APPLICANTS TRY TO GAIN STARS

Many Take Civil Service Examination for Policemen.

Seventy-Five Per Cent Must Be Made to Get on the List.

Two hundred and thirty-two somewhat nervous men assembled yesterday afternoon at the Girls' High School, corner of Geary and Scott streets, and settled themselves at desks to undergo and attempt to pass the civil service examination, success in which will entitle them to wear policemen's badges.

Chief Examiner Moran made a short address to the men and explained to them the rules governing the examination. He warned them against talking to one another. Commissioner Murdock also said a few words to the applicants and told them to take their time and not get nervous, as they had from 1:30 p. m. to 6:30 p. m. wherein to complete their papers.

Early yesterday morning Civil Service Commissioners Louis Ohnimus, C. A. Murdock and P. H. McCarthy and Chief Examiner Moran each submitted fifteen questions, and from the total of sixty fifteen were chosen for the examination.

The first subject was, "General Knowledge of Duties," the maximum points to be gained being seven. The second subject was, "Writing of Reports," on which the applicant could make a possible two points. The last was, "Arithmetic," which gave the man answering all the questions correctly one point.

In order to pass the examination the men must make 75 per cent. There were originally 407 applicants, but 175 of these failed to pass the physical and athletic examination, leaving 232 to face the civil service test. The questions on which the applicants have to make their 75 per cent to pass are as follows:

How would you place a man under arrest?—7 credits.

What charge would you make in the following cases: (a) picking a pocket of $20; (b) stealing $20 from a store counter; (c) threatening a man with a pistol and taking $20 from him; (d) stealing a cow worth $20?—7.

How would you serve a subpena and make return of service?—7.

State a condition (other than self-defense) under which homicide committed by a policeman would be justifiable?—7.

What should be done with sick or injured persons found on the street?—7.

What is the anti-expectoration ordinance?—7.

What is the Police Department rule regarding liquor drinking and smoking?—7.

Locate the following places: Union Square, State Board of Trade, Portsmouth Square, Masonic Temple, Academy of Sciences?—7.

Define (a) assault, (b) battery.—7.

Are you required to make arrests when off duty? Why?—7.

Locate five local principal points of departure from the State.—6.

Define murder and manslaughter.—6.

If refused admittance to serve a search-warrant, what would you do?—6.

Would you shoot an injured horse without the owner's consent? Why?—6.

State three conditions under which you may make arrests without a warrant.—6.

The applicants were also asked to write a letter of 100 words addressed to the Chief of Police and do some simple examples in arithmetic.

REJECTS OFFER TO SELL ROAD

The Supervisors' Public Utilities Committee yesterday recommended the adoption of a resolution by the board rejecting the offer of the Presidio and Ferries Railway Company to sell the Union-street road to the city. The resolution recites that in the opinion of the Board of Supervisors the offer submitted by the company named is not so advantageous to the municipality as the one to acquire by original construction a municipal railroad upon Geary and other streets in accordance with plans furnished by the City Engineer.

An interesting point was raised by Supervisor Wynn, who quoted from the charter to show that it would be necessary to submit the Union-street road proposition to the people as well as that of the acquisition of the Geary street road by the municipality.

George Newhall, president of the Presidio road, appeared before the committee and offered to sell the system to the city for $350,000, representing 10,000 shares at $35 per share, together with interest at 5 per cent from the year of the foundation of the road, less the dividends already paid during a period of twenty years. Jesse W. Lilienthal, attorney for the road, stated that the amount actually paid in per share of stock was $35 and the dividends amounted to 20 cents per share each month, or about 6 per cent on the capitalization.

The committee did not look with favor on the offer, it being deemed too indefinite. Another section of the charter was unearthed showing that the board has the power to reject any or all propositions should it deem that they were not for the best interests of the city.

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POUNDMAN'S BLOW IS SAID TO HAVE BROUGHT WOMAN TO DEATH'S DOOR

Mrs. Frank Bonnot Is Dying at Her Home as a Result, It Is Charged, of Vicious Attack Made Upon Her While She Was Trying to Help Husband Rescue a Horse From Animal Catchers

WOMAN WHO, IT IS CLAIMED, WAS BRUTALLY BEATEN BY POUNDMEN AND IS NOW IN A SERIOUS CONDITION, HER HUSBAND AND HER ALLEGED ASSAILANTS WHO WERE ARRESTED.

MRS. FRANK BONNOT of 1442 Cortland avenue, while assisting her husband several days ago in an effort to save their horse from the clutches of two deputy poundmen, George Pierce and Charles Dantz, received injuries from which she may die. The two men, one of whom is accused of having viciously inflicted the injuries upon the woman, are in prison awaiting the result of her injuries. The neighborhood where the trouble occurred is aroused against the animal catchers, and the police are busy gathering evidence in connection with the affair.

The Bonnots have been in the habit of staking their horse out on the side of a hill near their home. The land is private property, but they do not know to whom it belongs. On the afternoon of July 9 both went to the pasture to bring the beast home for the night. When they approached the place they observed two men, who afterward proved to be Pierce and Dantz, leading their horse away.

Bonnot called for them to let the horse go, but the poundmen laughed at him. Bonnot than rushed forward, and cutting the rope, attempted to put his own halter on the animal. While thus engaged, he says, he was struck on the head twice from behind and knocked to the ground.

Bonnot says that his wife then seized the horse and that one of the men threw a lasso, catching woman and horse and binding them together. After a struggle Mrs. Bonnot succeeded in freeing herself and again tried to take the horse away.

Then the alleged brutal work was done. Dantz, according to the story told to the police, attacked the woman. The poundman shoved her backward with his hands and struck her several times in the abdomen with his knee. He used his knee with telling effect, for the unfortunate woman fell to the ground, so it is said. Leaving her there the poundmen arrested her husband and charged him at the police station with battery.

Mrs. Bonnot was in a delicate condition at the time of the attack. She did not apprehend any serious results until Wednesday, when her condition became critical and an operation became necessary. Dr. Fritz, who is attending her, states positively her condition is due to the blow and that he has but small hopes of saving her life.

When Bond and Warrant Clerk Bernard Flood visited Mrs. Bonnot's home last night for the purpose of securing her dying statement she refused to make one, saying that she would not die, but would be better in the morning. Detectives Graham and Fitzgerald were also present with the accused men. She identified both and, pointing at Dantz, accused him of having kicked her.

Bonnot's case is still pending in the Police Court.

In their own defense both Pierce and Dantz claim that they used no brutality, and that the Bonnots struck them several times. Both are detained at the Central Police Station pending the result of Mrs. Bonnot's injuries.

PLAN BIG SHOW FOR PYTHIANS

Grand Nave Is Allotted for Display by Counties.

Three thousand incandescent lights will glitter by night above the brave show of products of California that will be made in the grand nave of the ferry building for the enlightenment and pleasure of the thousands of visitors who will be in San Francisco during the month of August. A score of California counties will vie with one another in presenting to the visitors such an exposition of California's industries as has ever been seen under one roof before. Fruits and wines will be provided for distribution. Hospitality will hold sway and people from other sections less favored by nature will be supplied with an object lesson of large size.

Yesterday William McMurray, who will have charge of the exhibit for the big Pythian show in the ferry building, produced a diagram which partly reveals the arrangement that has been made for the accommodation of the counties to be represented. This diagram was made by Charles B. Tidbals. A copy was placed in the rooms of the State Board of Trade, where it was given a prominent position. There the representatives of the various counties will make application for space, the board having given Mr. McMurray permission to have his headquarters there. Manager Filcher of the State Board of Trade is co-operating in getting up the exhibits.

Up to last night the only counties that had secured space were Butte, Stanislaus and Fresno. The last named county will have a very picturesque show for the illustration of its advantages. Leading in this will be a large dam, over which water will constantly run. A large picture of a scene in Stanislaus County and buildings in which will be the products of the county will supplement the big dam. This will take up space running all the way across the south end of the grand nave. At the north end of the nave there may be a Nevada County quartz mill in operation to illustrate the mining industry of the State, but this feature is not definitely decided upon yet.

The entire nave will be occupied. Structures will be erected along the sides in which individual taste will largely control, but there is a specification, to secure general uniformity, that no building shall exceed ten feet in height.

In the center of the nave will be ornamental features, possibly fountains and a large array of potted plants, together with a structure to be erected by Fresno County. Overhead will be floral arches and a vast array of banners. Altogether, according to the arrangements so far as they have been perfected, the exhibition will be spectacular as well as useful. The State Horticultural Society, which has planned to exhibit in the grand nave about the same time, may co-operate with the counties in swelling the show.

FIRE GUTS MILL ON SOUTH SIDE

E. F. Niehaus & Co. Sustain Loss of $15,000.

The band-saw and veneer factory of E. F. Niehaus & Co. on Brannan street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, was damaged by fire to the extent of about $15,000 shortly after 6 o'clock yesterday morning. The cause of the fire is unknown, but the blaze is supposed to have started in the engine-room which adjoins the mill and to have spread to the other parts of the factory.

Police Officer McCormick sent in the first alarm, but more apparatus had to be called for before the fire could be controlled.

Stock and machinery on all three floors of the mill were irreparably damaged or destroyed. Fortunately the firemen were able to save the storehouse which contained more than $25,000 worth of lumber. The loss is wholly sustained by the firm as there has never been any insurance on the place. New machinery which cost $5000 and which was set up less than a month ago was part of the property destroyed.

A trifle more than seven years ago, the same firm experienced a $25,000 fire.

The owners claim that insurance rates are so high in that part of town that under ordinary circumstances it is cheaper to carry on business unprotected. The firm will be crippled to some degree in fulfilling its contracts for the present, but E. F. Niehaus, senior member of the concern, says that he does not apprehend any serious difficulties as a result of the blaze.

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FACTIONS AGREE TO BURY HATCHET

Union Labor Party Leaders Meet in Friendly Discussion.

Mayor Schmitz Scores Martin Kelly as Enemy to Workingmen.

The executive committee of the Union Labor party held a pow-wow in the tanbark arena of Occidental Pavilion at 246 Third street last night. The pipe of peace was offered by the Parry faction, which the Secretary of State and the Supreme Court have pronounced to be "it" and entitled to a place on the official ballot, and the Delany faction smoked it with an appearance of good grace that stirred the applause of the assemblage.

Mayor Schmitz was there and after he had been eulogized by half a dozen speakers and suggested for Governor and, in good time, President, he made a speech himself, pledging himself anew to the principles of union labor and to the endeavor to perpetuate the Union Labor party. He frankly expressed his gratitude to the Primary League for support given him during the campaign. He said the labor party ought to go its way and not concern itself with the factional fights within the old parties, and particularly it ought not to permit itself to be used by Martin Kelly, the enemy of labor, against the Primary League, which had lent aid to the Union Labor party.

Mayor Schmitz was accorded an ovation when he entered the hall and his speech aroused frequent and enthusiastic applause. Every speaker expressed the confidence of the workingmen in the Mayor and their pride in the record he has made.

A. H. Ewell, chairman of the governing committee of the Union Labor party, presided. Several hundred workingmen were present, in addition to the members of the committee. Ewell said the object of the meeting was to get the best judgment of the leaders of the party to guide the committee in restoring harmony in the party.

MAYOR STOOD THE TEST.

Walter Gallagher was called upon for the first speech. Gallagher made a plea for united action. He said the name of Eugene E. Schmitz was a household word throughout the State, at least, it not indeed throughout the nation. The carmen's strike came on and Mayor Schmitz was put to the test and he gave his answer, the speaker said, in a manner that won for him the respect of the whole country.

Thomas Egan paid tribute to "our intrepid Mayor" and said that "every man who toils must feel an honest pride at the mention of his name."

W. H. Getchell spoke briefly but in strong terms of approval of the Mayor.

James de Succa, Schmitz's opponent in the campaign for the Union Labor party nomination, said that the party and the city were to be "congratulated on the election of that honest man, Eugene E. Schmitz, who has proven so able a Mayor that the Republican leaders are scheming to steal him from us and nominate him for Governor, an honor we ourselves intend to confer on him in due time."

William Delany of the Machinists' Union, who was the leader of the disaffected faction, was introduced by Chairman Ewell. He said he believed any difference that existed could be obliterated. He stood, he said, for nothing but plain Union Labor party politics.

James Bowlin of the Hackmen's Union said that in Eugene E. Schmitz the people had elected the grandest Mayor that San Francisco had ever had.

NO AID FOR MARTIN KELLY.

Insistent calls for Mayor Schmitz resulted in his introduction. The Mayor spoke as follows:

Mr. Chairman and Fellow Wage-earners: I came down to be more an observer than a speechmaker—to find out what, if any, were the differences existing between various elements of the laboring men's party. From what I have heard here to-night I do not believe that the trouble is deep-seated, and in my opinion when the time comes the workingmen will be found shoulder to shoulder, doing their duty as in the last election.

Too much energy is being expended at times in the wrong direction. Energy that should be used in furthering the interests of the labor party is wasted in criticizing the Primary League. Too much is being said of its consuming the Union Labor party. It is all rot. It is the device of skillful politicians of the old parties.

If there is one quality I possess it is gratitude. I am grateful to the wage-earners for my elevation to the office I hold, and as often as the opportunity comes I shall endeavor to show my gratitude by serving their interests. In the last election there was a certain element in the Republican party that supported your candidate, and that was the Primary League, and while I may not become its candidate, I feel grateful for that support.

If Martin Kelley and the Primary League are fighting for supremacy in the Republican party, the Union Labor party should not step in and take the side of the boss who opposed the building of battleships at Mare Island.

When we were fighting the battle for our Supervisors in the courts it was the leader of the Primary League who put his hand very deep into his own pocket to furnish money for that contest.

There was a little discord in the governing body of the party, the executive committee. Brother Delany was one who stood, with others, against some of the committee. Unfortunate publicity was given to the dissension. I feel sure that brother Delany is honest in his intentions and his desire to see harmony in our ranks.

We cannot look for much success in this campaign. The time is not ripe for it. We can go on the State ticket only by petition, and that involves difficulties. But I want to go on record as desiring the perpetuity of the Union Labor party. I warn you against taking part with Martin Kelly against the Primary League. If you want to, say to the Primary League, "We will not interfere in the old party contest, and we will not take sides against you, who gave us aid."

My object has not been to secure a few political jobs for workingmen. The Union Labor party has a higher aim—to show that workingmen when placed in positions of trust can fill them as ably and as honestly as old party officeholders. I have kept my pledges in view and believe I have been true to my duty to my party and my fellow citizens. I have listened to eulogies of me here to-night with a little shame, for I am only a workingman, one of you. I hope you shall always hear of me as doing my duty as one of you, taken from your ranks to represent you.

CALL FOR CONVENTION.

John S. Parry, the Fire Commissioner, Captain Krimphoff, John Coghlan and others also made speeches.

A motion to appoint a committee of twelve to bring about harmony was made, but was withdrawn when Mayor Schmitz and William Delany both expressed the opinion that the need for the committee did not exist, as harmony had been restored.

The call for the local convention, as adopted by the governing committee, was read by the secretary, G. F. Aubertine. The date is September 23, at 8 p. m. Four Superior Judges, five Justices of the Peace, a Superintendent of Schools, a member of the Assembly for each district, a State Senator in each of the even numbered districts are to be nominated.

The convention is to be composed of 225 delegates, apportioned among the districts as follows:

Twenty-eighth, 16; Twenty-ninth, 19; Thirtieth, 20; Thirty-first, 20; Thirty-second, 16; Thirty-third, 13; Thirty-fourth, 12; Thirty-fifth, 11; Thirty-sixth, 15; Thirty-seventh, 9; Thirty-eighth, 8; Thirty-ninth, 7; Fortieth, 7; Forty-first, 9; Forty-second, 10; Forty-third, 9; Forty-fourth, 11; Forty-fifth, 13.

UNION LEAGUE CLUB.

The Union League Club has perfected its arrangements for the reception to the California Congressional delegation next Wednesday evening. Invitations will be extended to Senators Perkins and Bard and Representatives Coombs, Woods, Metcalf, Kahn, Loud, McLachlan and Needham. The Governor of the State, Mayor of San Francisco and representatives of the Chamber of Commerce, Board of Trade and Merchants' Association will also be invited. As the Republican aspirants for the gubernatorial nomination—E. F. Preston, Thomas Flint, E. B. Edson and Dr. George C. Pardee—are members of the league special invitations in their behalf will not be necessary.

REPUBLICAN PRIMARY LEAGUE

A meeting of the Republican Primary League Club of the Forty-fifth Assembly District was held last evening at Washington-square Hall, under the presidency of L. A. Rae. There was a large attendance, and after the chairman had given the members and visitors advice as to ignoring "bossism" and upholding the unselfish and the honest man in politics A. Ruef made an impassioned address in which he told of the many improvements that the Forty-fifth District had enjoyed of late, and of the children's playground that was to be placed there, and, amid applause, denounced the political "boss," who was in politics, he said, for what he could get out of it and not for the benefit and betterment of his fellow-man.

The appointment of the following executive committee of the club was announced:

Joseph Barbetta, William R. Noonan, Jack Schneider, Joseph Spohn, William Musante, R. Foppiano, Frank Syme, H. L. Heber, L. Pellegrini, William Bloomfield, Charles H. Sommerlad, Charles Heins, Ed Nellman, Louis Strohl, George Faber, John Christianson.

VICTORY IS EXPECTED.

A campaign committee consisting of fifty progressive citizens was selected by the meeting. The organization of the good government forces in the Forty-fifth District is fully effected, and there is every prospect of substantial victory at the primary polls on August 12.

The joint executive or central committee of the Republican Primary League, consisting of 428 members, will meet tonight at Red Men's Hall, 320 Post street. It is understood that campaign policies will be discussed. There is every assurance that the local forces of good citizenship will be consolidated to redeem the Republican party of San Francisco from the disgrace of boss rule.

A meeting of the Thirtieth Assembly District Republican Primary League Club was held last evening at Belvedere Hall, 105½ Ninth street. A large crowd was present. Speeches were made by C. E. Arnold, N. Hall, Mr. Tomsky and others. Twenty-two new members signed the club roll, and great enthusiasm prevailed.

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