

DIFFERENCE OF PRODUCERS DEFEATS THE SCHEME.

Desired Number of Contracts Could Not Be Promptly Secured—Good Prices Predicted for This Year's Vintage.

ANOTHER great and promising scheme, involving millions of dollars and intended to combine the grape-growers and wine-makers of California for the purpose of maintaining prices of vineyard products, has collapsed. The first was the California Wine-makers Corporation to reorganize for another five years. The present failure is connected with the offer of Henry J. Crocker to buy all the dry wine grapes in the State for a period of seven years at the rate of \$12 and \$14 per ton.

TO HONOR MEMORY OF MARTYRED PRESIDENT GARFIELD LEAGUE ARRANGING MEMORIAL SERVICES.

Mayor Phelan, Congressman Kahn and Others Will Deliver Orations at Golden Gate Park.

Plans are being perfected rapidly for the memorial services for the home of the martyred President, James A. Garfield, to take place at the Garfield monument, Golden Gate Park, on Sunday, September 17. The Garfield League, which has the honor of arranging the memorial services, has received many encouraging reports from the committees who are arranging the different parts of the programme. J. J. Truman accepted the invitation to act as president of the day. Congressman Kahn, Senator George C. Perkins will deliver orations. The Knickerbocker Quartet, which has the honor of singing a portion of the vocal music. The only person in the State who has refused to accept the invitation to participate in the exercises is the Governor.

MURDER OR SUICIDE.

Two Brewery Employees Discover the Skeleton of a Man Near Millbrae.

P. Maloney and George Mitchell, employees of the Railroad Brewery, Valencia street, called at police headquarters yesterday and stated that while hunting Sunday they came upon the skeleton of a man in a cypress about a mile and a half from Millbrae, San Mateo County.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisement for a medicine called 'Blood Cure Sent Free'. It claims to be a free trial treatment sent privately by mail to all who suffer. A remarkable remedy for a terrible affliction—the cure is permanent.

THE CRUISE FOR THE OUTING OF THE YEAR.

Santa Cruz Preparing for the Ninth.

BIG NIGHT PARADE ARRANGED.

California to Have the Biggest Birthday Party in Her History—From San Francisco Alone Will Go 4000 Sons.

It's all over except the fireworks and the shooting. At its meeting last night the joint ninth of September committee of the Native Sons of the Golden West completed the last of the important preliminaries to the big celebration to take place in Santa Cruz on the 9th, and all that remains to do is uncoil the red fire and get aboard the special train on Friday night.

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BULLETIN ON GUN DECK OF BADGER.

- 1. Don't get seasick!!!
2. Don't whistle on the ship; the boatwain's mates are paid forty dollars per month to do all the whistling.
3. Don't try to get on convivial terms with the captain or any of the officers. You may be as good as they are, but it is not good form to acknowledge it.
4. Don't spit to windward or on deck!
5. Don't pull the life buoy button to see if it will work!
6. Don't lean up against the paintwork!
7. Don't smoke on the quarter-deck nor during target practice!
8. Don't say "upstairs," "downstairs"!!!
9. Don't find fault with the ration. Don't quarrel with the cook who have faced more hostile guns than you perhaps will ever see!
10. Don't be a fresh guy and don't try to kid Uncle Sam's help, for they will fool you!!!
11. Don't knock more than the navy than the people who run it!!!
12. Don't be a hog at your mess table, but act in a ladylike manner at all times.

SUNDAY'S CALL can be purchased from all agents and newsdealers at 5c per copy.

A ROMPING PLACE FOR CHILDREN.

The little children south of Market street are soon to have a public playground, somewhere in the district bounded by Sixth, Second, Market and Harrison streets. The Merchants' Association's officers and the ladies of the California Club have been at work on this project for several weeks, and matters are beginning to assume shape. A year or more ago the ladies of the club established a playground for children at Hyde and Bush streets, and a committee composed of L. F. Byington, president of the joint committee; J. F. Dockery, Fred Lees and Percy Long, will call upon the colonel tomorrow to extend formal invitation to Sheriff Milton Besse of Santa Cruz, grand marshal of the order, was present at the meeting and outlined the plan of the Santa Cruz committee. He stated that the morning parade would form at the park at 9 o'clock, and a committee composed of L. F. Byington, president of the joint committee; J. F. Dockery, Fred Lees and Percy Long, will call upon the colonel tomorrow to extend formal invitation to Sheriff Milton Besse of Santa Cruz, grand marshal of the order, was present at the meeting and outlined the plan of the Santa Cruz committee.

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BRUTALITY OF POUND MEN.

Two of Them Seize a Poodle and Grossly Abuse Its Owner. Although the Police Judges have imposed severe penalties upon deputy poundkeepers who abuse citizens who seizing their canines, they will not take a lesson and continue to display unnecessary brutality in the performance of their duty.

CORRALING SALMON.

A few days ago the Fish and Game Commissioners learned that an illegal obstruction to the migration of fish had been placed in the Tuolumne River, and Sunday Deputies C. A. Veisling and Kercheval made a trip to the place mentioned. Near Grayson they found that the obstruction was a net of twine and law of consideration for the fish of the future, had placed across the river a fine wire net for this purpose. A cleverly constructed pocket had been put into the wire, so that every fish attempting to go up or down the river would surely be caught. The material of the illegal trap must have cost considerable.

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COMMERCIAL NEWS. Weather Report. (19th Meridian-Pacific Time.) SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 4, 5 p. m. The following maximum temperatures were reported from stations in California: Eureka, 82; Independence, 82; Los Angeles, 82; Sacramento, 80; San Diego, 80; Fresno, 80; Yuma, 80; San Luis Obispo, 80. San Francisco data—Maximum temperature, 69; minimum, 50. WEATHER CONDITIONS AND GENERAL FORECAST. There are two well-defined low areas on the Pacific coast. A storm of moderate energy overlies Oregon and Washington. Brisk southerly winds will prevail over the northern half of the Pacific coast.

ANNUAL STATE CONVENTION ON OCTOBER 23.

The California Miners' Association After Revision of Federal Mining Laws and a Secretary of Mining.

The mining States and Territories of the entire Pacific Coast region are to join in the annual convention of the California Miners' Association next month, according to present plans, and the convention promises to be the most important one held since the organization of this big association eight years ago.

SUN, MOON AND TIDE.

EASTERN MARKETS.

Table with columns for Market, Time, and Price. Includes Eastern Livestock Market and Foreign Markets.

California Fruit Sales.

CHICAGO, Sept. 4.—The Earl Fruit Company realized the following prices at auction to-day: Peaches—Bartlett, boxes, 50¢ to 60¢; average \$1.10; Buere, \$1.10 to \$1.20; average \$1.25. Apples—Gravenstein, \$1.00 to \$1.10; average \$1.05; Golden Delicious, \$1.00 to \$1.10; average \$1.05. Pears—Bartlett, boxes, 50¢ to 60¢; average \$1.10; Buere, \$1.10 to \$1.20; average \$1.25.

Steamer Movements.

Table with columns: Steamer, Destination, From, To. Lists various steamers and their routes.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

Michael J. Donovan to Lizzie M. Kavanagh, lot on S line of Ellis street, 63 E of Steiner, E 34.4 by 117.5. Fred and Julia A. Nelson to Albert T. Haek, lot on E line of Carmelita (Primrose) street, 21 E of Waller, 25 by E 95, lot 13, block 2, map 10, 100 by 100. Same to Tobias Roberts, lot on E line of Carmelita (Primrose) street, 21 E of Waller, 25 by E 95, lot 13, block 2, map 10, 100 by 100.

ARRIVED.

Stmr Panama, Shea, Crangle, 5 days from Sitka Bay. Stmr Alice Blanchard, Hall, 60 hours from Coos Bay. Stmr Hovey, Leland, 36 hours from Moss Landing and way ports. Stmr Tacoma, Dixon, 30 hours from Tacoma. Stmr Crescent City, Stockfield, 86 hours from Crescent City. Stmr Walla Walla, Gage, 63 hours from Victoria and Puget Sound ports. Stmr North Fork, Bash, 27 hours from Eureka. U S stmr Badger, Miller, 24 hours from Eureka.

SAILED.

Stmr Weott, Ellis, Eureka. Stmr Point Arena, Hansen, Mendocino. Stmr Geary, Carlson, Greenwood. Stmr Monitor, Turf, Eureka. Stmr Marlon, Tooper, Everett. Stmr Eureka, Forest, Eureka.

MEMORANDUM.

Per stmr Walla Walla, from Victoria, Sept 4-Sept 3, at 8 a. m. passed stmr Charina, from Seattle for San Francisco, with the following cargo: 1000 lbs. of flour, 1000 lbs. of rice, 1000 lbs. of sugar, 1000 lbs. of coffee, 1000 lbs. of tea, 1000 lbs. of oil, 1000 lbs. of other goods.

FOREIGN PORTS.

DELAGOBA Bay—Sailed Sept 4—Bark Snow & Burren for Newcastle, Aus. NEWCASTLE—Arrived Sept 4—Bark J. M. Griffith, for Port Hadlock. PORT HADLOCK—Arrived Sept 4—Haw schr Honolulu, for Tacoma. YOKOHAMA—Arrived Sept 4—Jap stmr Honkoku Maru, hence Sept 3. AUCKLAND—Sailed Sept 4—Stmr Mariposa, for San Francisco. TRANSANTLANTIC STEAMERS. LIVERPOOL—Arrived Sept 4—Stmr Italia, hence Sept 3. ANTWERP—Arrived Sept 4—Stmr Nordland, hence Sept 3. HAMBURG—Arrived Sept 4—Stmr Phoenicia, hence Sept 3. NEW YORK—Arrived Sept 4—Stmr Manliou, from London.