CRANK PROMISES TO LEAVE TOWN

Marin County Officers Capture San Rafael Disturber.

Proves to Be an Oakland Man and Will Be Allowed to Depart.

Special Dispatch to The Call.

SAN RAFAEL, July 22.—San Rafael's mysterious crank, the man who interviewed Superior Judge F. M. Angellotti on the porch of his home in this city some nights ago, was captured to-night by Sheriff Taylor and Constable George Agnew. After being closely questioned by the officers, he promised to leave this city to-morrow morning. He gives the name of Randolph Williamson of Oakland, and is stopping at a local hotel. The discovery was made through an article published in The Call, detailing his interview with Judge Angellotti.

When Judge Angellotti went to the postoffice for his mail he received a strange, rambling letter. In many places the writing could not be deciphered. In substance it said:

To the Honorable Judge Angellotti—My Loving Son: I will say when I saw The Morning Call of the 19th I was somewhat surprised, as I did not know a reporter was in the shrubbery taking notes of our learned discussion. I think, as you do, that the article should be corrected, but I believe we should use prudence to the best of our ability in securing the correction. There is a passage in the Bible that says, "There is nothing hid but what will come to light." I did not want to write this to you to-day, but as I go to Oakland to-morrow, and as to-morrow is not my day to call on you, I might have to wait until the 3d, 4th or 5th or 7th of next month. I felt it my duty to write to you, as I am doing all I can for the law. When I read that article about your bull dog I had to laugh. I like to see all Judges wear mustaches, so trusting you will be able to dispense justice, God willing.

RANDOLPH WILLIAMSON.

P. S.—I sometimes like to address my letter to Mr. and Mrs. So-and-So. I do not like to call all Judges Your Honor.

When the Judge read this the officers were promptly put on the trail of the crank and his capture followed.

MINT OFFICIALS AWAIT SECRETARY GAGE'S ORDERS

Clerk Dimmick Retained Pending Result of Investigation of Recent Gold Robbery.

Instructions from Washington are daily expected as to definite action in regard to the robbery of $30,000 in gold from the cashier's working vault of the Mint.

The report of the Federal investigators was sent from this city to the Secretary of the Treasury on Monday of last week. Yesterday there was an air of expectancy among the employes of the Mint, but at 4 p. m., when the building closed, no word had been received from Washington.

Chief Clerk Walter Dimmick was at his desk yesterday as of yore and he is as silent as the rest of the employes as to any recent discoveries in Uncle Sam's money making emporium. Dimmick is slated for dismissal, but Superintendent Leach will keep him on the payroll until word is received from Washington in reply to the report on the theft of the gold sacks. The impression in the Mint yesterday was that the instructions from Washington would contain an order for the arrest of the man suspected of the robbery.

HAYS GOES EAST TO CONFER WITH HARRIMAN

During His Absence H. E. Fitzhugh Will be in Charge.

President Charles M. Hays of the Southern Pacific Company left Sunday evening for New York to have another consultation with Harriman. It is supposed that the object of his trip is to make final arrangements in reference to the improvements that are to be commenced on the Central Pacific line.

During President Hays' absence H. E. Fitzhugh will be in charge of the yellow building. How long Hays will remain away is not known, but it is supposed he will not return for several weeks.

Water Front Notes.

The United States training ship Alert was tried under sail at the navy yard and found to be cranky. Consequently the cruise to the South Seas and Japan has been abandoned and the vessel will go to Puget Sound ports instead. Sail will not be spread on the ship, the entire journey being made under steam.

A report from the whaling fleet states that prior to July 4 the Belvedere had taken nine whales and the Karluk and Fearless one each.

The ship Occidental, now out ninety-eight days from this port for the canneries, was spoken June 16 in Bering Sea. The entire cannery fleet made a long run, owing to the ice in Bering Sea.

The Oregon Railroad and Navigation Company is not going to increase its rates to Portland although the Southern Pacific has made an advance of $7 40. By steamer to Portland and Astoria the cabin passage, including berth and meals, is $15, and by steerage, $10.

Thought Skull Was Fractured.

W. W. Christopher, an oil expert, is in a dying condition at the Central Emergency Hospital. On Saturday night he went into Fitzpatrick's saloon, 655 Sacramento street. He drank heavily and was removed to the lodging-house at 638½ Sacramento street by Elmer Frost, the barkeeper. To-day he was found to be suffering great pain and his condition indicated a fracture of the skull. He was removed to the hospital, where Dr. Bunnell trephined the skull and found that the patient was suffering from a clot of blood on the brain. The police investigated the matter, but could find nothing against any one. Christopher has a brother who is well connected in the East. He is not expected to recover. Excessive drinking is supposed to have been the cause of his trouble.

Mexican Shipping Notes.

Captain Parsons of the steamship Curacao, writing to the Merchants' Exchange, says the schooner Louis was at Santa Rosalia on the 16th and was to sail for San Francisco to-morrow. There were in port the British ships Barfillan, 129 days; Ballachulish, 141 days, and Dutch ship Nederland, 177 days from Hamburg; British ship Thornliebank, 203 days from South Africa, and the German ship Lisbeth, 134 days from Newcastle. At Guaymas the schooner Dauntless was in port. At La Paz the United States steamship Alexander, 82 days from Baltimore via San Lucia, Montevideo and Valparaiso, was in port with a cargo of coal for the United States coaling station.

Two Insolvency Petitions.

Petitions in insolvency were filed in the United States District Court yesterday as follows: Mrs. Mattie A. Pealer, milliner, Sacramento, liabilities $15,504 66, assets $13,095; George D. Lippincott, farmer, Terminus, San Joaquin County, liabilities $477 50, assets $1720.

Pears'

Economical soap is one that a touch of cleanses.

Pears' shaving soap is the best in all the world.

All sorts of people use Pears' soap, all sorts of stores sell it, especially druggists.

W. C. WHITNEY, THE AMERICAN, WHO WON THE BRITISH DERBY

Only Recent Picture of the Prominent Sportsman-Millionaire Who Was Secretary of the Navy Under Cleveland During His First Administration

HON. WILLIAM C. WHITNEY, the prominent sportsman-millionaire, is decidedly averse to having his picture taken. Thus far he has hanaged to evade the persistent efforts of the camera fiends. Published pictures of the sportsman which appear from time to time represent him as he appeared ten years ago and not as he is to-day.

Since the completion of his term as Secretary of the Navy, 1885 to 1889, under the first Cleveland administration, Whitney has devoted considerable time to turf matters. His Volodyovski, guided by Jockey Lester Reiff, created a sensation in British turf circles on June 5 by winning the great English Derby at Epsom Downs.

EXCITING GAME AT DETROIT.

Wild Throw Causes Defeat of Boston in Twelfth Inning.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

PHILADELPHIA, July 12.—Philadelphia defeated Boston to-day in a stubbornly contested game. The pitching was excellent, Orth having a shade the better of it. The home team won in the seventh inning. Attendance, 4721. The score:

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	2	7	1
Philadelphia	3	7	2

Batteries—Willis and Kittridge; Orth and McFarland. Umpire—Emslie.

ST. LOUIS, July 22.—Chicago knocked Powell out of the box in the sixth and Sudhoff, who relieved him, held the visitors down, while Hughes was driven to the bench with the score tied in the seventh. Attendance, 1200. The score:

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	6	9	2
Chicago	5	10	1

Batteries—Powell, Sudhoff and Ryan; Hughes, Waddell, Kling and Kahoe. Umpire—Nash.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

DETROIT, July 22.—Detroit won an exciting twelve-inning game from Boston to-day through a wild throw by Schreck. Attendance, 2670. The score:

	R.	H.	E.
Detroit	6	12	6
Boston	5	13	4

Batteries—Miller and Buelow; Young and Schreck.

CHICAGO, July 22.—Dolan scored the winning run in the twelfth inning on Burke's error, followed by Fultz's two-bagger. Attendance, 1800. The score:

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	1	7	4
Philadelphia	2	7	2

Batteries—Patterson and Sullivan; Plank and Smith.

CLEVELAND, O., July 22.—Cleveland outplayed Washington this afternoon two to one. Hart pitched a fine game for the home team, while Lee, who was put in the box for the Senators, was replaced by Gear in the last part of the fourth inning. Attendance 1000. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	6	11	0
Washington	3	8	2

Batteries—Hart and Yeager; Lee, Gear and Clark.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 22.—A wild throw by Dunn in the sixth inning gave Milwaukee two runs and the game. Howell and Sparks both pitched good ball. Attendance 850. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Milwaukee	5	6	2
Baltimore	3	5	2

Batteries—Sparks and Maloney; Howell and Bresnehan.

Moonshiners Not Found.

MONTEREY, Tenn., July 22.—The posse from Nashville, to reinforce the revenue raiders engaged in Saturday's battle, reached here to-day under the command of Revenue Agent Chapman and United States Marshal Overal. They found the region quiet and information concerning moonshiners hard to obtain. Nothing definite could be learned of the mountaineers supposed to have been wounded or of their recent movements. Thomas Price, the wounded deputy marshal, is still alive, but can live but a short time.

At the Twin Lakes Assembly.

SANTA CRUZ, July 22.—The Baptist Assembly at Twin Lakes opened to-day with a good attendance. This morning the boys' and girls' class was led by D. P. Ward, Sunday school missionary. The devotional service was in charge of Rev. M. Slaughter. There was a lecture on "The University of Chicago," by Rev. F. E. Morgan of Gonzales. Rev. A. W. Rider this evening lectured on "A Message From Garcia."

Steamer Reported Sinking.

SAGINAW, Mich., July 23, 2 a. m.—The steamship City of New Baltimore, Captain Maher, which runs between Saginaw and Tawas, is reported sinking in the channel of the river near Carrolliton, supposed to have struck a snag. The tug A. C. McLean has gone down to take off the passengers and crew.

Pools Will Be Sold on Races.

SACRAMENTO, July 22.—Mayor Clark, Chief of Police Sullivan and President Ing of the Board of Trustees this evening granted the Trotting Horse Breeders' Association and the State Agricultural Society a license to sell pools at their respective meetings in August and September at Agricultural Park.

RESULTS ON EASTERN TRACKS.

Crowd Attends Opening of Grand Circuit Meeting at Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, O., July 22.—Ideal racing weather, a large crowd and a track as smooth as glass characterized the opening day of the Grand Circuit meeting at the Cleveland Driving Park. The attendance was 5000. Summary:

Trotting, 2:10 class, purse $1500—Sister Alice won two straight heats in 2:12 and 2:13. King Chimes, Phrase, Venus II, Annie Burns, Phoebe Childers and Stamboulet also started.

Pacing, 2:13 class, purse $1500—Martha Marshall won in three straight heats. Time, 2:09½, 2:09¾, 2:13. Nonomie, Twinkle, Frank Farrot, The Minister, Furoso, Gus Webel, Don Reilly, Queen R and You Bet also started.

Trotting, 2:16 class, purse $2500—Metellas won in three straight heats. Time, 2:13½, 2:14¼, 2:11. Annie Wilkes, Lady Thisbe, Re-elected, Clara Kimball and A. L. K. also started.

Pacing, 2:20 class, purse $1200—Audubon Boy won in two straight heats. Time, 2:10, 2:09¾. Shadow Chimes, John P, Thornway, Lady Perkins, Xava Pop, Mississippi King, Pure Gold, Sufrett, Teddy F, King Wills, Fred Pabst, Kaytie Wilton, C. W. B. and St. Patrick's Belle also started.

NEW YORK, July 22.—Brighton Beach results:

First race, five furlongs—Lady Radnor won, Oclawaha second, Neither One third. Time, 1:00 4-5.

Second race, steeplechase, about two miles—Mystic Shriner won, Eophone second, Magic Light third. Time, 4:35.

Third race, five furlongs—Zirl won, Prophetic second, Montana Pioneer third. Time, 1:01 3-5.

Fourth race, Glen Cove, six furlongs—The Musketeer won, Isla second, Rappanecker third. Time, 1:12 3-5.

Fifth race, one and an eighth miles, selling—Latson won, Lady Chorister second, Fatalist third. Time, 1:52 4-5.

Sixth race, six furlongs—Brigadier won, May W second, Wax Taper third. Time, 1:12 4-5.

ST. LOUIS, July 22.—Delmar Park summary:

First race, one mile, selling—Sweet Dream won, Seething second, Kate Freeman third. Time, 1:43½.

Second race, six furlongs, selling—Wild Katie won, Benham second, Weideman third. Time, 1:16.

Third race, six furlongs, purse—Runnels won, Marque second, Ethylene third. Time, 1:15 1-5.

Fourth race, one mile, purse—Lunar won, Guide Rock second, Tickful third. Time, 1:42½.

Fifth race, mile and twenty yards, selling—Elsie Barnes won, Zazel second, Chickamagua third. Time, 1:45½.

Sixth race, six and a half furlongs, purse—Brulare won, General McGruder second, Peaceful third. Time, 1:21½.

BUTTE, Mont., July 22.—Results:

First race, five furlongs—Reap won, Arline B second, Clear Sky third. Time, 1:02¾.

Second race, mile and twenty yards—Monda won, Free Pass second, Ping third. Time, 1:43¾.

Third race, five furlongs—Aunt Mary won, Kitty Kelly second, Amasa third. Time, 1:01¼.

Fourth race, one mile—Spike won, Montallade second, William F third. Time, 1:42¾.

Fifth race, six furlongs—La Gorta won, Joe K second, Girly Ducat third. Time, 1:16½.

Sixth race, three and a half furlongs—Abba L won, Honest John second, Big Dutch third. Time, :41.

CHICAGO, July 22.—Hawthorne summary:

First race, six furlongs—Miss Bennett won, Admonition second, Possart third. Time, 1:14¼.

Second race, five furlongs—Red Tip won, I. Samuelson second, Bridge third. Time, 1:02½.

Third race, steeplechase, short course—May Boy won, Gray John second, Captain Canover third. Time, 3:26½.

Fourth race, Prairie stakes, one mile—Cambrian won, Louisville second, W. J. Deboe third. Time, 1:40½.

Fifth race, mile and a sixteenth, handicap—Robert Waddell won, Malay second, Martimas third. Time, 1:48.

Sixth race, mile and a quarter—Laureate won, Tammany Chief second, Frangible third. Time, 2:08¾.

DETROIT, July 22.—Windsor (Ont.) summary:

First race, six furlongs—The Rush won, Joe Martin second, John McElroy third. Time, 1:14¼.

Second race, five furlongs—Nellie Waddell won, Henry Seitt second, Huntressa third. Time, 1:01½.

Third race, mile and a sixteenth—Bassvernine won, Ecome second, Enghurst third. Time, 1:49.

Fourth race, International Handicap stake, one mile—Espionage won, Charlie O'Brien second, Uledi third. Time, 1:40¾.

Fifth race, six furlongs—Athera won, Murat second, Rotterdam third. Time, 1:16.

Sixth race, six furlongs, selling—Velma Clarke won, B. G. Fox second, Nina B L third. Time, 1:15.

BUFFALO, July 22.—Fort Erie results:

First race, six furlongs—St. David won, Francis Reis second, Hurry third. Time, 1:15½.

Second race, four and a half furlongs—Lucrusta won, Artificial second, Peronelle third. Time, :56½.

Third race, mile and a sixteenth—Belle Court won, Radford second, Flag of Truce third. Time, 1:48¼.

Fourth race, five furlongs—Edwin Kenton won, Lemuel second, Easy Street third. Time, 1:02¼.

Fifth race, six and a half furlongs, selling—Eau Claire won, Filibuster second, Ida Penzance third. Time, 1:21¼.

Sixth race, seven furlongs—Magog won, Dick Warren second, Maple third. Time, 1:29.

DUBOSE BEGINS SERVING TIME

Must Remain Six Months in County Jail for Contempt.

Found Guilty of Advising Client to Disobey Orders of Court.

Oakland Office San Francisco Call, 1118 Broadway, July 22.

Ex-Judge Dudley Dubose arrived at the Alameda County Jail this morning in charge of Deputy United States Marshal Gamble to begin serving his six months' sentence for contempt of court, of which he was adjudged guilty last May by the United States Circuit Court in connection with the Cape Nome receivership case.

The deputy Marshal left Nome with his prisoner July 7 and arrived in Oakland at 9 o'clock this morning.

Dubose was cited for contempt on account of a speech in the military barracks at Nome last September during the excitement over the wholesale seizure of mines by parties attempting to oust the original claimants. The contestants had Alexander McKenzie appointed receiver pending the trial of their claims before the District Court.

The original claimants secured a writ of supersedeas from the Circuit Court, directing McKenzie to deliver the gold taken from the disputed claims to the defendants. Dubose's speech contained the statement that his advice to his client, O. J. Comtois, one of the plaintiffs, as contestants, was, and would continue to be, to disregard the writ and refuse to deliver the gold.

The order of the Circuit Court on which Dubose is committed concedes that in so far as the attorney was merely advising his client of his rights on the ground that the Circuit Court's writ would not lie for lack of jurisdiction, he was justified in expressing his opinion; but that Dubose appeared to have done more than this, abetting Comtois in his resistance of the order of the court, and thereby becoming technically a co-conspirator to evade the law.

The imprisoned attorney takes his punishment calmly, saying that there was a difference of opinion between himself and the court as to whether he was in contempt, but that the court's decision was final and he should serve his sentence with what grace he could master.

"I'm going back in six months," he said. "I have no idea of applying for a pardon or anything of the kind.

"The trouble arose over something which the court found I said with regard to an order from the court last September, advising a client of mine that the court had no jurisdiction and the order was void.

"The speech in question was made in the barracks at Nome. A lot of the miners were making trouble. A mob was outside the bank threatening to break into the treasure vaults and take the money to pay their back wages, which so far had been held up by the receivers. One man tried to shoot McKenzie on the street. Some of us were at the barracks talking over the situation.

"I give the story now as the court has decided it occurred. I rose and stated my belief that the Circuit Court's order was void for lack of jurisdiction and said that the men who wanted Major Van Arsdale, the commander of the post before whom the informal conference was held, to break into the bank and get their money for them were in the wrong. As a matter of fact, I now know that the question of jurisdiction has been settled by the United States Supreme Court in favor of the position taken by the Circuit Court."

The committing order states it as a mitigating fact that when the writ of supersedeas was served, in October, 1900, Dubose admitted that he had been mistaken and advised his client to obey the order.

At the time of the trouble Dubose was not McKenzie's attorney.

NOYES IS COMING TO ANSWER CHARGE

District Judge at Nome Will Make Personal Explanation to Attorney General.

WASHINGTON, July 22.—The Department of Justice has received a letter from Judge Arthur H. Noyes of the United States District Court at Nome, Alaska, asking leave of absence to visit the States. The desired permission was granted and Judge Noyes will be allowed to leave his post immediately upon receiving the department's letter, which will probably be in about a month.

Early in the spring the Attorney General forwarded to Judge Noyes a copy of the charges that had been filed in the Department of Justice against him, alleging malfeasance in office in connection with the gold mining receiverships at Nome. At that time he was directed to make his reply to the department by mail. A few weeks ago, however, the United States Circuit Court for the Ninth Circuit in California summoned Judge Noyes to appear before it to answer to a charge of contempt in connection with the notorious McKenzie receivership. As Judge Noyes will have to appear in San Francisco in October, it is presumed at the department that he will avail himself of the opportunity while in the United States of answering the charges against him in person to the Attorney General.

In Jail for Bigamy.

SAN JOSE, July 22.—Fred Noell Pinard, a young man about 25 years of age, found his way into the city prison to-night with a charge of bigamy against him. In 1898 Pinard married Julia E. Alford, a pretty Spanish girl. They lived together but a short time. About ten days ago Pinard procured a license to marry Mary Herman. He intended to marry Stella Herman, aged 17, but by a laughable mistake got his prospective mother-in-law's name instead of the daughter's. His first wife heard of the issuing of the license, but kept quiet until the marriage was performed and the certificate recorded. Then she went before City Justice Cobb and charged Pinard with bigamy.

Captain of the Mineola Weds.

NANAIMO, B. C., July 22.—Captain Alexander Kirkwood of the steamer Mineola, in the Nanaimo-California service and Mrs. Bessie Ritchie were married this evening at the home of the bride's parents. Chief Officer McIntosh of the Mineola was best man and Rev. Dr. MacRae of the Presbyterian church performed the ceremony. Captain and Mrs. Kirkwood sailed for Port Los Angeles on the Mineola to-night.

Negro Murderer Lynched.

ELKINS, W. Va., July 22.—William Brooks, a negro, was lynched to-night, being hanged from the limb of a tree in the city park. Brooks shot and fatally wounded Chief of Police Lilly, who sought to arrest him for creating a disturbance.

Barbers Present a Badge.

Past President Bliely of the Journeymen Barbers' Union No. 148 was presented with a diamond studded gold badge last night as a mark of esteem from his fellow members. President Wray made the presentation speech.

A proposition to donate $50 for the benefit of the striking machinists was favorably acted upon.

LATE SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

COOS BAY—Arrived July 22—Schr Monterey, hence July 18.

Sailed July 21—Schr Webfoot, for San Francisco.

BALLARD—Arrived July 22—Schr Columbia, hence July 11.

PORT TOWNSEND—Arrived July 22—Schr Muriel, from Petropaulovski.

KIDNAPED CHILDREN SOON MAY BE RECOVERED BY AUTHORITIES

Charitable Society Gets Clew as to Whereabouts of Joseph Clifford and Roy Taylor, Two Little Boys Who Mysteriously Disappeared Last April

ONE OF THE YOUNG BOYS WHO WAS KIDNAPED BY A WOMAN.

SECRETARY WHITE of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children says he has recently received news which may lead to the recovery of Roy Taylor and Joseph Clifford, two little boys who were kidnaped in San Francisco last spring. The children had been placed in the care of the Ladies' Protective and Relief Association by relatives and mysteriously disappeared while on their way home from school on April 15 of the present year. It was subsequently asserted by the authorities that the boys had been spirited away by Mrs. Joseph Silva, an habitue of the music halls on the Barbary Coast.

Mrs. Taylor of San Bruno and Mrs. Clifford of Oakland, the mothers of the boys, immediately took up the search and no stone was left unturned which might lead to their recovery. Rewards were offered, the authorities throughout the State were notified and the two women themselves hunted through all the vile dens of the city in which the Silva woman might be found, but all to no avail.

The bereaved mothers are heart-broken and exhausted with their fruitless search.

Mrs. Silva visited Mrs. Clifford shortly after the disappearance of the boys and threatened that if all efforts looking toward the recovery of the children were not immediately discontinued, death would be the penalty. Before the police could be notified she was gone.

Secretary White and Officer McMurray of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children have been persistent in their efforts to find the lost ones. They have at last got an inkling as to the whereabouts of the Clifford boy and are confident that Roy Taylor will be found with him.

It is thought that Mrs. Silva has left the State to avoid punishment for the deed. She is the mother of Joseph Clifford, but gave him away several years ago. She had never shown any affection for the child and the only motive which any one has ever been able to suggest for the crime is that she expected in some way to turn the children into a source of revenue.

TIRED OF LIFE, SAYS HER NOTE

Lettie Edwards Leaves Alarming Epistle and Disappears.

Oakland Office San Francisco Call, 1118 Broadway, July 22.

"Gone to the city. Will be back to pack my things. Am tired of life. LETTIE."

The foregoing, written by Mrs. Lettie Edwards on the back of an envelope, was found by her husband, C. L. Edwards, in their room at 542 Seventeenth street, Saturday evening. Mrs. Edwards left her home a few hours before. Her anxious spouse, after hunting without avail for his missing wife, reported her disappearance to the police to-day. He believes Mrs. Edwards has committed suicide because of despondency due to his inability to get employment and the urgent demands of their landlady that they pay room rent, now overdue.

Edwards told the police that his wife had left the house about 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon. He arrived home during the evening and found her gone, the only cause, so far as he could discover, being the difficulties that confronted them. The husband as the tears welled from his eyes said:

"That note convinces me that my wife has committed suicide. She said she would return, but I haven't seen a trace of her anywhere, and I feel that she has thrown herself into the bay."

Edwards claimed he was unable to obtain employment at his trade of house painting, because of non-membership in the Painters' Union, being barred because he is a member of the State militia.

The missing wife is 35 years of age, of slender figure, light hair and blue eyes. She wore a dark skirt, light waist and straw hat and carried away with her a yellow hand satchel.

During her melancholy moods Mrs. Edwards, her husband said had threatened to commit suicide.

Thousands of Homeseekers Register.

EL RENO, O. T., July 22.—All previous records were broken here to-day when 14,556 persons registered. This makes a total for El Reno of 93,048. The registration for Lawton to-day was 2503, making a total of 26,282.

The trains from the north and east brought in immense crowds, the people hanging on to the steps and riding on top of the coaches.

Machinists Return to Work.

SEATTLE, July 22.—Twenty-five machinists in the employ of the Pacific Coast Company, who left their positions when the local Machinists' Union ordered a strike last May, will return to work to-morrow. An agreement was reached between the men and President Farrell this afternoon. The terms of the agreement have been kept secret.

Walthour Defeats the Parisian.

NEW YORK, July 22.—Bobby Walthour of Atlanta, Ga., easily defeated Edouard Tayleure of Paris by more than a mile and three-quarters in a fifteen-mile motor-paced race in Madison Square Garden to-night. The time, 26:37 2-5, is 55 seconds behind the indoor record, made by Stinson a week ago on the same track.

Money for Lord Bobs.

LONDON, July 23.—"It is believed," says the Times, "that a grant will be made to Lord Roberts in recognition of his services in South Africa and to enable him to suitably maintain his peerage. To provide this an additional estimate will be submitted to Parliament forthwith. The grant will be £100,000."

Death of Pioneer Woman.

BERKELEY, July 22.—Mrs. Alice Holt Macdonald, one of the early residents of this city, died this afternoon at 2 o'clock, after a three days' attack of heart trouble, at her home, 2105 Vine street. She leaves two daughters, Laura and Evelyn, and two sons, Herschel H. and George. Her husband is in Alaska on a business trip. The funeral arrangements have not been made.

SPURIOUS NOTES IN CIRCULATION

Printed From the Plates of a Defunct Bank of New Jersey.

WASHINGTON, July 22.—Chief Wilkie of the Secret Service has received a number of bank notes printed from the original plates used by the State Bank of New Brunswick, N. J., over fifty years ago. The bank went out of existence some time in the fifties and it was supposed that the steel plates from which its notes were printed were destroyed. It seems, however, that these plates have fallen into the hands of parties who have printed from them large quantities of notes, which have been put into circulation from New York to San Francisco. A very large percentage of the notes so far discovered are twos, although some ones and fives are being sent in. Inasmuch as the notes are not counterfeits of any United States note or obligation the makers and passers cannot be prosecuted under the United States laws. It appears that the notes readily pass along the Canadian frontier, as the takers think they are notes of the Canadian province of New Brunswick, the words "New Jersey" being printed in small letters. The notes are printed on bond paper and are quite as good in every respect as the originals. It is said that possibly $2,000,000 of these notes are in circulation.

Violinist Kubelik Coming to America.

LONDON, July 22.—The Hungarian violinist, Kubelik, has been engaged by Daniel Frohman for an American tour, commencing in New York in December next. Frohman has guaranteed that Kubelik's share of the proceeds of the tour shall not be less than $100,000.

Fenn Wins the Pursuit Race.

HARTFORD, Conn., July 22.—W. S. Fenn of Bristol, Conn., won the international five-mile pursuit race from T. J. Gascoyne of England at the Velodrome to-night in hollow fashion.

SIMPLE RITES MARK SERVICES

Last Tribute Is Paid to Memory of Robert Grayson.

Many Friends of Deceased Mining Man Attend Funeral.

Oakland Office San Francisco Call, 1118 Broadway, July 22.

The funeral of the late Robert R. Grayson, son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Grayson of this city, was held this afternoon from the Grayson residence, Ninth and Madison streets. The services were simple, being the burial rites of the Roman Catholic church. The Rev. M. P. Ryan, pastor of St. Brigid's Church of San Francisco, conducted the exercises.

Many friends of the young mining man, whose untimely death Saturday in San Francisco caused much grief, attended the services. The remains rested in a black cloth-covered casket, surrounded by many beautiful flowers, in memoriam, from relatives and friends.

The services were opened with the rendition of the hymn, "Lead, Kindly Light," sung by the following quartet from Oakland Lodge No. 171 of Elks: A. G. Cliff, C. J. Hart, C. L. Learn and F. H. Ayer.

The funeral service of the Catholic church was recited in Latin by the officiating clergyman. Then "Nearer, My God, to Thee," was sung by the quartet. Father Ryan concluded with the reading in English of the closing rites, and the third number, "Good Night," by the quartet, ended the services at the residence.

The interment was in Mountain View Cemetery, where the burial service according to the ritual of the Elks Lodge was recited. The pall-bearers were Henry T. Creswell, D. T. Murphy, Joseph Garber, Walter L. Dean, Alexander Hamilton, Eugene Lent, Captain Seymour and Alfred Bouvier.

San Francisco Lodge No. 3 of Elks sent the following delegation to the funeral:

H. Jacobsen, J. Fouget, P. Selig, P. Bacigalupi, L. C. Quen, F. W. Thompson, William Cronan, Herman Kohn, J. R. Howell, P. V. Long, J. G. Fitzgerald, J. A. Ulrich, C. S. Wheeler, R. P. Churchill, H. Kohlmoos, A. G. Fisk and Arthur Fisk.

Oakland Lodge No. 3 was represented by the following-named members:

Superior Judge Henry A. Melvin, Dr. C. L. Tisdale, R. M. Clement, Joseph Ghirardelli, J. A. Macdonald, W. Felton, Robert Simpson, Paul F. Hinckman, Edward H. Benjamin and Fletcher Simms.

From the Society of California Pioneers, of which the elder Grayson is a prominent member, there attended Marshal W. L. Duncan, R. T. Avery, William A. Williams, Thomas Call, J. Q. Adams, W. A. White and Felix Sanchez.

Foreclosure on a Railroad.

TACOMA, July 22.—All the railroad property of the Portland and Puget Sound Railroad Company in Pierce County has been swept away by the execution of a judgment obtained by the Seattle and Montana Railroad Company on May 21, 1901, in the Superior Court, for $1,667,200. The property embraces real estate in Tacoma, Fern Hill and Lake View, and right-of-way privileges and grading from Tacoma to the Columbia River.

The railroad was organized in 1891, the purpose being to build a branch line which would be utilized by the Union Pacific as a Puget Sound connection with Portland. Much grading was done, nearly $2,000,000 being spent.

Probate of Wickersham Will.

SANTA ROSA, July 22.—Judge Burnett to-day admitted the will of the late Fred A. Wickersham, the Petaluma banker, to probate and appointed the widow as executrix. The estate is valued at more than $150,000.

THE DAY'S DEAD.

Gustav Kapt.

SAN JOSE, July 22.—Gustave Kapt, for many years engaged in the jewelry business in this city, was found dead in his bed at Redwood Villa, between Los Gatos and Alma, this morning. He was a native of Switzerland, and at the time of his death 85 years of age. About thirty years ago he came to this city and opened a jewelry store on North Market street. His place was a landmark for years. Some time ago he retired and had not been actively engaged in business since. A short time ago he went to Redwood Villa for the outing which ended with his life.

B. Goldsmith.

PORTLAND, Or., July 22.—B. Goldsmith, capitalist and Democratic politician, died to-day of heart failure. Mr. Goldsmith was a native of Bavaria, coming to the United States at the age of 15 and to Oregon in 1860. He was Mayor of Portland in 1870, and for several years was chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee.

Rev. Henry Root Avery.

SAN JOSE, July 22.—Rev. Henry Root Avery, one of the pioneer Presbyterian ministers of the coast, died here this morning, aged 73 years. He organized the first Presbyterian church in Corvallis, Or., in 1859.

Dr. L. J. King.

SANTA ROSA, July 22.—Dr. L. J. King, a pioneer of the State, died to-day after a brief illness. He was a native of New York, aged 62 years.

John Henderson.

GLASGOW, July 22.—John Henderson, the well-known shipbuilder of this city, is dead.

Mercury AND Potash

Everybody knows that Mercury is a dangerous medicine even when administered in very small doses, and few constitutions can stand it for any length of time.

Potash produces inflammation of the stomach and bowels, and a dangerous form of dyspepsia and often chronic diarrhœa follow its use.

Now, the doctors will tell you if you have Contagious Blood Poison you must take these minerals for two years or longer; first, a course of Mercury, and when your teeth get so sensitive and sore that you can't eat, and the gums have a spongy, unnatural appearance, you are told to stop and a change to Potash is made. When the stomach rebels you are put on Mercury again, and so on *ad infinitum*, or until the system becomes so thoroughly saturated with these poisonous drugs that the most disgusting sores break out on the body, the bones become diseased, and the muscles and joints are racked with the most torturing pains. Mercury and Potash drive the eruptions and blotches from the skin, but the virus remains in the blood and the reappearance of the old symptoms and the occasional sore mouth show that the poison is still active, and you can never hope to completely eradicate it by this method of treatment.

When I was about twenty-one years of age, or eighteen years ago, I contracted Blood Poison in a bad form, and am satisfied that the rapid progress the disease was making would soon have made me a life-long invalid or ended my life. As my system came under the influence of S. S. S., the sores, splotches and pimples gradually disappeared and soon no evidence of the disease was left. I am now thirty-nine years old, and have seen no signs of it during the past eighteen years. S. S. S. does all you claim for it. WM. EMERSON, Pevely, Mo.

S. S. S. is the only antidote for this destructive virus, and an infallible remedy for this peculiar poison. It destroys and eradicates every particle of the poison, and makes the blood as healthy and pure as before the disease was contracted.

S. S. S. is the only purely vegetable blood purifier known, and we offer $1,000 for proof that it contains any mineral ingredient whatever. The general health improves as the Specific purges the system of impurities, and as new, rich blood begins to flow in the veins the unsightly sores and other evidences of blood poison disappear; strength returns and you are forever rid of this loathsome disease.

Our Home Treatment Book on Contagious Blood Poison tells you all about the symptoms, different stages, etc., of this disease. We will mail you a copy free.

If you need advice or special directions, write our physicians; it will cost you nothing and may hasten your cure. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO, ATLANTA, GA.