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## FLOOD AND FIRE.

### Terrible Disaster to a Siberian City.

### Tomsk Almost Entirely Destroyed and Many Lives Lost.

### Sixteen Workmen Killed by the Burning of a Cartridge Factory in Italy—Canadian Parliament Prorogued.

Special by the California Associated Press.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 16.—The city of Tomsk, in Siberia, has been almost destroyed by flood and fire. Many lives were lost.

The city of Tomsk is the capital of a government of that name in West Siberia and is situated on the Tom River. It is mostly built of wood, but has substantial public buildings, comprising a cathedral, tribunals, treasury, fur magazines, barracks, hospitals and an orphan asylum. It is the residence of a bishop, a civil Governor and of the Superintendent of the Altai mines, and carries on a brisk trade in cattle and furs. Its population is 25,650.

AFRICAN TERRITORY.

Germany Defines the Boundary of Her Possessions—An Objection.

LONDON, May 16.—The London Chronicle's Berlin correspondent says he can state on good authority that Germany does not claim Uganda and Unyoro, but she will insist upon the thirtieth degree of longitude east of Greenwich as the western limit of her territory. The southern limit she allows to be a matter for debate, and, therefore, that question is left open for the present. The Government will not recognize the activity of Dr. Peters outside of the German sphere. This the northern limit of the German sphere will run in a straight line from Kavirondo to the junction of the thirty-second degree with the Equator and thence westward along the Equator to the thirtieth degree.

The Chronicle, in an editorial, proceeding on the basis that England has already conceded the foregoing claims to Germany, says: No wonder Germany assured the world that the negotiations were going on amicably. We would rather Lord Salisbury had ceded Ireland to Germany than thus meekly to surrender our vital strategic points in Africa, upon the keeping of which our imperial position in two continents depends. The cession of home rule to Ireland would be a trivial matter, so far as the English race is concerned, compared with this surrender.

THE BEHRING SEA.

Allusion to the Pending Negotiations at the Proroguing of Parliament.

OTTAWA, May 16.—Parliament was prorogued to-night. The speech from the throne contained this: "Negotiations respecting the Behring Sea question are still in progress at Washington with good prospects of an equitable settlement. Meanwhile the continuance for another year of the modus vivendi will serve to show our earnest desire to cultivate friendly relations with the United States Government and people.

SIXTEEN MEN KILLED.

Burning of a Cartridge Factory at Arigliano, Italy.

ROME, May 16.—The cartridge factory at Arglinano was burned to-day. The building was filled with workmen. Sixteen were killed, and many others injured.

A Murderous Servant.

BERLIN, May 16.—A servant has been arrested here for decoying children from their homes, filling their mouths with dirt and strangling them. There have been several victims. Physicians declare the man is a victim to homicidal mania.

A Man of Iron.

BERLIN, May 16.—At a banquet to-night tendered to the Emperor by provincial leaders, he said that whoever attempted to attack the security of the country would find him a man of iron, with an army at his back.

The Behring Sea Question.

OTTAWA, May 16.—Parliament has been prorogued. Macdonald, answering a query, said he was awaiting a dispatch from Washington for definite information concerning the Behring Sea question.

Gladstone's Admirers.

LONDON, May 16.—Gladstone's routs from Ipswich to Norwich was literally lined with admirers to-day. No greater demonstration of popular admiration for a British subject was ever witnessed.

Church Struck by Lightning.

BERLIN, May 16.—Lightning struck a church at Nuremberg to-day during devotional exercises. Four persons were killed and several injured.

Thirty-six Persons Drowned.

BERLIN, May 16.—A ferry-boat was capsized to-day near Ratibor, Silesia, and thirty-six persons were drowned.

Stanley Engaged.

LONDON, May 16.—Explorer Stanley is engaged to be married to Miss Dorothy Tennant, a young English beauty.

Mrs. Leslie's Denial.

PARIS, May 16.—Mrs. Frank Leslie denies that she is engaged to be married to the Marquis of Leuville.

THE RAILROADS.

President Adams and Party Looking Over the Puget Sound Territory.

PORTLAND (Oregon), May 16.—President Charles Francis Adams, Vice-President W. H. Holcomb and Director F. L. Ames of the Union Pacific Railway Company arrived here on a special train to-day. Adams states that the local officers will not be removed. In relation to the construction of a road on the Sound, President Adams stated: "We are out here for the purpose of informing ourselves as to a Sound division and arriving at a conclusion as to the course which will be to the best interest of the company to pursue." Regarding the terminus on the Sound, Mr. Adams said nothing, as he has not yet acquainted himself with the true situation, but will be, as he says, better able to talk on the subject when he returns from the trip over there.

CHICAGO, May 16.—The Atchison has made a new outlet to Liverpool for grain from Kansas. The route is from Kansas points over the Atchison to Galveston, and thence by boats to Liverpool. The first boat was loaded and started across the water a few days ago.

THE PUGILISTS.

Joe McAuliffe to Spar With Dominick McCaffrey Next Week.

NEW YORK, May 16.—Sullivan is willing to fight McAuliffe to a finish for not less than $10,000. He says he is confident of his ability to defeat the Californian.

Joe McAuliffe will appear in an exhibition next week, and Dominick McCaffrey will spar with him.

Thomas Nolan, a member of the California Athletic Club, sails in a few days for England to see the Wallace-Dixon fight.

Ike Weir wants to fight Australian Murphy, and hopes the California Club will offer a purse to induce Murphy to remain in America.

REVOLUTION IMMINENT.

Alarming State of Affairs in the State of Coahuila, Mex.

SAN ANTONIO, May 16.—Word has been received here from Eagle Pass, which is just on the border line of Mexico and the United States, that a revolution of considerable proportions is imminent in the State of Coahuila, Mex. Governor Jose Maria Garcia and President Diaz have had very unpleasant feelings toward each other for some time, and it is reported that the Governor has matters all arranged for a revolution in his State. This report receives credit by an order from President Diaz commanding 100 cavalrymen, under charge of Colonel Valdez, to march to Juarez from Eagle Pass, in order to be near at hand in case of an outbreak.

SOUTHERN METHODISTS.

Probability of the Establishment of an Episcopacy in San Francisco.

ST. LOUIS, May 16.—In the Southern Methodist General Conference in session here it was to-day resolved to elect two new bishops; to make the election the special order for next Monday and to continue the special order until the matter was settled. The election will be by secret ballot. One of the new bishops will occupy the place made vacant by Bishop McTyeire's death, and the other's residence has not yet been fixed, but it will very probably be out on the Pacific Coast, where the church has great and growing interests, with no Episcopal residence nearer than that of Texas.

The Committee on Episcopacy lately submitted a report suggesting the establishment of an Episcopacy at San Francisco, and it is considered almost certain that an additional Bishop will be assigned for duty there. One of the names mentioned as the most probable candidate is that of Dr. D. P. Fitzgerald of the California Conference, but who has for two years been editor of the organ of the church at Nashville, Tenn.

A resolution was adopted instructing the Publication Committee to consider the feasability of establishing a church paper in San Francisco.

Stricken With Paralysis.

KANSAS CITY, May 16.—George H. Paul, President of the Fort Scott Cement Company, and ex-Postmaster of Milwaukee, is lying in a critical condition at his residence here, the result of a stroke of paralysis.

Hunters Killed by an Explosion.

BANGOR, (Me.), May 16.—Three hunters were killed and two seriously wounded by the explosion of powder in a cabin in which they sought shelter from a storm.

THE SECOND ARTILLERY.

Colonel Macdonald's Regiment Does Itself Proud.

The Second Artillery Regiment, N. G. C., did itself proud last evening on the occasion of its reception and ball at the Mechanics' Pavilion, and the military exercises were such as to leave no doubt of the great advance which the command has made under the regime of its new field officers.

The attendance was great, over four thousand people having been present. The military exercises comprised an inspection and review by Colonel Macdonald with the battalion under command of Lieutenant-Colonel Koster, followed by guard mount in double line and a dress parade with Major Geary in command. After the latter medals were distributed to Captain Waters for twenty-five years' continuous service in the regiment, to Lieutenant Beatty for fifteen and to Captain White, Lieutenants Leo and Batchelder and eight enlisted men for ten years' service.

The entertainment was, from a military standpoint, the most satisfactory ever given by the regiment, and was interesting moreover because of the many innovations introduced. Brigadier-General Cutting and staff, Colonel Barry of the Third and staff, Colonel Fairbanks of the Fifth and members of his regiment, besides officers of the First Infantry, were among the invited guests.

IRVING INSTITUTE.

A Musical and Elocutionary Recital by the Young Ladies.

A musical and elocutionary recital was given in Metropolitan Temple last evening by the young ladies of Irving Institute. The assembly was composed principally of ladies, and few seats were unoccupied. The recital was one of the most pleasant entertainments of the season. The programme was as follows: Piano solo, Rhapsody, No. 6 (Liszt), Amelia Johnson; recitation, "The Senator Entangled," Alice Taylor; piano solo, "Tarantelle" (Chopin), Dora Myers; recitation, "The Heather Boy," with piano accompaniment of Schumann, Myrtle Shearer; piano solo (*a*) "By the Sea," (*b*) "Hark! the Lark" (Schubert-Liszt), Grace Sturgeon and Mattie McCormick; recitation, "Three Graduates," Ida E. Lane; piano solo (*a*) Fantasie, D minor (Mozart), Etude in G flat, Op. 10 (Chopin), Viola Rodgers. Scenes from "The Love Chase" —Constance, Lulu James; Wildrake, Myrtle Shearer. Piano duo, "Les Preludes" (Liszt), the Misses Wyruck.

Then followed the cantata of "Little Snow White," by Franz Abt, under the direction of H. J. Stewart, and with the following cast: Little Snow White, Carrie Roper; the Wicked Queen, Grace de Forest; the Seven Dwarfs, Alice Gallusha, Clara Williams, Alice Taylor, Viola Rodgers, Lulu James and Gertrude Hopkins.

The story between the musical parts was recited by Georgia Ross, Dora Myers, Evangeline Nixon, Henrietta Zelle, Alice Gallusha and Sara Rice.

AN ALASKAN VOLCANO.

Bogoslov in the Ocean Emits Pillars of Fire and Ashes.

The famous Alaskan volcano known as Bogoslov, that arose so strangely from the ocean some seven years ago, is once more in eruption. It is expected that some very vivid descriptions of the island volcano, with its crest of flame and fire, will be given by passengers of the Alaska Company's steamer St. Paul, who saw the volcano and will probably arrive here to-day. Bogoslov is nearly due west from the island of Oonalaska.

Captain Everett Smith of the steam whaler Orca passed near the scene soon after the first eruption. He noted that four new islets, each detached but near the volcano island, had arisen from the depths, and the mountain itself had also risen considerably. During the eruption the sky for weeks was clouded with ashes, and these fell in liberal showers in the town of Iliuliuk, forty-four miles away to the eastward. To the people there who saw the eruption it seemed that the pillar of fire and smoke was fully fifteen miles high, rising from the horizon and losing itself in the low clouds of the sky.

ABANDONED HIS CHILD.

James W. Bancker Convicted of a Felony Under the Code.

James W. Bancker was convicted yesterday afternoon of felony for deserting an infant child. On April 9th he placed his little girl, about 4 months old, in a barn at Utah and Yale streets and abandoned her. Her cries were heard and she was rescued in an almost famished state. The child is Bancker's illegitimate offspring, the mother being Mary Wilson, who is now in Los Angeles. Bancker claimed that he left the child only long enough to go across the street for a glass of beer. He was prosecuted under Section 271 of the Penal Code, and it is the first instance of a conviction under that law. The maximum penalty is seven years in State Prison.

Races at Oakland.

The Oakland Driving Association will give two races this afternoon at the Oakland track, open to gentlemen's roadsters, to be driven by their owners. There are five entries in the first and four in the second race. The races will be commenced at 3 o'clock.

A Large Contract.

The Risdon Iron Works were yesterday awarded the contract for all the winding machinery for the new plant of the California-street Railway Company. The work will all be done in this city.

A Forger's Sentence.

David Percival was sent to Folsom for three years yesterday by Judge Shafter. He pleaded guilty to forging the name of Porter Bros. to an order for six boxes of oranges on the Southern Pacific Company.

Five Years for Forgery.

John F. Russell received a term of five years in San Quentin yesterday in Judge Shafter's department for forging the name of R. Dunsmuir & Co. to a check for $300 on the Pacific Bank.

Stole a Sealskin.

William Haynes was yesterday sent to San Quentin for three years by Judge Shafter for having stolen a sealskin sacque from Bridget Greggains of 25 Clinton street, on April 21st last.

Art Exhibition.

This will be the last day of the free exhibition by the Art Association. The award of pictures to the members will be made this evening.

WASHINGTON, May 16. — B. H. McCalla was to-day detached from the command of the Enterprise.


Bargains in Park Lots,
Also in Richmond and outside lands, and Bernal Heights. Apply 37 Post street, Rooms 5 and 6.*


## THE FIGHT ENDED.

### Carlisle Nominated for United States Senator.

### All But One of the Opposing Candidates Withdraw.

### The Mystery Surrounding the Disappearance of a Notorious Woman—A Fatal Duel Between Drummers.

Special by the California Associated Press.

FRANKFORT, May 16.—The Democratic caucus which was held to-night to nominate a candidate for the United States Senate to fill out the unexpired term of the late Senator Beck was short, yet full of interest and excitement. Immediately upon the assembly of the caucus the withdrawal of ex-Governor Knott and Hon. Evan T. Settle was announced, after which a ballot was taken, resulting in Carlisle receiving 52 votes, Lindsay 33 and McCreary 30.

The name of ex-Governor McCreary was then withdrawn, which left the contest between the great Democratic Congressman and Judge Lindsay. Then a second ballot was taken, resulting in Carlisle's victory, the vote being, Carlisle 72, Lindsay 43.

A committee was then appointed, consisting of Hon. James Mulligan, who nominated Carlisle, and Hon. Claude Thomas, who seconded the nomination, to notify Mr. Carlisle. They escorted him into the Senate Chamber with great applause, where Mr Carlisle made one of the most brilliant speeches ever made in the City of Hills, accepting the nomination and pledging his fidelity to the party.

THE PRESBYTERIANS.

Opening Session of the General Assembly at Saratoga.

SARATOGA, May 16.—The Presbyterian General Assembly convened yesterday. The annual sermon was preached by the retiring Moderator, Rev. Dr. W. C. Roberts. Rev. W. E. Moore was elected Moderator. The Committee on Amending the Confession of Faith reported, and recommended that a chapter be added to the book of discipline and directory of worship, and that a two-third vote be necessary to change the confession. The report will be discussed to-morrow.

A report was placed before the assembly showing 132 presbyteries were for revision, 66 against, 7 were non-committal and 4 not responding. Referred to a special committee, consisting of Patton of Princeton, Edwards of St. Paul, McCracken of New York, clergymen, and Elder Shanklin of Indiana. Other business was transacted as follows: Standing committees were appointed; a special committee reported it inexpedient for the United States to take the initiative regarding the liquor traffic in the Congo State, and several other reports were received. The committee to digest and arrange the answer of the presbyteries with reference to revision is said to stand as follows: For revision—McCracken, Edwards, Shanklin. Against revision—Patton and Thornton.

The entire afternoon session was occupied in debate on the committee's report on the methods of effecting changes in the confession of faith, and the discussion will be resumed to-morrow.

A WYOMING SENSATION.

The Mystery Attached to the Disappearance of a Notorious Woman.

CHEYENNE (Wyo.), May 16.—A territorial sensation for a week has been the supposed murder of Lou Polk, a notorious woman, at Casper, a new town up north, by a man named Lee May. The latter had threatened the woman's life innumerable times. They rode off on the prairie after an unusually lively tiff, one on a borrowed horse. Their continued absence started the story that Lou had been killed by May. Neither could be found, though a Sheriff's posse scoured the range. In the search a cowboy was met who said Lou and Lee May had passed him and the woman asked him to help her escape. May silenced the outsider by pulling his six-shooter. Every one believed that the girl had been murdered until a Cheyenne doctor to-night received a telegram from Lou at a town 200 miles from Casper. She said her nose had been shot off, and asked if the physician could replace it. She is hastening to this place. It is evident that May tried to kill the woman and was worsted, perhaps killed.

THE ASHLEY DISASTER.

Twenty-six Persons Known to Have Been Killed at the Mine.

WILKESBARRE, May 16.—Nearly a score of houses were destroyed in the Ashley mining disaster. The present cave adjoins the mine in which the extensive cave occurred two years ago. It extends over half a mile square and includes a portion of the thickly settled village called Mefettes Patch.

Fourteen of the imprisoned men have been saved, nineteen bodies have been found and six men are yet missing.

Twenty-six persons are known to have been killed at the mine.

ON THE FLORIDA REEFS.

The Steamer City of Alexandria Meets With Disaster.

KEY WEST, May 16.—The steamer City of Alexandria, from New York for Cuba and Mexico, is ashore on the Florida reefs, near the entrance to Biscayne Bay. Spongers bring report that the cargo is being jettisoned. The steamer carried both passengers and freight, and much anxiety is felt for the safety of the former.

HARRISON'S POSITION.

He Is Anxious to Carry Out the Republican Platform of 1888.

NEW YORK, May 16.—Russell Harrison was interviewed to-day and said: "The President stands upon the Republican platform of 1888, which promised a revision of the tariff and additional silver legislation. He is anxious that these promises shall be carried out. I am sure he would sign any satisfactory bill on these subjects."

LEFT IN A HURRY.

A Detroit Man Disappears With Money Borrowed From Friends.

DETROIT, May 16.—C. H. Smith, a prominent business man, former partner of Mayor Penfree and President of the Western Knitting Works, mysteriously disappeared this morning. His affairs are badly involved. He has borrowed from everybody. His total defalcation is $100,000. There is much excitement.

SETTLED AN OLD GRUDGE.

An Accidental Meeting of Two Drummers Followed by a Duel.

SEALE, (Ala.), May 16.—Louis Smith and Edward Elkins, two traveling salesmen from Montgomery, met here by accident on a country road. Both drew pistols to settle an old grudge, and began firing. Elkins was killed and Smith fatally injured.

Chicago to Have Natural Gas.

CHICAGO, May 16.—Recently Gas Trust stock has been going up steadily and inside holders have been selling with the view of buying back on an expected break. It is now announced that the Standard Oil Company has secured a controlling interest and will pipe natural gas into the mains from the Ohio field.

She Leaped to Death.

NEW YORK, May 16.—Mary Bangerwede, a bride of 20 and an invalid, discovered her bed clothing afire and leaped from a third-story window and was killed.

Commutation Recommended.

COLUMBUS (Ohio), May 16.—The State Board of Pardons has recommended that Charles Blythe, the murderer of Colonel Jones at Cincinnati last year and now under sentence to be hanged, be commuted to life imprisonment.

An Illegal Election.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 16.—The Supreme Court holds that William Peetie, State Statistician under the Legislative election, is not legally entitled to the office, and that William Worrill, by an appointment by the Governor, is the rightful incumbent.

Double Asphyxiation.

WORCESTER (Mass.), May 16.—The wife and daughter of President Hull of Clark University were found dead in bed yesterday smothered. The illuminating gas was turned on accidentally by an electric attachment.

Powderly Indicted for Conspiracy.

SCOTTSDALE (Pa.), May 16.—Grand Master Workman Powderly of the Knights of Labor has been indicted on a charge of conspiracy to defeat Callaghan for the Senatorial nomination and ruining his business.

Railroad Laborers Killed.

SCRANTON, May 16.—Three Italians were killed and several injured in the collapse of a coal bank at Oliphant. Sixty other men narrowly escaped. All were railroad laborers.

Excise Commissioners in Trouble.

NEW YORK, May 16.—The Excise Commissioners have been indicted for failure to entertain complaints against dealers who sold liquor near the polls at last election, also for licensing improper persons.

A Cocaine Wreck.

LEXINGTON (Ky.), May 16.—Dr. J. Addison Stucky, once a famous physician of enormous practice, was to-day sent to the State Lunatic Asylum in consequence of the cocaine habit.

## TRACK EVENTS.

### Results of Yesterday's Races at Brooklyn and Louisville.

BROOKLYN, May 16.—It was clear and warm to-day; the track was heavy. The races resulted as follows:

First race, six furlongs, Kempland (Taylor) won, Shotover (Jones) second, Royal Garter (J. Regan) third. Time, 1:17¾.

Second race, one mile and a furlong, Judge Morrow (Warwick) won, Eleve (Clayton) second, Grimaldi (Taylor) third. Time, 2:02½.

Third race (Myrtle stakes), one and a sixteenth miles (selling), Raymond G (Barnes) won, Golden Reel (Jones) second, Lotion (Bunn) third. Time, 1:52½.

Fourth race, five furlongs (selling), Woodcutter (Covington) won, Sequence colt (Rogers) second, Parolina (Taylor) third. Time, 1:05½.

Fifth race, six furlongs, Dalsyrian (Lamby) won, Rancocas (Anderson) second, Stryke (Fairgood) third. Time, 1:17¾.

Sixth race, one mile, Exile (Hamilton) won, Lisimony (Jones) second, Sam Morse (A. Covington) third. Time, 1:46¾.

Louisville Results.

LOUISVILLE, May 16.—To-day was clear and warm. The track was muddy. Following are the results:

First race, one mile and 100 yards (handicap), Ja Ja (Steppe) won, Camilla (Britton) second, White Nose (Fax) third. Time, 1:56¾.

Second race, one and a sixteenth miles (Pelleck handicap), Sportsman (Allen) won, Biarneystone, jr. (Fax) second, Polemus (Griffin) third. Time, 1:55¾.

Third race, one mile (selling), Bliss (Fax) won, Linderkranz (Smith) second, Dalgetty (Malloy) third. Time, 1:51¼.

Fourth race, five furlongs, Roseland (Fishburn) won, Rose Howard (Allen) second, Ethel S (Steppe) third. Time, 1:08.

Fifth race, one and an eighth miles (selling), Birthday (Fax) won, Rowland (Griffin) second, Julia W (J. Parter) third. Time, 2:05½.

Entries for Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, May 16.—The entries for to-morrow's races are as follows: First race, one and a sixteenth miles—Eugenia 91, Tinnie 91; Lena H 91, Fairy Queen 96, Cecil B 96, Dallikins 96, J B Freed 101, War Peak 101, Blair 105, Ed Hopp 107.

Second race, Alexander stake—Gascon, Liberty Bell, Allain Bane, Hueneme, Green Leaf, Major Thornton, Georgetown, Tom Rodgers, Mirabeau, each 113; Dundee, 118.

Third race, handicap sweepstakes, one and an eighth miles—English Lady 105, Clamor 107, Gleekner 110, Huntress 122.

Fourth race (selling day), one mile—Sliver King 86, Julia W 86, Semaphore 94, Aylen C 96, Buckthorn 91, Warpeak 106, Brookful 106, Weeks 106, Buckeye 106, Jake Miller 110, Quarterdeck 102.

Fifth race, one mile—Mamie Fonzo 97, Major Tom 99, Eli 99, Prince Albert 99, Aunt Kate 101, Electricity 102, Robin 106, Banner Bearer 106, Birthday 106, Vidette 110, Macauley 110.

Sixth race (for two-year-olds), five-eighths of a mile—Hindoo Lass 99, Miss Courtney 102, Laura Ayres 102, Corinne Kinney 106, General Caldwell 107, Caprice 108, Orcas 108, Woodford 100, Jay Jay C C 109, Sir Planet 118.

Gravesend Entries.

NEW YORK, May 16.—Following are the Gravesend entries for to-morrow:

First race, five and a half furlongs—Eon 122, Gregory 110, Dalsyrian 110, Reclare 105, Trestlie 102, Folsom 102.

Second race, one mile—Tipstaff 112, Now or Never 112, King Crab 110, Drumstick 108, Tanner 105, Cynosure 105, Glen Mound 105, Bellwood 104, My Fellow 100, Burlington 100, Maximus 90.

Third race, five furlongs—Cascade 118, Bay Chester 118, Chatham 118, Bushbolt 118, King Alta 118, Stratimeath 118, Gray Rock 118, Corel 115, Seminole 115, Maggie Ward 115, Miss Ransom 115.

Fourth race, one mile and a furlong (Brooklyn handicap)—Sir Dixon 118, Badge 116, Taragon 110, Fides 110, Eric 110, Gregory 110, Sluggard 105, Bella B 105, Prather 95, Gray Dawn 95, Vengeur 100, Cassius 100, Madstone 108, Major Domo 107, Brussels 102, Tormentor 96, Urbana 90, Maximus 90.

Fifth race, five furlongs—Blacklock 111, Sir Rae 111, Lord Harry 111, Sutageur 111, Russell 111, Tuscaloosa colt 111, Vagabond 111, Adventurer 111, Vocalette 108, Latina 108, Ella T 108, Bettie Prather 108, Pet filly 108, Lizzie 108.

Sixth race, six furlongs—Raymond 112, Harrisburg 115, Manola 112, Arab 112, Frejois 114, Decoy Duck filly 93, Garrison 105, Puzzle 105, Monte Cristo 109, Vivid 110, Lemon Blossom 112.

THROWN FROM A HORSE.

Jockey Anderson Killed During a Race at Louisville.

LOUISVILLE (Ky.), May 16.—Jockey Anderson was thrown from his horse and killed this afternoon.

An exchange of recent date contains the following sketch of the Jockey Anderson: One of the most amusing little jockeys on the turf is "Spider" Anderson, a coal-black mite of humanity, who was born somewhere in the State of Maryland, nineteen years ago. The "Spider" does not go in for book-learning, but he is a capital little rider, and has landed more long-chance horses this season than any other jockey. He it was who rode Grover Cleveland the only time that unfortunate animal ever won. He piloted the crazy Connemara to victory when she beat a crack field, and rode Radiant when that uncertain performer beat Brahmin. Anderson is a polite little fellow and meekly says "Yes, sir," and "No, sir," with his eyes fastened on the ground; but when he is in a crowd of jockeys he makes them stand around. He carries a trunkful of pistols to terrify the more fearless of he stable-boys. He is an odd mixture of simplicity, ignorance, honesty, good nature and superstition. He cares nothing for money, and is as faithful and as attached to his employers, Messrs. Davis & Hall, with whom he has been for five years, as a dog to his master.

*George Anderson.*

Bayard's Tips.

NEW YORK, May 16.—Bayard's tips for the Gravesend races: First race, Gregory or Fordham; second, Now or Never or Tanner; third, Chatham or St. Charles; fourth, Badge or Graw Dawn; fifth, Adventurer or Lord Harry; sixth, Raymond or Manola.

## TWO SITES.

### The San Francisco Postoffice Commissioners' Report.

### The Choice Between the Howard and Seventh Street Properties.

### Captain Sampson to Be Relieved as Superintendent of the Naval Academy at Annapolis.

Special by the California Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Nathan K. Masten of the commission appointed on the San Francisco public-building site called at the Treasury Department this morning in company with Congressman Morrow and delivered the report into the custody of the Supervising Architect. Secretary Windom, being obliged to attend the Cabinet meeting, could not receive or consider the report. He will do so to-morrow. Until then it will be kept from the public. The Secretary desires to peruse it, so that he can reasonably decide whether he will approve the recommendation of the commission or not.

Masten guarded the report carefully and Secretary Windom stated that it would not be given publicity just yet. It recommends six available sites, but the only ones received with favor are the locations on Howard street, between Second and Hubbard, and one on Seventh and Mission. It is learned to-night that the former is more favorably considered, and will likely be adopted to-morrow, but Mr. Windom will first consult Stanford, Hearst, Morrow and Clunie. Several protests have been received from San Francisco.

NAVAL CHANGES.

Captain Sampson to Be Relieved as Superintendent of the Annapolis Academy.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Secretary Tracy has decided upon a successor to Captain Sampson as Superintendent of the Naval Academy, but the name of the officer is not known. The change of officers will take place in June, at the end of the academic term, when Sampson will depart for the Pacific Coast to take command of the new cruiser San Francisco. Captain Pythian, the present Superintendent of the Naval Observatory, is said to be the man, and Captain F. V. Monair is understood to be booked to go to the Observatory.

Pensioned.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—California pensions: Original—William Rude, San Jacinto; G. Gale, Grass Valley. Increase—John Bohn, San Francisco; John Ingraham, Colton; Charles Clarke, Los Angeles. Original widows, etc.—Sarah A., widow of Jesse H. Clements, San Francisco. Reissue—Minor of Henry Sterndt, San Francisco. Oregon: Original invalid—James Baker, Adams. Nevada: Increase—Manassas Boyle, Gold Hill.

Personal.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Rev. Father Fitzsimons of San Francisco is here. In a few days he will leave for Europe, and C. B. Stone of San Francisco leaves to-morrow for New York, thence home.

Mills' Manifesto.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Roger Q. Mills will to-morrow issue a manifesto attacking the Farmers' Alliance.

## CONGRESS.

### THE SENATE.

Sherman's Bill Providing for the Retirement of National Bank Notes.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Senator Sherman, by request, to-day introduced a bill providing that the compulsory requirement of deposits of United States bonds with the Treasurer of the United States by national banks is hereby limited in amount to $10,000 bonds for each and every national bank, provided the voluntary withdrawal of bonds for the retirement of national bank notes shall not exceed the sum of $3,000,000 in any one month without the approval and consent of the Secretary of the Treasury, and further provided that this act shall not apply to deposits of bonds which may be required by the Secretary of the Treasury to secure deposits of public moneys in the national banks. On the surrender by the national bank of any sum of its circulating notes by the required deposit of lawful money with the Treasurer for their redemption the entire liability of the bank for its said surrendered notes shall utterly cease and they shall be redeemed by the Treasurer and destroyed in lieu of the fund of lawful money heretofore set apart for the redemption of the surrendered notes of national banks, amounting to the entire sum unredeemed of said surrendered notes. The Treasurer shall establish a reserve fund of lawful money, not less than 5 per cent nor more than 20 per cent of the entire amount of the surrendered notes unredeemed.

The House amendments to the Trust Bill were non-concurred in by the Senate, and a conference asked.

Stewart introduced a resolution providing that the special Committee on Irrigation and Arid Lands be continued until the subject is disposed of.

At 12:30 o'clock Jones' silver bill came up as unfinished business and debate was proceeded with on Sherman's amendment.

Plumb's amendment to Sherman's amendment was debated at length by Plumb, Hiscock, Sherman, Gibson and others.

The afternoon was spent in discussing Plumb's amendment providing that the Secretary of the Treasury shall at no time be allowed to hold in the Treasury Department a surplus exceeding $110,000,000.

The amendment provided a long running debate between Ingalls and Sherman.

No vote was reached and after a brief executive session the Senate adjourned at 4:45 o'clock.

### THE HOUSE.

An Amendment Increasing the Wool Tariff Adopted.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—The House resumed consideration of the tariff at 11 o'clock.

The Ways and Means Committee has agreed upon an amendment reducing the duty on burlaps from 1¾ to 1⅝.

John S. Henderson proposed an amendment leaving the duty on lamp-chimneys the same as under the present law.

A good deal of discussion was evoked by the amendment, and a great many Republicans voted with Henderson.

McKinley, for the first time since amendments have been in order, exhibited some signs of nervousness.

The vote resulted on the amendment—ayes 104, nays 107.

Most of the afternoon was spent on the wool features of the bill, and several amendments of little importance were adopted.

After a lengthy discussion the duty on woolen yarn, which the bill fixes at double the amount of the duty on wool, was raised to two and a half times the duty on wool, and the duty on third-class wools, valued at 13 cents per pound or less, was increased to 32 per cent ad valorem. Those valued at over 13 cents per pound were fixed at 50 per cent ad valorem.

The rest of the afternoon was spent in a rather acrimonious discussion between Mansur and Struble, who had a lively tilt. There was also a spirited debate between Clark and Doliver.

At 5 o'clock the House took a recess until 8 o'clock, for the consideration of private pension bills.

DECISION RESERVED.

William Curran's Hearing for Using a Pistol on Henry Peters.

The examination of William Curran on the charge of assault to murder was concluded in Judge Joachimsen's court last night.

Curran entered the saloon of Henry Peters, on Battery street, on May 1st, and engaged in an altercation with the proprietor, who endeavored to put him out, when Curran drew a pistol and shot him in the thigh.

Upon the hearing the defendant set up the plea of self-defense, and the prosecution endeavored to show that he went into the saloon for the purpose of raising a fight, as he resided in the locality, yet had never entered the place for two years. The Court reserved its decision until Monday.

FORESTERS OF AMERICA.

Election of Officers—Santa Rosa the Meeting Place.

The Grand Court of California, Ancient Order of Foresters of America, in session at Oakland, adjourned sine die last night, after the installation of the newly elected officers.

At the morning session several resolutions were adopted, and the court spent nearly all day in considering the laws governing subordinate and junior courts. A code of procedure was also adopted, and the reports of the Committee on the State of the Order were read. By the enacting clause the former are now in force.

A law was adopted permitting the formation of juvenile courts, to consist of boys between the ages of 12 and 18. The appeal of Court Shell Mound from the action of the Executive Board was sustained. A proposition to form a Board of Relief was referred to a committee of five to report at the next annual session. An appeal of Thomas Ross of Court Inter Nos was sustained.

The Executive Committee was authorized to present to the retiring High Chief Ranger his portrait, and it was also recommended that the High Chief Ranger of the High Court procure a flag and banner. The Committee on Acts and Decisions and on State of the Order presented reports of interest only to the High Court.

Santa Rosa was chosen as the place of meeting of the fourth annual session, and an election of officers which took place in the evening resulted as follows:

High Chief Ranger, Lewis Thorne of Los Angeles; Sub-High Chief Ranger, J. D. Case of San Francisco; High Secretary, C. S. Bremer of Alameda; High Treasurer, F. C. Heusley of San Francisco; High Senior Woodward, C. W. Duffie of San Francisco; High Junior Woodward, W. W. Southcote of Grass Valley; High Senior Beadle, G. W. Bayruther of San Francisco; High Junior Beadle, G. W. Myrick of Woodland; High Trustees—Philip Livingston, D. D. Hunt and B. Cohen, all of San Francisco.

AT A CHURCH BAZAAR.

The Kate Greenaway Guard Outdrills F of the First.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Twelfth-street Christian Church held a bazaar in the parlors of the church last evening. The most enjoyable thing on the programme was a competitive drill between the Kate Greenaway Guard and a corps from Company F, First Infantry, N. G. C.

After the corps, under the command of Captain Rosenthal, had gone through a series of military evolutions twelve beautiful young ladies, dressed in a tasty uniform and each bearing a burnished fray by way of arms, filed out upon the floor and proceeded to show the military manual of arms. They also performed a series of evolutions with surprising grace and precision, shouldering, carrying and presenting arms, deploying as skirmishers, advancing on the enemy, retreating and charging in double quick, and all in accordance with tactics.

The drill corps of Company F was cast into the shade and after the drill was over the people present, with one voice, declared the young ladies the winners of the prize. They were under the command of First Sergeant C. K. Garrison of Company F and their names are: The Misses Lambert (First Sergeant), May Frew, Emily Frew, May Miles, Lillie Vance, Sarah Austin, May Presley, Annie Presley, Marian Webster, Etta Squire, Emma Baker and Minnie Garrison.

After the contest was over the victors treated the gallant vanquished to a tasty little supper.

PERSONAL NOTES.

P. J. Hazen, a Modesto attorney, is at the Grand.

Mrs. Jesse Grant of Alameda is stopping at the Palace.

John Thomann, a St. Helena vineyardist, is at the Palace.

Postmaster Stephens of Sacramento is a guest at the Lick.

General T. B. Bunting and wife, of Santa Cruz, are at the Palace.

J. W. Oates, an attorney of Santa Rosa, is registered at the Grand.

Captain C. N. Scammon, U. S. R. M., is registered at the Palace.

R. W. King, a prominent business man of Stockton, is at the Lick.

F. S. Chadbourne and family will spend the summer at San Jose.

Grove L. Johnson, a lawyer of Sacramento, is at the Baldwin.

W. J. Hotchkiss, a wine manufacturer of Healdsburg, is at the Lick.

Judge S. O. Houghton of Los Angeles is visiting friends in this city.

Dr. Gustave Rietzke has returned from a tour through Central America.

Rev. C. M. Hyde, D.D., of Honolulu, arrived yesterday on the Australia.

T. G. Yancey, a prominent resident of Modesto, is registered at the Lick.

J. O. Colby of the British Navy arrived on the Honolulu steamer yesterday.

Major Frank McLaughlin, an Oroville capitalist, is registered at the Palace.

David W. Sines, a banker of Columbus, Ohio, is registered at the Occidental.

Ex-Senator A. P. Williams and wife left yesterday on an extensive northern trip.

Walter S. Maxwell, a prominent capitalist of Los Angeles, is a guest at the Palace.

Ex-Senator Clay Webster Taylor, the well-known orator of Shasta, is at the Palace.

Charles J. Haas, a Stockton merchant, accompanied by his wife, is registered at the Lick.

C. Mohn, a Nevada merchant, and H. H. Wood, a vineyardist of Wrights, are at the Grand.

Will Clayton, a real-estate man of San Jose, accompanied by his wife, is at the Palace.

J. T. Waterhouse, a leading merchant of the Hawaiian Islands, arrived yesterday from Honolulu.

Hon. D. H. McMullan, Provincial Secretary of the Manitoba Legislature, is a guest of the Occidental.

George H. Rice of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company is spending the summer at San Jose with his family.

A. B. Cameron and C. H. Cameron, prominent fruit-growers of Santa Clara Valley, are stopping at the Grand.

John K. Mackenzie, ex-Recorder of Mojave County, Ariz., and a prominent mine-owner, is stopping at the Lick.

Ex-Mayor John Bryce of Los Angeles, accompanied by his wife, is at the Palace and will remain in the city for a few days.

Professor Samuel Adelstein arrived in Naples on the 1st inst. He remained there a few days and then proceeded to Rome and Venice.

Dr. H. Hipkins, President of the Royal College of Dental