus Barbour, Dr. C. A. Dozier, William Craig, Barry Baldwin, M. Jasper McDonald, Joseph Leggett, George Smith, J. I. Gallagher, John E. Buckley, Emil Pohli.

After the reading of the report of the committee Byron Ball of Yolo arose to a question of privilege and asked by what authority the State Central Committee constituted itself the guardian of the local Democracy?

Chairman Alford replied that the subcommittee had been appointed at the request of the contending local factions.

Ball thereupon said that the State Committee was invading the rights of the cities of the State. It was his opinion that the State Committee had no right, power or authority to interfere in local factional fights.

W. Brobeck of San Francisco followed in a brief but pointed speech. He said that never before in the history of the party in the State had there been such an attempt to usurp the rights of Democrats. He claimed that the committee was not composed of men conversant with the political feeling of the city Democrats, and that under the circumstances they had no right to attempt to dictate just what should be done.

Gavin McNab replied in defense of the committee's report and said that the State Committee of the Democratic party had on more than one occasion been compelled to take a hand in settling local differences.

P. J. Harney, chairman of one of the factions, next claimed the floor.

Chairman Alford said that Harney, who only held a proxy, was not allowed, under the committee rules, to speak.

"I move that Major Harney be permitted to speak," said Governor Budd.

The motion, being put, was carried and Harney entered into a lengthy discussion concerning the rights of the two local factions. He claimed that the committee of which he is chairman was the only legal body, and that to not recognize it meant disruption in the party. He disputed the right of the State Committee to interfere in local affairs, and in concluding said that the San Francisco Democrats were able to govern themselves. "We know our rights," said he, "and I earnestly ask the committee to pause and reflect before voting on the report of the harmony committee. I believe that if the report is adopted as read it will only serve to disintegrate the party in this city."

Governor Budd followed Harney, and said that he was untrammeled by any personal interests. "I am not a candidate for Governor, nor am I a candidate for Senator," said he, "and I will further add that I would not accept either nomination if it were offered me." He then said that it was a delicate matter to decide just what should be done under the circumstances. "Something must be done," he concluded, "to restore harmony in San Francisco. To jeopardize this city means defeat to the State ticket."

John W. Mitchell of Los Angeles offered as a substitute a motion that each member outside of San Francisco be allowed to name a member of the local county committee, making the committee consist of 129 instead of 100 members.

Mitchell's motion was lost by a vote of 84 noes and 23 ayes.

"I now move that the committee report be adopted," said Mitchell.

"I object," exclaimed Ball of Yolo, "for it is a most revolutionary measure. Its adoption means disruption in the ranks of the San Francisco Democracy."

Major Harney again claimed the floor.

"I object to the committee report," he exclaimed, "for it does not give a fair representation. About thirty of the men named to serve on the new committee are from the Sullivan wing of the Democracy, and I ask the sub-committee to show me a man from our side. Is that fair or honest? In the interest of harmony I ask that the committee report be rejected and that this State committee call a primary to be held within the next thirty days. Let us decide at the polls who is to serve on the county committee. Give us a primary and I promise you, gentlemen, that the side I represent will abide by the result."

To choke off debate the previous question was called for and carried by a vote of 57 ayes to 42 noes.

The motion to adopt the committee report naming the 100 members who are to serve on the new County Committee was then taken up, and a call of the roll demanded.

When the name of Governor Budd was called, some one voted aye.

The Governor was leaving the meeting hall just at that moment, and Chairman Alford called out: "Did you vote aye, Governor?"

"I presume I did," replied the Governor sarcastically, "for McNab says so."

The roll call then proceeded and the committee report was adopted by a vote of eighty ayes to twenty noes.

The report of the committee of five appointed to confer with the Populists and Silver Republicans relative to putting up a fusion ticket was next read by J. W. Mitchell, chairman of the committee. The report was to the effect that the joint committee had been unable to do anything, as the Populist committee had been instructed to vote to have the convention held at Sacramento on July 12. "While union and fusion is desired," said Mitchell, after reading the report, "we were unable to do anything, as the committee has not yet fixed on the time and place for holding the next State convention."

Marion Brooks objected to any delay in fixing the time and moved that the convention meet on August 25 in this city.

Chairman Alford ruled the motion out of order, as it was decided at the last meeting of the State Central Committee that the matter of fixing the time and place for holding the State convention be determined at a special meeting.

Major Harney then introduced a set of resolutions providing that the newly named committee to manage the local Democracy be instructed to call a primary for the election of five members from each of the eighteen Assembly Districts to form a new county committee.

The resolutions were ruled out of order and the committee adjourned to the call of the chair.

The Harney committee will remain in existence, notwithstanding the appointment of the new committee, as the members do not believe that they have been fairly treated. Inasmuch as about thirty of the Sullivan wing were put on the new committee and they were entirely ignored they do not think that they were justly treated by the State Committee.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

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I take pleasure in letting you know how much CUTICURA REMEDIES have done for me, my father and two brothers. In the fall of '95, I began to be afflicted with an itching rash under my chin. It kept spreading until it was all over my body. I could not sleep but was compelled to lie awake and scratch all the time. My father and two brothers were afflicted with the same thing, at the same time. We all suffered terribly for a year and a half, trying in the meantime all the remedies we could find, but received no benefit. I happened to see CUTICURA REMEDIES advertised and how they had cured others from itching skin diseases, and we thought we would try them. I bought three cakes of CUTICURA SOAP and three boxes of CUTICURA (ointment) and they *cured the four of us completely*. Any person doubting the truth of this statement can write me. RICHARD ANDERSON, Feb. 22, '98. Geneva, Box Elder Co., Utah.

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CHARTER ELECTION EXPENSES.

The Commissioners Discuss Preparations for the General Election.

The Board of Election Commissioners held a short session yesterday morning, at which the officers who served on the charter election were allowed $10 each for their services. The total amounts to $3760.

An informal discussion was had regarding registration for the general election next November.

Next Tuesday, June 1, registration at the central office in the City Hall will commence; but it is thought that not much interest will be paid to registration before July.

Auditor Broderick, accepting the decision of the people last Thursday for a reduction of salaries by adopting the charter, moved that the clerks in the Registrar's office be paid $100 a month in future instead of $125, as has been the custom heretofore. Mayor Phelan and Registrar Biggy did not favor the motion, but, nevertheless, it was carried.

One of those little pleasantries that will become more manifest by and by between the Auditor and the Registrar cropped out at the meeting when Biggy notified the Commissioners that he wanted clerks. Broderick wished to know the number, but Biggy declined to say, adding that he would only employ what were necessary. Broderick reminded him that the Commissioners were responsible, and not the Registrar, for the management of the office. Mayor Phelan seemed disposed to yield to the Registrar's views, but the Auditor stood firm. The matter may be further discussed at the meeting on Tuesday.

A Maine Picnic.

The State of Maine Association of California will celebrate the twenty-first anniversary of its organization by a picnic at Shell Mound Park next Saturday. The association, having attained its majority, promises to this year outdo all former efforts to entertain its members and their friends, and a hearty New England welcome will be extended to all who attend. The programme, under the direction of the president, W. G. Dinsmore, will be of special interest, as it will contain many patriotic features. E. W. Marston of Oakland is to be the orator of the day, and Miss Florence Matheson of San Francisco will read an original poem.

SNATCHED HIS WATCH AND RAN

Bold Crimes in the Western Addition.

"GUS" FREYER THE VICTIM

ROBBED OF HIS WATCH WITHIN A FEW FEET OF HIS HOME.

An Elderly Woman Also Relieved of Her Purse While Visiting Soldiers at the Presidio.

The police are looking for two daring thieves, who have been operating in the Western Addition.

Several days ago they snatched a purse from a woman, who was walking along Van Ness avenue, and notwithstanding that they were pursued by several citizens, who witnessed the act, they managed to escape.

Last Thursday night August Freyer, a saloonkeeper, who lives on Devisadero street, near Filbert, was on his way home, when he was accosted by two roughly clad men, who asked him the time. Freyer took out his watch and as he opened it, one of the men grabbed the timepiece and ran away, followed by the astonished saloonkeeper.

After running a short distance Freyer, realizing he could not overtake them, gave up the chase. Last night he visited police headquarters and reported the robbery. From his description of the thieves the police are convinced that they are the men who snatched the purse from the woman on Van Ness avenue.

Henry Heidron, who lives at 973 Harrison street, mourns the loss of a purse containing $171 and a gold ring, which was stolen from him last Wednesday while he was en route to the butchers' picnic.

After reaching the Oakland mole Heidron, who was in the midst of the crowd, was suddenly struck a blow in the side. As he turned around to see who administered the blow he felt a hand inserted in his pocket. Before he could seize the hand it was quickly drawn from his pocket, together with his purse and its valuable contents. Last night Heidron reported the robbery to Captain Spillane. He is convinced that the thief struck him in the side so as to divert his attention while he abstracted his pocket-book.

An elderly woman named Mrs. Burroughs, who lives on Twentieth street, was robbed of her purse containing $2 50 while visiting the Presidio yesterday. She took a basketful of provisions to the soldiers and was boarding a street car when some thief deftly picked her pocket of her purse.

COMPANIONS OF THE FOREST OF AMERICA

NEXT GRAND CIRCLE SESSION TO BE HELD IN THIS CITY.

Addition to the List of Grand Officers — Prominent Candidates. The Order Has Recouped.

The next session of the Grand Circle of the Companions of the Forest of America will be held in this city on Wednesday, the 1st of June, the first session opening at 10 o'clock in the morning in the Alcazar building.

At the close of the previous session, when Mrs. Emma Harrington, the incumbent, was elected grand chief companion, the order was not in as flourishing a condition as it might have been. That official, during her term, has worked hard to build it up again, and in the past year through the enthusiasm she instilled in it seven new circles were instituted. One was deprived of its charter for failure to maintain the laws. A portion of that circle was reorganized under the name of Phoenix. The losses which the order sustained in previous years were recouped and it is now in better condition than it has been for some time, prior to last June.

During the session a number of measures, having for their tendency the advancement of the order, will be considered. Instead of eleven grand officers, as in the past, under the amended laws of the Supreme Circle, fourteen will be elected. The change abolishes the offices of grand guard and grand sentry, substituting grand inner guard and grand outer guard and adding grand right and grand left guide.

The present grand officers are: Mrs. Emma Harrington of San Francisco, grand chief companion; Ira W. Coburn of San Francisco, subchief companion; Miss Agnes D. Bremer of Alameda, secretary; Mrs. C. O. Miller of San Francisco, treasurer; Mrs. Flora Jacobs of San Francisco and Mrs. Theodore Muegge of Woodland, trustees; Mrs. M. Connell of San Francisco, marshal; Frank T. Murman of Sonora, guard; F. X. Wallace of San Diego, sentry, and Miss E. Russell of San Francisco, organist.

The following named are the delegates to the grand body:

San Francisco circles: Excelsior No. 2—Mrs. N. E. Smith, Mrs. C. Tucker. Bay City No. 11—Mrs. Leah Marks, Mrs. Helene Worms. Diana No. 22—Miss E. Rappin. Golden Gate No. 23—Herman Kohn, Max E. Licht. Lorely No. 26—Mrs. L. Quer. Live Oak No. 29—Mrs. L. Holland, Mrs. B. Kraemmer. Robin Hood No. 58—Mrs. Lizzie Atwood, Mrs. H. Bailly, Mrs. L. Ticoulet. Mizpah No. 100—Mrs. L. Baston. Golden Era No. 103—Mrs. R. Kemp van Ee. Bonita No. 104—J. Bickford. (This delegate, since his election, enlisted in the First California Regiment of Volunteers, and the alternate, Miss May Bailey, will represent the circle.) Pride of the Forest No. 204—Mrs. Y. Williams. Inter Nos No. 215—T. F. Blake, Mrs. K. Haughy. Pride of Columbia No. 259—Edward McCarthy. San Francisco No. 267—Miss Mary Foye. Presidio No. 268—Mrs. Annie Morrison.

Alameda—Hamlet No. 64—Miss I. P. Rose.

Golden Gate—University No. 322—Miss A. N. Neidt.

Healdsburg—Sotoyome No. 327—Delegates not yet reported.

Jamestown—Mother Lode No. 324—Dr. C. E. Congdon, A. P. Sherer.

Kern City—Juanita No. 325—Mrs. J. W. Shaffer.

Los Angeles—Laurel No. 109—Mrs. J. Krimminger.

Marysville—Yuba No. 101—Mrs. Amelia Aldrich, Sarah Finnegan.

Merced—Chrysanthemum No. 326—Mrs. Susie Robinson.

Nevada City—Freedom Circle No. 108—Mrs. Libby Langman.

Oakland—Oakland No. 3—Mrs. A. Davis. Loyal No. 323—M. E. Harris.

Oroville—Orange Blosson No. 266—Mrs. Emma Jolly, Miss Hattie Marks.

Petaluma—American Circle No. 155—H. Lezinsky.

San Diego—Silver Gate-San Diego No. 271—Miss Josephine Aust, Mrs. Nellie F. Carter.

San Jose—San Jose No. 210—Mrs. Martha Malone.

San Rafael—Evening Star No. 202—Delegates not yet reported.

Santa Ana—Fidelity No. 270—Mrs. M. Zimmerman.

Santa Barbara—Ocean View No. 263—Miss Jennie Workurka.

Sonoro—Sonoro No. 269—Miss Jessie Laughrey, Mrs. G. B. Sandoval.

Stockton—Stockton No. 130—Mrs. R. M. Klack.

Watsonville—Pajaro Valley Rose No. 207—A. W. Martin.

Woodland—Surprise of Woodland No. 209—Mrs. Etta Barchi.

The most prominent candidate for grand chief is the present subchief, Ira W. Coburn, and for subchief the one most spoken of is Mrs. Flora Jacobs, at present grand trustee.

Not Alma Keith's Husband.

Mrs. Alma E. Keith, who entertained the boys in blue on Monday night, desires to correct the statement that her husband is not among the living. She says: "It was my father, E. B. Carter, who was honored at Omaha by the G. A. R. at his funeral. Mr. Keith is still alive and well, and he and his wife are both ready when duty calls to do all in their power for the honor of 'Old Glory.'"

Enjoy a pleasant day to-morrow at St. Rose's picnic at Shell Mound.

THE DETAILS ARE NOW ALL COMPLETED

Convention of Republican Clubs Will Prove a Successful Political Gathering.

The Address of Welcome to the Delegates Will Be Delivered by General W. H. L. Barnes.

The convention of the California League of Republican Clubs, to be held next Tuesday afternoon in Golden Gate Hall, promises to be one of the most successful political gatherings ever held in this State.

The local committees having the affair in hand have left nothing undone that might add to the pleasure and comfort of the delegates from the interior. There will be representatives from every section of the State, and it is believed that with the local delegates the convention roll will have fully 700 delegates. The hotels have guaranteed that the best in the city will be furnished delegates and their friends and that there will not be any raise in prices. If every visiting member does not enjoy himself it will not be due to any oversight on the part of those having charge of the details.

The convention has been called by authority of the National Republican League Convention of 1897, and under the direction of the California State League. The convention will be composed of delegates from all of the Republican clubs in the State. Each Republican club in California is entitled to one delegate at large and one additional delegate for every twenty-five members upon its roll.

The business of the convention will include reports from the officers of the league, election of State officers for the ensuing year, the designation of the time and place for holding the next convention, the adoption of a constitution, and the election of thirty-eight delegates to the National League Convention to be held on July 13, at Omaha.

The convention will again awaken the spirit of the Republican party and its voters will enter with additional enthusiasm into the approaching campaign. The best and ablest speakers in the State will discuss the political questions of the day, and each and every delegate will, when the convention is over, return to his home filled with a spirit of enthusiasm that will be shown in the next State battle of ballots.

The general reception committee met at the Union League Club last night to complete the last of the details pertaining to the reception and entertainment of the delegates from the sister counties of the State. E. M. Galvin, chairman of the committee, announced that the Baldwin Hotel management had kindly extended to the visiting delegates the use of the dining rooms on the second floor of the hotel.

The executive and reception committees will establish headquarters there to-day and delegates from the country will find there everything needed in the shape of writing material. They are also invited to make the rooms a general headquarters where they can meet their friends.

Chairman Galvin was authorized last night to appoint a subcommittee of ten members to meet the visiting delegates at the ferry landing and furnish them all necessary information.

The executive committee of the State League met last night at the Baldwin Hotel to complete its work. The delegates to the convention are requested to meet there Tuesday afternoon at 12:30 o'clock and march in a body to the convention hall. A band has been engaged to head the delegates and also render music at intervals during the convention. W. H. L. Barnes has accepted an invitation to deliver the address of welcome.

A mass meeting will be held Tuesday evening in Golden Gate Hall. Ex-Senator Tirey L. Ford has been chosen to act as chairman of the meeting.

A. W. Kinney, president of the California League of Republican Clubs, arrived from Los Angeles yesterday and when seen at the headquarters of the organization last night said:

"The time allotted for the convention, Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday, seems little enough for the immense amount of work which must be accomplished. Even the arranging of the credentials of such a large body is an extraordinary task.

"The convention will adopt a constitution and elect thirty-four delegates to the National Republican League Convention, which meets in Omaha on July 13. The convention will separate into district conventions to elect district league officers.

"One of the important questions to be settled by the convention will be whether the convention shall be annual or biennial.

"The league officers feel gratified at the splendid accommodations extended to the committee by the Baldwin Hotel management. The rooms allotted will be ample for all the various committee meetings and meetings of delegations.

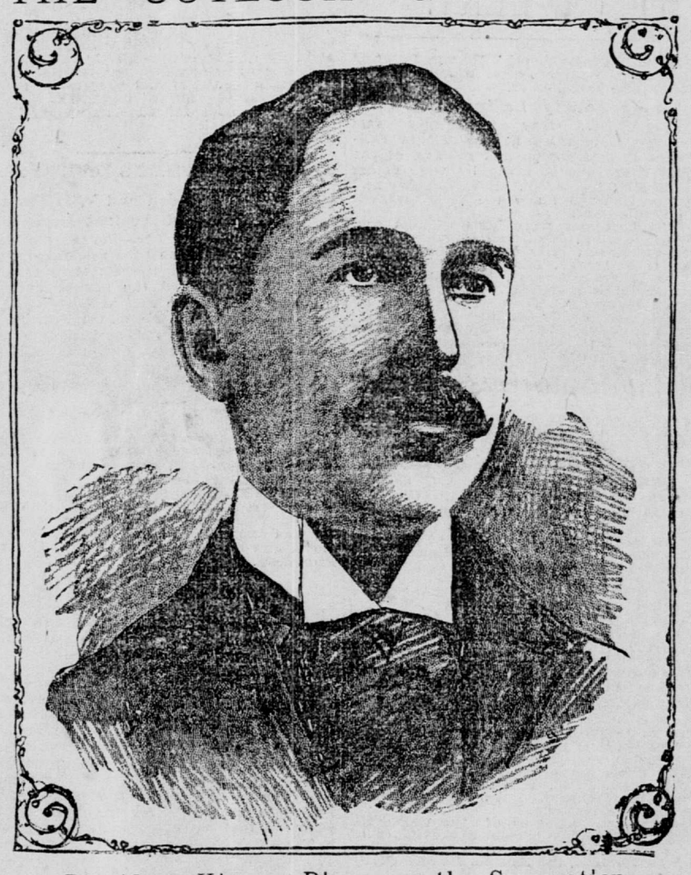
"Los Angeles will send up a vigorous delegation and that city will make a strong pull for the next convention. They will bring propositions from the Chamber of Commerce, Board of Trade, Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association and citizens generally.

"The convention will be governed by the precedure of national and State league conventions. The present league officers will officiate until their successors are elected.

"In view of the large amount of work to be covered by the body a large number of committees must necessarily be appointed, and these in turn will appoint sub-committees.

"The principal business of the convention, according to the call, besides the election of officers and national delegates, will be the adoption of a systematic plan for a vigorous league campaign during the coming year."

THE OUTLOOK GRATIFYING.



President Kinney Discusses the Convention.

LOS ANGELES, May 28, 1898.

To the Call: The interest that is being manifested in our approaching State League convention at San Francisco is most gratifying to the officers of the organization. The low rates made by the railroad and steamship lines for the occasion will attract Republicans from all over the State.

The convention will be called to order Tuesday, May 31, at 1 o'clock. It will be the first gathering of its kind ever held in California. Its business will include the election of thirty-eight delegates to the National Republican League Convention, which meets at Omaha July 13, the election of State and district officers for the ensuing year, the designation of time and place for holding the next State convention and a general discussion of plans for a league campaign.

Every Republican club in California is entitled to send representatives, the basis being one delegate-at-large for each organization and one delegate additional for every twenty-five members upon its rolls. Verified copies of the club roll must accompany each delegation.

San Francisco may look forward to a large and enthusiastic convention. It will be earnest and patriotic in its deliberations. Southern California will be well represented. Yours for the cause,

A. W. KINNEY, President.

A Mimic Battle To-Day.

One of the most interesting as well as unique entertainments ever given in this city was held at the residence of Mrs. Cesar Bertheau, 2112 Vallejo street, yesterday afternoon from 1 to 5 o'clock, the entire proceeds being devoted to the Red Cross Society. The entertainment consisted of the representation in miniature of a battle. No less than 3500 toy soldiers one and a half inches in height comprised the opposing forces, which were arranged with exceeding care.

The battle-field was laid out on an immense table and was divided by a river. Hills, valleys and plains were represented, over which cavalry and infantry charged and artillery was brought into action. Part of the attacking forces had been thrown across the river and succeeded in turning the left wing of the enemy, which in turn had flanked the invaders on their left. Every detail was faithfully carried out, and the scene elicited the warmest praise. Over $100 was realized by the entertainment, which will be repeated again this afternoon at the same hours and for the same worthy purpose.

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3 cases Extra Quality WHITE BEDSPREADS	$1.00 Each.
2 cases LACE CURTAINS, white and ecru	$1.00 Pair.
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YSAYE AS AN ACCOMPANIST.

COMPLIMENTS GERARDY BY APPEAKING.

The Audience Listens With Delight to the Rendition of Bach's Aria by the Noted Artists.

Ysaye, the renowned virtuoso who has enraptured large audiences at the Baldwin during the past week by his masterly bowing, created a furor at the popular playhouse last evening by artistically accompanying Gerardy on the piano in the latter's rendering of Bach's aria.

It is impossible to say who was the most surprised—Gerardy or the music-lovers who sat before the footlights. The suddenness of Ysaye's appearance on the stage, following as he did Gerardy, who had returned to respond to the enthusiastic appreciation of his playing of one of Locatelli's beautiful sonatas, simply held the audience spellbound.

Their eyes followed his dignified march across the stage, and when he took his seat at the piano they awaited developments. It soon came. Gerardy's graceful bow was drawn across the bridge of his noble and soul-stirring violoncello, and the strains of the beautiful composition filled the theater. Softly following could be heard the warm tones of the piano, in perfect harmony with the stringed instrument, touched by a masterly hand until the edifice was suffused with melody. At the conclusion of the playing, the ladies almost split their gloves, so earnest was their applause while the men did their share in showing appreciation for the unlooked for treat.

Both musicians were repeatedly recalled, and Gerardy responded with another composition.

When Gerardy was released by the kindly but selfish gathering he hurried to Ysaye and poured forth his thanks for the compliment paid him. Ysaye's only explanation for the act was that a whim struck him and he followed its bent.

During the past few months Gerardy has been wont to play the aria without accompaniment, and when Ysaye unexpectedly took his position at the piano it disconcerted him for a moment, but appreciating the high honor being paid him, he played as he never did before. All the fire and magnetism that he possesses was poured into the priceless instrument, and when he had concluded a bright flush of pleasure covered his countenance.

Lachaume, the clever young artist who accompanies Ysaye and Gerardy in all their selections, gazed in wonderment at the former and listened with enwrapped interest to the violinist's interpretation of the composition.

It is said that Ysaye's appearance at the piano in public last evening was his first and might have been his last but for the fact that admirers want to see him repeat it. To-night he will accompany Gerardy again. Ysaye may have another surprise in store for his listeners. Some one whispered that he was imbued with patriotic ardor, and he may indulge it in patriotic selections as a fitting finale to a successful engagement.

What School Girls Can Do.

The fourth number of the Students' Journal, issued by the Girls' High School, is just out, and reflects great credit upon that educational institution. The neat shape in which it is got out alone tempts the casual observer to pick it up and investigate, and a brief glance over any of the many bright and interesting articles commands immediate attention. It is safe to say that few who pick it up will lay it down without carefully reading all that is contained within the gilded covers. There are sober articles for the witty, witty articles for the sober and jokes for those who are not inclined to be facetious. The editorial columns alone are proof positive that the schoolgirl has more in her head than ribbons and laces, and in every line is a refutation of Kipling's "Vampire."

Target Association.

The California Inanimate Target Association held a meeting last night at the Occidental Hotel to make final arrangements for the sixth annual tournament to be held at Ingleside to-day and tomorrow, May 29 and 30. The programme has been arranged on a scale of unusual liberality, there being seven events each day. Last night Secretary Ed Gunzendorfer was kept busy enrolling the competitors and arranging them in squads of six each. Up to 10 o'clock there were twelve entries, making in all seventy-two participants in the inanimate target shoot, and it was expected that the number would be considerably increased before the meeting adjourned. It was announced that the shooting would be commenced at 8 a. m. sharp, and all those who have entered are requested to be on time.

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