

JAMES MURPHY VICTIM OF THUG Is Garrotted and Robbed in Front of His Own Residence.

"Jack" Donnelly Is Arrested by the Police on Suspicion and Identified as the Culprit.

James, alias "Jack" Donnelly, alias "Vaudeville Jack," who is well-known to the police, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Captain of Police Spillane and his men on suspicion of being the man who garrotted and robbed James Murphy on Tehama street early yesterday morning.

NEW IMPROVEMENTS AT THE OLYMPIC CLUB Fine Entertainment at the Public Inspection of the New Bathing Facilities.

At the invitation of the board of directors of the Olympic Club a large number of people visited the club building Saturday afternoon for the purpose of inspecting the new bathing facilities and other improvements, including the new lounge and the new swimming tank.

Artistic Wall Hangings.

The most artistic shapes and designs are to be found in all sizes of ready-made frames that are made in this city.

Funeral of Lester McKee.

The funeral of Lester H. F. McKee, during his lifetime a well known and popular young man of this city, where he was a member of the highest social circles, was held yesterday afternoon from undertakings parlors on Clay street.

Died From Heart Disease.

An autopsy was performed on the body of Leslie Brice, the young man from Ferndale, Humboldt County, by Dr. Leonard, at the Morgue yesterday, and he found that heart disease was the cause of death.

GERMANS ENGAGE IN BATTLE Kill Thirty of the Enemy and Capture Six Ammunition Wagons.

BERLIN, Nov. 25.—The Lokal Anzeiger publishes a dispatch from Peking saying that a force of German cavalry attacked a detachment of the Chinese imperial troops under General Ma at the village of Sunhu and Humunan, killing thirty Chinese and capturing six ammunition wagons.

Our big half-price Sale of Ready-to-Wear and Outing Hats Starts To-day. Only a week. The Leon Millinery Co. 943 Market St.

PAINLESS EXTRACTION 50 cts. DR. K. L. WALSH 154 KEARNEY STREET Between Hyde and Larkin. Telephone Polk 135.

Ladway's Pills Purely vegetable, mild and reliable. Case perfect, complete absorption and healthful regularity.

"TANNHAUSER" AT REDUCED PRICES DRAWS AN ENTHUSIASTIC AUDIENCE

Second Popular Night of the Grand Opera Season Is a Success—Wagnerian Cycle for This Week.



THE LATEST PORTRAIT OF MADAM MELBA AS JULIET. FROM A PHOTOGRAPH TAKEN BY ARNOLD GENTHE, 790 SUTTER STREET. THE DIVA WAS PREVAILED UPON TO POSE, ALTHOUGH SHE HAD SAID THAT SHE WOULD NEVER AGAIN UNDERGO THE ORDEAL. THE RESULTS PLEASED HER.

"TANNHAUSER" at reduced prices was the bill at the Grand Opera-house last night. It was the second popular night and drew a large and enthusiastic audience.

Only by comparison with the great casts of the first and second performances of the opera did that of last night seem an inferior production. The artistic perfection and the wonderful orchestral effects were as strong as when the first magnitude stars were in the cast.

For the first time since the opening of the season Miss Susan Strong was given an opportunity in a big Wagnerian role and she acquitted herself creditably as Elizabeth, Orlitzka was Elin Hirt and Miss Marylyn was under the guiding baton of Damrosch orchestra and singers were welded into a complete harmony of sound and stage pictures.

With this evening's production of "Das Rheingold" at the Grand Opera-house will begin the first presentation in San Francisco of the great Wagner trilogy, "Der Ring des Nibelungen," by long odds the most important event of this important season.

The cast to-night will include Susan Strong, Marylyn, Scheff, Orlitzka and Schumann. The gods, in gold, silver and copper, are the gods of the gods, and the gods of the gods, and the gods of the gods.

The opening of the engagement was an auspicious one and promises well for the success of the visit to San Francisco of the popular burk-artists.

George Wilson is, of course, a large part of the entertainment. Last night, in one of his favorite songs, "The Jolly Musician," he was in the best of his form.

Dan Allman, Master Martin and Dan Waldron, the other end men, are black-faced comedians of ability and have a great deal of fun to give the audience.

Herrmann, the magician, opened what promises to be the most successful engagement at the Alhambra Theater yesterday. Since the conjurer's last visit here he has studied up a lot of new business, which was received with great applause last evening by a large audience.

At the Alcazar Theater to-night another Augustin Daly play will succeed "The Railroad of Love," the laudible "Saver," twenty-eight. In addition to the regular matinee there will be given a special matinee on Thanksgiving day.

The Leondro brothers among the attractions. Will go to the Tivoli. The University of California students are making elaborate preparations for their annual Thanksgiving performance, which will be given this year at the Tivoli.

Pattosien's, Corner Sixteenth and Mission Streets, Anticipating the certain demand for new dining room furnishings for Thanksgiving, have secured many elegant articles in this line, which they offer at very special prices in honor of the day.

Park and Beach Deserted. The park and beach were practically deserted yesterday. A few persons not on pleasure bent hurried through the drizzle to homes or business, or on the way to the sheltered pleasure resorts.

Stabbed With Baling Hook. J. J. Hughes, who lives at 156 Tehama street, was arrested last night and charged with assault with a deadly weapon. Hughes is accused of stabbing Robert Stockfeth with a baling hook while he was at work at the corner of Third and Tehama streets.

Swim at the Crystal Baths. Recommended by physicians. Water always clean and warm. Tub department best in city.

Will Lecture on Temperance. The San Francisco Young People's Christian Temperance Union will hold its regular monthly meeting in the Young Men's Christian Association building this evening. Rev. A. C. Bane, pastor of the Church, will address the members on "Our Responsibility to the Nation."

ROBBERY EARLY IN MORNING RESULTS IN DEATH

Knockout Drops Administered to Henry Shierloh, Ex-Soldier.

Thomas Rackett and Bartholomew Hays Arrested on Suspicion and Two Others Wanted by Police.

The police have two men in the "tanks" suspected of having given knockout drops to Henry Shierloh, a discharged soldier from the Ninth Infantry Regiment, and robbing him early last Friday morning.

Detective McMahon and Polteeman M. C. Cooney were detailed on the case by Captain Seymour. They ascertained that Shierloh, who had been working on a ranch at Concord, Contra Costa County, came to the city Thursday night and late that night went into the White saloon, 58 Third street.

Early Friday morning Shierloh was found lying on the sidewalk in front of Moriarty's saloon in an unconscious condition. He was taken to the Receiving Hospital suffering from the effects of the drug.

BURGLARS ENTER WAREHOUSE Sresovich & Co. Experience Third Loss Within a Short Time. The warehouses of Louis C. Sresovich & Co., wholesale dealers in foreign and domestic fruits, was entered by burglars either Saturday night or yesterday morning and goods valued at several hundred dollars stolen.

IMPORTANT DISCOVERY IN SUBMARINE CABLE WORK Rubber Insulation Resists the Inroads of the Terezo So Troublesome in the Tropics. WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—Reports to the chief signal officer from Manila indicate that the War Department has made an important discovery in connection with submarine cable work in the tropics.

Colonel Allen, chief signal officer in the islands, has advised General Greeley that the cable service is cut between Manila and Cavite by a very effective footing and will be able to lay any amount of cable which the department may see fit to ship to Manila.

Colorado Springs Hold a Mass Meeting. COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Nov. 25.—A mass-meeting of the citizens of Colorado Springs was held in the chancel of the Colorado College this afternoon to voice sentiments on the Limon lynching.

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SENATOR DAVIS RESTLESS. After Passing a Quiet Day Grows Worse Toward Evening. ST. PAUL, Nov. 25.—According to reports from Senator Davis' house to-night the patient passed a comfortable day. His delirium was a trifle less acute and he was able to secure some sleep.

SKELTON OF A GIRL FOUND IN A WELL. PANA, Ill., Nov. 25.—Much excitement was occasioned in this vicinity to-night by the finding of a skeleton of a girl, presumably 12 or 13 years of age, in a well on the Brunot farm, four miles north of Pana. In April of last year the body of Jane Brunot was found in this same well. The girl was named Mary and was the daughter of a man who had been serving two life sentences in the Chester penitentiary.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

DRESS FABRICS. FOUR EXTRA VALUES. 75 pieces NEW PLAIDS, in bright colorings, small and medium patterns. They are in Cheviot, Granite and Camel's-Hair effects. Price 50c Yard.

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