

EMPLOYEES OF HERCULES POWDER WILL WALK OUT Refuse to Work With Non-union Men Who Replaced Striking Machinists

BIG PLANT IS TIED UP Local Bricklayers Deny Report That They Contemplate Going Out

The plant of the Hercules powder company at Pinole was tied up yesterday morning through the refusal of the union men to work at the side of 11 non-union machinists who had been imported by the company to take the places of the machinists who struck for an eight-hour day.

Nearly 1,000 men are affected by the strike. The boiler makers' helpers, electricians, lead burners, steam fitters and other unions called out their members working in the mills and declare they will not return to work until the machinists get their eight-hour day.

The brick layers' union of this city denounces as utterly false a report published to the effect that a general strike of the bricklayers is contemplated.

On June 1 the brick layers and structural iron workers would walk out unless their wages were increased. The brick layers say the rumor is both false and malicious and circulated with intent to injure unionism in this city.

The following resolution was unanimously adopted at a meeting of the local district council of carpenters last Wednesday night.

Whereas reports are being circulated by enemies of organized labor to the effect that various branches of the building trades of this city are about to strike, and that such reports are being used to create a panic among the public, and to induce them to take any action that may be suggested by the building trades union.

Resolved, by the local district council of carpenters, that we do hereby declare that we know of no such strike, and that we know that the building trades union is not planning to strike.

Another resolution adopted without a dissenting voice, was that any member riding on the streets under present conditions shall be fined \$10.

The sailors' union of the Pacific coast at its last meeting donated \$100 to the laundry workers to help them in their difficulty.

The longshore lumbermen's union has decided to expel any member riding on a car manned by non-union men. The union at its last meeting received 25 suggestions for membership. A special meeting of the union has been called for next Tuesday night.

The new scale of wages for the marine cooks and stewards' union has been accepted by the Oceanic Steamship company. A report was presented at the last meeting to the effect that the business is good at San Pedro and Seattle.

The executive committee of the federated trades council and a committee of the laundry workers of Sacramento have placed on the unfair list all steam laundries and the stores and firms that patronize them. An effect of this will be placing the laundry wagon drivers on the list of strikers.

There is no sign of the strike of the union tailors in Los Angeles being called off. It is said that about 20 of the merchant tailors who since last September have refused to grant the demand made by the union men still declare themselves in favor of the open shop.

The fight of the teamsters' union of Los Angeles has been taken up by 29 labor unions, and it is thought that many of those unions will go out on a sympathy strike. The draymen's association was recently asked to sign an agreement to allow the union men to return to work at increased pay and with pay for overtime. The association declined to do so, and the union declared that it will treat only with individuals.

NEW WAY TO YOSEMITE VALLEY Via Yosemite Valley Railroad, Effective May 15th. The Yosemite Valley railroad will begin operation of regular passenger trains from Merced to El Portal, the entrance to Yosemite National park.

EVIDENCE ACCUMULATING IN BOILER TUBE INQUIRY Employees of the Shelby Company Tell of Frauds Perpetrated on the Government. PITTSBURG, May 9.—Today's witnesses in the trial of J. Jay Dunn and Charles I. Close, charged with furnishing defective boiler tubes for warships, were employees of the Shelby steel tube company.

EMMETT, BURNETT OPERATED THE HYDRAULIC TESTING MACHINE, testified that about half the tubes were given no pressure at all. Emmett, Burnett said, offered him money to pass the tubes through the machine.

METHODISTS TO DISCUSS A BROTHERHOOD PROJECT Robert W. Perks Coming Here From Europe to Lay the Matter Before the Churches. QUEENSTOWN, May 9.—Among the passengers of the steamship Adriatic, which sailed today for New York with nearly 3,000 passengers aboard, is Robert W. Perks, M. P. Perks is going to the United States to discuss with the Methodists there and in Canada the project of the establishment of a worldwide Methodist brotherhood for the promotion of employment, emigration, savings banks and old age pensions among the Methodists.

KUROKI REACHES WASHINGTON WASHINGTON, May 9.—General Kuroki and party, escorted by General MacArthur and other army officers, arrived here today. Kuroki is in honor of the United States. Kuroki was given tonight, when he and his party were dined by Secretary Taft. Under the guidance of Ambassador Aoki the distinguished visitors called upon the various cabinet officers. Secretary Taft gave them an especially warm welcome.

MEMORIAL FUND COMPLETED—Baltimore, May 9.—The mass memorial fund of \$90,000 to promote the cause of equal suffrage has been completed, according to advice received here today.

GOVERNMENT TRIUMPHS OVER THE DRUG TRUST Combine Perpetually Enjoined From Continuing Its Operations

VICTORY IS SWEEPING No More Fixing of Prices or Blacklisting of "Cut Raters"

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 9.—The so-called "drug trust" was perpetually enjoined today from continuing its operations by a decree in the United States court in the district of Indiana upon the complaint of the United States government filed by District Attorney Joseph B. Keating. The defendants, 93 in number, who are members, officers, directors, agents and attorneys of the National Association of Retail Druggists, National Wholesale Druggists' association, direct contract proprietors, wholesale contract proprietors and Charles Baumgaugh, are enjoined from combining and conspiring to restrain the sale of drugs, to fix prices by agreement, to blacklist retailers who cut prices or to refuse to sell to any retailer on equal terms. All publication of blacklists is forbidden and all contracts and agreements covered by the charges are declared void.

The direct contract serial number plan is prohibited, as well as the procuring, the adoption of schedules for the sale of drugs.

Charles C. Baumgaugh was charged in the bill of complaint with having been engaged in printing and circulating lists called blacklists, which contained the names of druggists throughout the country who sold proprietary articles and medicines at prices less than those which the alleged combination ordered. He would send each month to every retail and wholesale druggist in the United States who belonged to the association a list of those accused of cutting prices, and these "aggressive cutters," they were called, could not buy goods. It was further charged that those accused of cutting prices on proprietary medicines were unable to purchase any kinds of drugs from the members of the several associations. All such practices are perpetually enjoined.

The decree entered today was dictated by the government attorneys and agreed to by the defendants. With the entering of the decree the litigation comes to an end with a complete victory for the government.

STRIKE RUMORS DENIED BY BUILDING COUNCIL Oakland Labor Body Sets at Rest Any Misgivings of Public

OAKLAND, May 9.—The building trades council in Alameda county, desiring to set at rest rumors of coming labor troubles on this side of the bay, issued the following statement tonight: The attention of the building trades council of Alameda county has been called to the fact during the past few days that rumors are being circulated to the effect that some of the unions in the building trades are about to inaugurate strikes for increased wages, and we desire at this time to set the minds of the people at rest.

Just how these rumors were first put into circulation is not known, but they are as definitely untrue as the fact that the fine Italian hand of Herbert George and his pals of the Citizens' alliance in this despicable work. It is a known fact that immediately after a visit to San Francisco a well known member of that detestable band who, by the way, is interested in the harness business, and of course is in no way connected with the building trades, had been circulating stories to the effect that the carpenters would strike "next Monday" for \$6 a day, and that the plumbers would strike for \$12.50 for round trip.

In this connection the building trades council wishes to state that no union may demand an increase of wages without the consent of the council, and a further rule that no union may demand an increase of wages until at least one year after its last increase. There is also a rule of the council that whenever an increase of wages is demanded by any union, it must be given through the building trades council, to the employers.

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DEMANDS OF THIS KIND HAVE NOT BEEN RECENTLY made, nor are there any contemplations of any such demands. The contrary is simply a malicious lie, made with the purpose of trying to create a panic in the building industry. This is known to the general body of contractors, and we feel that it should be shown to the public. We wish to assure the public that no union of the building trades in this city has any of the unions affiliated with this council violate any of our rules and attempt an unauthorized strike for an increase of wages that will be dealt with by the building trades council.

SECRETARY OF BUILDING TRADES COUNCIL OF ALAMEDA COUNTY. CALIFORNIANS IN NEW YORK NEW YORK, May 9.—The following Californians are in New York: From San Francisco—P. R. Brown, at the Herald Square; S. Shen and wife, at the Cadillac; Miss E. Stone, Mrs. E. B. Stone and C. B. Stone Jr., at the Seville; J. A. Ellis, at the Holland; M. Lang and wife, at the Victoria; J. E. Mills and wife, at the St. George; A. W. Davis, at the Marie Antonette; M. L. Harris, Miss Mitchell, Mrs. Mitchell, Mr. Rand; O. C. Lefurey, at the Marlborough; Miss T. G. Macera, at the Cumberland; C. C. Pratt and wife, at the Cadillac; and T. C. Van Ness, at the Seville.

FROM OAKLAND—P. M. Maher, at the Astor; A. Kaiser, C. Kohler, J. Martin and wife, at the Victoria; E. J. Osgood, at the Grand; Miss Rittigstein, Mrs. A. Rittigstein, at the Gerard.

FROM LOS ANGELES—A. T. Crossley, A. Park, R. M. Pogson and wife, at the St. Denis.

FROM STOCKTON—J. Baldwin, at the Navarra.

UP TO AND INCLUDING the excursion leaving San Francisco on May 10 the Southern Pacific Company will have in effect special Friday to Monday excursion rates to Mount Hermon Park, in the Santa Cruz mountains, trip tickets and three days' board and lodging at the hotel.

Your opportunity to enjoy a delightful week-end holiday. Ask any agent.

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PLATT REGRETS BOOST HE GAVE ROOSEVELT Nomination for Vice President a Sad Mistake, Says Senator

PLOT IS ADMITTED "I Wanted to Get Rid of Him," Feeble Ex-boss Explains

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE CALL. NEW YORK, May 9.—A reporter found Senator Platt today in the front room of a flat at the Elmdorf in West Eleventh street, to which he has moved recently from the Hotel Gotham. The flat is hired in the name of Gustav Abel. Mrs. Abel threw the senator message treatment daily. The weather was so bad that the senator had decided not to go down to the United States express office. He was in a talkative and reminiscent mood.

"Senator," asked the reporter, "tell me how you feel now toward Mr. Roosevelt."

"Just as I always did. I was in a position to make him governor in 1898. Black had alienated a large and important section of the republican party, and this man, Theodore Roosevelt, coming back from the war in Cuba, was the man I selected to get the votes. It was necessary to pick out a man who could win. Roosevelt was nominated; it was purely politics. I never was a Roosevelt man, as the saying goes."

"After he was elected, as you will remember, Mr. Roosevelt discovered the ten commandments. He went around saying that two and two make four. He was having a great time telling about common honesty."

"You remember that he used to come down to New York to have breakfast with me at the Fifth Avenue hotel. Governor Roosevelt was a politician. Some of his supporters quoted the old saying that he who sows with the devil—that's me—needs a long spoon. Roosevelt had a long spoon. We got along well enough in those days."

"But, senator, you kicked him up stairs into the vice presidency."

"I did that very thing. I think Mr. Roosevelt felt that he was in line to be elected president at the end of McKinley's term. But I did not help make him vice president with any such idea. "You men," said he, "when you kicked Governor Roosevelt upstairs you were getting rid of him politically. "I mean just that."

"And you were sorry when he succeeded to the presidency?"

"I've been sorry every time I thought of it. I never wanted Theodore Roosevelt to be president. It was a mistake, as I see it now, for me to make him vice president and give him his chance to be president."

BILLINGS HEADS ORGANIZATION WASHINGTON, May 9.—The National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis elected the following officers last night: President, Dr. Frank Billings of Chicago; vice president, Dr. M. Frazer of Philadelphia, and Dr. J. C. Foster of New Haven; secretary, Dr. Henry Baron Davis; treasurer general, George M. Sternberg.

PACIFIC MAIL TO SELL ISLAND TO GOVERNMENT Improvements Made in Bay of Panama Will Be Purchased

WASHINGTON, May 9.—The isthmian canal commission has ordered the appointment of a naval board of appraisers to ascertain the value of improvements made by the Pacific Mail steamship company on the island of Naos, bay of Panama, and the question of purchasing these improvements will be taken up by Secretary Taft. The report has been discussed with Manager Schwerin of the steamship company.

The controversy is over the title to the island, and there appears to be no likelihood of difficulty in reaching a settlement. The island is not needed by the government until the canal is completed, and there is no disposition to permit the steamship company to continue to use it until other satisfactory arrangements can be made. When the canal is in operation the land will be needed as a quarantine and immigration station.

MRS. W. K. VANDERBILT SUED IN YOLO COUNTY Plaintiff Alleges Failure to Deliver Cordwood on Contract

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE CALL. VALLEJO, May 9.—Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt of New York is the defendant in a suit for \$319.50 brought in the superior court of Yolo county, because of her failure to deliver 298 cords of wood under contract. Charles F. Silva, defendant, claims that in August, 1906, he purchased from Mrs. Vanderbilt 300 cords of willow wood on the Fair ranch near Knights Landing, the purchase price agreed upon being \$2.75 a cord. Silva alleges that the defendant society queen of old Gotham has delivered but two cords and that there is still 298 cords of wood remaining on her ranch which she has refused to surrender to him, although she has been repeatedly importuned since last December. Silva asks judgment for \$319.50, the value of the wood.

DROPS DEAD JUST AFTER BOASTING OF LONGEVITY Claim of Court Witness That He Would Live Twenty Years Quickly Disproved

DES MOINES, Ia., May 9.—"I am 65, but sound as a dollar and good for at least 25," having made this remark, James Hadfield, a pioneer of Polk county, testifying as a witness in a civil action here yesterday, slipped forward in his chair and dropped to the floor dead.

MOTORMAN KILLED IN CRASH LEXINGTON, Ky., May 9.—William Wells, a motorman, was killed and 10 other persons were injured in a collision here today between a streetcar and a passenger train. The motorman was struck by his car, which was demolished.

Admirers of R. Strauss Given a Treat in Greek Theater

By James Crawford. "Till Eulenspiegel," by Richard Strauss, was the piece of resistance of the University orchestra's final concert of the spring series in the Greek theater, and sympathy is due the many San Francisco admirers of the modern in music composition who were prevented by the street railway tump from crossing the bay yesterday afternoon to hear it played.

They missed the culmination of modernism—the some of eccentric orchestration. "Till Eulenspiegel" and remains near music. Imagine, if you can, all the resources of an up to date symphony orchestra being utilized to illustrate the pranks of a German rural joker, for that was what Herr Strauss did in his construction of "Till Eulenspiegel."

We had no printed matter to keep us advised of what the "village outup" was doing, but had to depend upon the instrumentation to describe such pranks as the German rural joker, for that was what Herr Strauss did in his construction of "Till Eulenspiegel."

Wagner modernized the remainder of the program. We had selections from "Das Rheingold" and "Die Gotterdammerung," and I liked them in purely symphonic form better than when they had vocal accompaniment by the late Mr. Grau imported singers, because it has never been possible to convince me that Wagner did not deliberately subordinate the voice to the orchestra in all his music dramas.

Besides, in "Das Rheingold" we were not treated to the vocal accompaniment of the late Mr. Grau imported singers, because it has never been possible to convince me that Wagner did not deliberately subordinate the voice to the orchestra in all his music dramas.

Both selections were absolutely symphonic in composition and form, and both are exquisitely descriptive. While the composer's chief effort evidently was to produce unusual harmonic effects, he created also plenty of melody that is full of beauty.

"Kaiser-Marsch" closed the concert. Although the entire entertainment lasted little more than an hour, the march consumed enough of it to accompany a pedestrian of ordinary gait from the theater to the Key Bridge cars. But then Wagner is not noted for quickness to let go.

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DECLARES QUARANTINE AGAINST COAST SHEEP Oregon Bars All Shipments From California, Nevada and Washington

SALEM, Or., May 9.—After mature consideration Governor Chamberlain this afternoon issued a proclamation declaring quarantine against the sheep of the states of Washington, Nevada and California, and against all shipments from the states of California, Nevada and Washington to the Key Bridge cars. But then Wagner is not noted for quickness to let go.

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NO FUNDS FOR COMPLETION OF REPAIRS TO ALBATROSS Government Vessel Left in Unfinished Condition at the Mare Island Yard

VALLEJO, May 9.—A telegram received by Captain Alexander McCracken, acting commandant of Mare Island, from the navy department yesterday, announced that the work being done by the equipment and steam engineering departments on the Albatross must be suspended owing to a shortage in funds in the recent appropriation of \$13,000 for the fiscal year. Orders were issued to Captain Carr of the steam engineering department and his men were taken from the ship. Considerable work remains to be done, although \$8,000 has been expended. The electrical workers, who were installing a complete system, likewise were taken from their work and the vessel now remains at her berth in an uncompleted condition.

STELLACOOM ANNIE DIES TACOMA, May 9.—Stellacoom Annie, widow of Stellacoom John, a descendant of the head of one of the Puyallup Indian tribes, died of heart disease in her household at Stellacoom last night. Her husband died two years ago. Annie's father was a chief of the Chehalis tribe. The household was presented to her by the people of Tacoma last year.

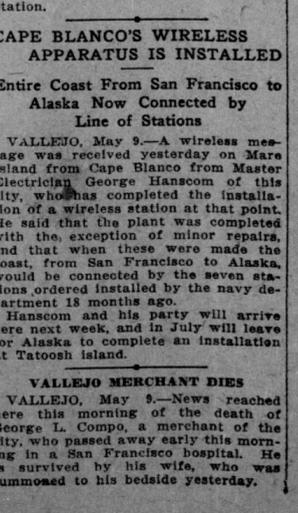
GROPS GOING TO WASTE FOR LACK OF TOILERS Porterville Producers Cannot Get Men to Assist in Harvest

PORTERVILLE, May 9.—Hundreds of tons of farm produce in this section are being left to rot in the fields in order to clear it off the ground for the next crop, as there is no available help to harvest this season's extraordinary crops. Labor conditions are such that farm help is not to be had at any price. Hundreds of men would find ready employment here at high wages. Quantities of oranges have been allowed to waste because of lack of transportation facilities to the nearest railroad station.

CAPE BLANCO'S WIRELESS APPARATUS IS INSTALLED Entire Coast From San Francisco to Alaska Now Connected by Line of Stations

VALLEJO, May 9.—A wireless message was received yesterday from Mare Island from Cape Blanco from Master Electrician George Robinson of this city, which completed the installation of a wireless station at that point. He said that the plant was completed with the exception of minor repairs, and that when these were made the coast, from San Francisco to Alaska, would be connected by the seven stations ordered installed by the navy department 18 months ago.

IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF COLUMBUS NEW ORLEANS-NEW YORK S. S. LINES LUXURIOUS NEW STEAMERS Between New Orleans and New York. Add a sea voyage to your overland trip. Costs no more than for an all rail route. ASK AGENTS SOUTHERN PACIFIC



CALIFORNIANS ORGANIZE NEW CLUB IN NEW YORK Dissatisfied Members Withdraw From the Parent Organization

MRS. VIVIAN SCORED President of Old Society Is Accused of Many Unfair Acts

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE CALL. NEW YORK, May 9.—Twenty-three members of the National California club who were opposed to the re-election as president of Mrs. Thomas J. Vivian, and showed their disapproval by leaving the last meeting in a body, today met in the Waldorf Astoria and organized a new club, to be known as "The Californians." Baroness E. von Rhyne was elected president, Mrs. C. V. Forbes, secretary; A. G. Buyer, treasurer, and Mrs. K. L. Byrne, auditor.

In a resolution adopted it is charged that after a recount had been asked for, Mrs. Vivian destroyed the ballots and that this was "unparliamentary and against the good faith and orderly procedure necessary to make the club a success."

After a recital of these charges, the resolution, which was unanimously passed, continues: "Strongly objecting to the domineering methods of Mrs. Vivian as the president, and protesting against her continuance in office, we unanimously agree to withdraw as a body from the National California club."

SAYS HE WAS DIRECTED TO ALTER THE BALLOTS Former Clerk Throws More Light on the New York Life Election

NEW YORK, May 9.—C. F. Carrington, a former employe of the international policy holders' committee, testified in the police court today that George R. Scrumham, manager for the committee, instructed him and other employes to alter defective ballots sent to them in connection with the election of directors of the New York Life insurance company. He declared also that Scrumham had not forwarded to the New York Life tellers so-called "administration ballots" which fell into the hands of the policy holders' committee.

"Scrumham told me that when any of the administration ballots fell into my hands there was no need of sending them to the company," testified Carrington, "and he added jocularly that I might send them upstairs to him, as he had some chloroform for them."

Carrington's testimony was given after he had been promised by Assistant District Attorney Smyth that anything he testified to would not be used against him. Carrington said that, acting upon instructions from Scrumham, he told the clerks to make as close a copy of the policy holder's handwriting as possible. Later, when the time was growing short, he was told to instruct them upstairs to take any great care in this respect. Carrington said that when he went to the polls as a policy holders' committee watcher, he had instructions from Scrumham to challenge all administration ballots and to let all committee ballots pass.

REVOLUTIONISTS WILL ASSEMBLE IN ENGLAND Subjects of Czar Travel Afar to Hold a Meeting

LONDON, May 9.—The 150 Russians who left Denmark yesterday for London for the purpose of holding a congress after having been refused permission to do so in Norway, Sweden and Denmark, arrived here tonight. One of the leaders said that the party represented 200 districts in Russia, and explained that the proper title of the body was the social democratic labor party.

"We are a revolutionary party," this leader said, "but we are not terrorists. We shall meet to consider the conditions prevailing in Russia and to devise ways and means of improving and uplifting the working people. We shall direct our tactics accordingly."

AUTHORITIES IN INDIA PREPARE FOR TROUBLE Spirit of Unrest Is Spreading at Lahore and Troops Are Being Drafted

LAHORE, India, May 9.—The political unrest here is assuming graver proportions. The authorities are drafting troops and have issued a proclamation prohibiting demonstrations of every kind.

SUCCEEDS BISHOP POTTER—Pittsfield, Mass., May 9.—Rev. George Worthington, bishop of Nebraska, has been appointed to charge of the American Episcopal churches in Europe, in succession to Bishop Henry C. Potter, who resigned.

SEEK BODIES IN RUINS OF KANSAS CITY FIRE Inquiry of Countess Blumberg Reveals Story of Russ Oppression

ESTATE CONFISCATED Forced to Earn Living Because Her Father Fell Under the Ban

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 9.—Search for bodies was begun at daylight this morning in the ruins of the university building at Ninth and Locust streets, which was destroyed by fire yesterday. One body at least is known to be in the debris, that of Miss Aurora Wittbert, an artist, and it is believed that many others will be found. The fire is still smoldering. The known dead now number two, Miss Wittbert and Professor Georges de Mura.

It is believed that all of the injured will recover. The most seriously hurt is Alexandra Blumberg, the Russian countess, whose skull was fractured in a fall from a ladder.

She is an artist and shared a studio on the third floor with Dr. Metzger. She is the daughter of a Russian noble, Count Andrew Blumberg, once a member of the privy council of the czar, who fell under the displeasure of the crown and was exiled after his immense estates had been confiscated.

Her father was the victim of a friend who had charge of his affairs and absconded after spending his fortune in nihilist schemes, thus compromising Blumberg so seriously that he was accused unjustly of aiding the nihilists and lost his estates. A great many relics, jewels and valuable miniatures were destroyed in the fire.

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RHEUMATISM WILL GO. Shake well in a bottle the following: Fluid Extract Dandelion one-half ounce, Compound Kargon one ounce and Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla three ounces. Take for each dose one teaspoonful after your meals and at bedtime, drinking plenty of good water.

A well known authority states that any good prescription pharmacy can supply the ingredients, which can be easily mixed at home.

This mixture will act directly upon the kidneys, removing obstructions that clog the process of eliminating waste matter and acids which produce Rheumatism, Bladder and Urinary difficulties and other ailments resulting from soured blood, which the kidneys failed to keep clean and pure.

The worst forms of Rheumatism are said to be readily overcome without the slightest injury or ill feeling to the stomach or digestive organs.

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W. T. HESS, Notary Public. 3003 SUTTER STREET. At Residence, 1460 Page Street, Between 6 and 7 P. M.

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YE LIBERTY PLAYHOUSE. Direction H. W. Bishop. BISHOP'S PLAYERS IN Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall. Next—"The Case of Rebellious Susan." Coming—RANGUE O'NEIL.

NEW ALCAZAR THEATER. Absolutely "Class A" Building. Cor. Sutter and Steiner sts. BELASCO & MATHER, Owners and Managers. TONIGHT A. W. A. WELLS. J. Hartley Manners and Henry Miller's Great Emotional Drama.

ZIRA. As played by Margaret Anglin. MATINEES SATURDAY AND SUNDAY. PRICES—Night, 25c to \$1. Mat. 25c, 35c, 50c. Next Week—What Happened to Jones.

NOVELTY THEATER. Cor. O'Farrell and Steiner. Lorena & Leacock, Props. and Mgrs. LAST THREE NIGHTS. MATINEE SUNDAY ONLY. San Francisco Opera Company. In the Song Hit Production. FANTANA. PRICES—50c, 75c and \$1.00. Beginning NEXT MONDAY NIGHT. Engagement limited to three nights and Saturday Matinee, MRS.

Leslie-Carter IN "DU BARRY". Seats for Carter engagement \$2 to 50c. NOW READY.

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Next Week—CHINATOWN CHARLIE. Open Sunday Matinee. RACING. NEW CALIFORNIA JOCKEY CLUB. Oakland Racetrack. Six or more races each week day, rain or shine. Races commence at 1:40 p. m. sharp. For complete racing table see P. M. Edition of Market at 12 o'clock; thereafter every 30 minutes until 1:40 p. m. No smoking in last two cars. Returning trains leave after fifth and last races. THOMAS H. WILLIAMS, President. PERCY W. TRIST, Secretary.

BASEBALL. RECREATION PARK. VALENCIA ST. BET. 14TH AND 15TH. OAKLAND V. PORTLAND. WED. THURS. VS. PORTLAND. 3:30 P. M. SATURDAY. 2:30 P. M. SUNDAY. 2:30 P. M. Reserved seats at Grounds and U. HARRIS & CO., 1546 Fillmore street.