

AMUSEMENTS. BALDWIN THEATER."The Old Homestead."
COLUMBIA THEATER. Kerry Gow.
MOROSOS OPERA-HOUSE. Land of the Mid-

ALCAZAR THEATER .- "Chispa." TIVOLI OPERA House .- Jack and The Bean-

ORPHEUM—High-Class Vaudeville.
PEOPLE's PALACE.—Mahara's Refined Minstrels
MECHANICS' PAVILION—Prof. Gleason. HER CHUTES AND SKATING RINK .- Daily addight street, one block east of the Park. SUTRO BATHS-Bathing and performances. PACIFIC COAST JOCKEY CLUB. Races to-day.

AUCTION SALES By EULLIVAN & DOYLE-Friday, January 15. Horses, Buggles, etc., at 544 Brannan street, at 11

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF.

Dr. D. F. Ragan was elected a member of the Board of Education last evening. William Broderick has gained vine votes in the recount for the office of Auditor. John H. Mitchell has sued for a divorce from Anna C. Mitchell on the ground of cruelty. A permanent organization has been effected for giving concerts at the Columbia Theater. San Francisco and San Joaquin Valley Rail-road trains will be running into Bakersfield

Alfred Cappola has been convicted of robbery. He will be sentenced by Judge Wallace next Friday.

The highbinders of Chinatown are again in evidence on the streets and trouble may follow at any time. L. W. McGlauflin has sued L. W. Getchell for

\$1370 on a judgment given heretofore in favor of Louis C. Bresse. The stock holders of the Grangers' Bank met yesterday. They were assured that all liabilities would be paid in full.

Petrarch, Applause, Rey dei Banddios, Sweet Faverdale, Three Forks and Candelaria won races at Oakland yesterday. Rain Thursday, with probably a few south-east squalls and continued cool weather, is what we are to expect to-day.

The ladies of the Fruit and Flower Mission held their annual meeting yesterday afternoon, and elected new officers.

William Edlin, a student from the State University at Berkeley, lectured on socialism at the Turk-street Temple last night.

The United States battle-ship Oregon is hurrledly preparing for a cruise to Central American waters. Other water-front news.

Alexis Janin, the well-known mining expert, died suddenly yesterday afternoon at the residence of his brother in this City. The Southern Pacific will not fight the bi-cycle baggage bill in the Legislature and wheels will be carried free within the State. Harriet Cooper's will has been filed in the County Clerk's office. It will supersede her mother's will, which was found to be invatid. The Veteran Volunteer Firemen's Associa-tion elected officers for the ensuing year at a meeting held on Tuesday evening at Pioneer Hall.

The charge of cruelty to animals against Professor O. R. Gleason, the horse-breaker, was dismissed by Judge Campbell yesterday after-

Judge Sewall yesterday gave judgment in favor of the Pacific Bank against H. Garth-waite for \$2000 and against James Roberts for \$1000.

Inspector Dockery will cause the arrest to-day of many dealers in impure foods and milk and persons selling milk without the neces-sary permits.

The California Society of the Sons of the American Revolution have elected new officers and are arranging for a banquet on Washington's birthday. Amedee Joultin has just finished a picture of an Iudian chief shot to death and his son mourning over him. The canvas is exciting much attention.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Spring Valley Water Works held yesterday the old board of directors was unanimously re-elected.

The Polk-street Improvement Club obtained a reduction per lamp per week from the electric light company, over which concession the club members rejoice.

The board of trustees of the Chamber of Commerce met in executive session yesterday and considered many important propositions of commercial interest.

The first competition for a gold medal presented by Captain L. Siebe to the men of Captain Wittman's division took place at Shell Monnel Park vectories. Mound Park yesterday.

a llegations concerning the discrepancies in the commission's accounts will be fully ex-plained upon investigation.

Judge Low held court yesterday at the City and County Hospital, to take the evidence of W. F. Healy, supposed to be dying from wounds inflicted by Albert F. Davis, his broth-

The first session of the Grand Consistory of California. Ancient and Accepted Scottish

George A. Abel, chief grain inspector of the San Francisco Produce, Exchange, was found dead in his room at 2 o'clock yesterday morning as a result of asphyxiation, two jets of gas being turned on. His triends refuse to accept the theory of suicide, but declare the turning on of the gas must have been an accident, as there was no known cause for such a rash act.

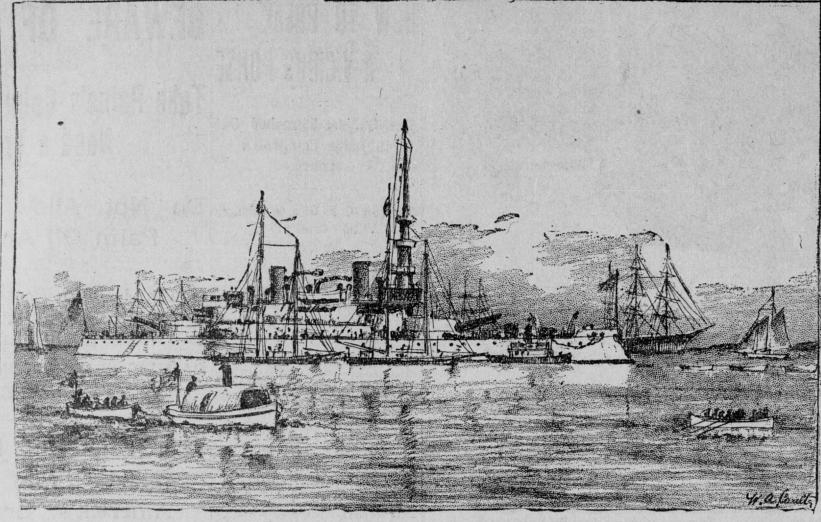
VOLUNTEER FIREMEN.

New Officers Elected at the Pioneer Building.

The annual election of officers for the Veteran Volunteer Firemen's Association was held at Pioneer building on Fourth street on last Tuesday, when the following were elected: Joseph S. Marshall, president; Stephen Bunner, first vice-president dent; George Carlisle, second vice-president; James Hayden, third vice-president;

The only real contest worthy of the name was for the office of president, for which position the friends of Senator J. H. Manoney tried to win out against Marshall, but in this they were defeated, as the handsome Senator only got 35 votes, as against his opponent's 65; but then it was said that Mahoney did not particularly care about the result.

Tum Suden and Jake Rauer. Attorney Otto tum Suden writes in connec Attorney Otto tum Suden writes in connection with the Rauer case now pending before the Grand Jury that he is not and never has been Mrs. Jones' attorney, and that he left no imperfect record as such attorney. He also denies that he consented to the proceedings taken by Rauer against Mrs. Jones.



The United States Battle-Ship Oregon Getting Ready for a Hurried Cruise Along the Southern Coast. Coal-Laden Scows, Water-Boats and Steam-Launches With the Ship's Boats in Tow Have Been Coming and Going for Several Days. Provisions for a Long Run Have Been Put Aboard and the Chances Are That the Oregon Will Be Away Some Time.

HURRIED CRUISE OF THE OREGON

The Noted Battle-Ship Preparing to Sail for Southern Seas.

How P. E Peterson Was Knocked Into the Sea From the Luisa D.

Ship Brablock Beats the Beechbank to the United Kingdom-Quick Time From Kobe.

The busiest vessel in the bay yesterday was the United States battle-ship Oregon. Boats were coming and going and alongside were scows delivering coal, and the water-boat, Sea Nymph, was pumping into the reservoir thousands of gallons of Spring Valley water. The battle-ship was loaded down to her fullest capacity, and every man on board felt correspondingly happy as the huge fighting mass of steel sank inch after inch into the waters of the

Conservative Populists are now lamenting the rudderiess condition of the party ship and pondering the capacity of "Boss" Haskell as the "man at the wheel."

The crew of the big warship are tired of lying inactive in Mission Bay. They have had all "the time ashore they want" and The crew of the big warship are tired of

Mrs. Rosetta A. Sedgley's estate has been appraised by J. Glassman, George L. Center and E. B. Clement at \$87,466 65. It consists mainly of landed property.

War with all its horrors has no terrors for them, and the news that Uncle Sam Joseph Austin, Park Commissioner, says the allegations concerning the discrepance it

The crew of the Oregon embraces almost Carl Smith, a ship's steward, swore to a complaint in Judge Joachimsen's court yesterday, charging Harry Hansen, keeper of a sailors' boarding-house, with battery.

every nationality, but a more loyal set of men never sailed under the stars and stripes.

Miss Flora Mysell, bookkeeper for Mysell & Robbins, printers, was held up by a footpad in the Mission about two weeks ago, and compelled to hand over her purse.

Stripes,

From Mission Bay the Oregon went to Sausalito, and from there she will go to San Diego. At the latter point final in-Statements have been filed by the purity of election committees of the different parties showing alleged receipts and disbursements during the recent political campaign.

structions will be received, and then the "pride of the American battle-ships' will make her way slowly to Acapulco. She is foul from having been long in structions will be received, and then the Mrs. Gratz Buetner, who was imprisoned last Friday upon a complaint of cruelty to her two little children, has been sent to Agnews a raving maniac because they were taken from Mission Bay and cannot make quick time. Nevertheless she will be a great help to Americans and civilization generally She is foul from having been long in should a war break out among the Central American republics. The present consolidation of three of these States is bound to lead to trouble, and at any time days ago to Captain Wittman to provide the Ezeta element may crop up in San

part of Fremont street.

In the mandamus proceeding of A. C. Forsyth against Southard Hoffman, clerk of the Sucreasing month and the point on the Island of Oahu, on which she went ashore, and will take her first cargo of lumber to Honolulu, thus passing her ceiver, District Judge Morrow has decided that the money in question is in the possession of the Federal court and not subject to attachment or proceedings in a State court.

George A. Abel, chief grain inspector of the Sand sefels with the succeeding month and to return it to the commander of the squad one day prior to the next competition, the medal to become the property of the one winning it three times in succession, or failing that the one who wins it four times during the twelve competitions. The Diamond Head and the other the Port Logan. The former was named after the point on the Island of Oahu, on which she went ashore, and will take her first cargo of lumber to Honolulu, thus passing her failing that the one who wins it four times during the twelve competitions. The Diamond Head and the other the Port Logan. The former was named after the point on the Island of Oahu, on which she went ashore, and will take her first cargo of lumber to Honolulu, thus passing her failing that the one who wins it four times during the twelve competitions. The Diamond Head was bought as a wreck for \$500, and, after she was got off hands) before again reaching Honolulu. The Dramond Head was bought as a wreck for \$500, and, atter she was got off and safely anchored inside the coral reef, her cargo of coal was sold for \$9 a ton.

The Port Logan came in ballast from highest scorer to win the rifle. If the highest scorer in any competition should sound in ballast, and from thence to Cape have already won a rifle it will go to the

The schooner Equator, which was lying up the river at Antioch, has been brought down and will be changed into a steam schooner by her owners, R. D. Hume & Co., the salmon firm. She will get engines and boilers at the Fulton Iron Works. The Fenetor will go to the 28 Carnett Works. The Equator will go to the Alaska coast, commonly but erroneously believed to be a below-zero country, and will be used there as a tender at the can-

The steam schooner Whitesboro is about

record.
The British ship Brablock has arrived at Queenstown, 125 days from San Francisco. The ship Beechbank and the Brablock sailed from this port for the United Kingdom on the same day and made a race of the voyage. The Brablock went ashore near Liverpool, but got off uninjured, and, continuing her voyage, beat out the Beechbank, which made London in 126 days.

The name of the man who was knocked The name of the man who was knocked overboard from the sealing schooner Luisa D. Captain Sam Burtis, last Friday morning while sailing down the coast is P. E. Peterson. The schooner is still outside. She ran into heavy weather, the

ship lurched, the main boom struck Peterson and knocked him evidently senseless into the sea. In three minutes four boats were lowered, but the unfortunate man could not be sighted. Peterson was a favorite aboard and one

of the most expert seal-hunters on the coast. All that is known about his antecedents is that he came from Wisconsin, in which State his father, mother and two sisters are living.
Captain Davidson of the British ship

It has been found that the bark Fresno, which arrived here badly damaged and is docked at Main street, will need a new rudder, a new rudder-post and extensive repairs.

IMPURE FOOD AND MILK. Inspector Dockery Will Arrest Many

Dealers in Adulterated Goods. Milk Inspector Dockery is not letting the grass grow under his feet in his crusade against impure-food and impuremilk dealers. All day yesterday he was hurrying around town from one dealer to another in quest of adulterated articles. From nearly every store he took samples, which he submitted to Chemist Wenzel, who is acting for the Board of Health. The board is determined to prosecute to the full extent of the law all found to be in possession of impure milk or food offered for sale.

In his rounds yesterday Mr. Dockery gathered sixty-one samples of food and eighty samples of milk, which he has sub-mitted to Chemist Wenzel for chemical analysis.
Yesterday Mr. Dockery swore out a large

number of warrants for the arrest of peo-ple who he says were selling adulterated milk and selling milk without having first procured the necessary permits. These will be arrested at once, and from all appearances the Police Court calendars will be clogged with impure-milk cases for fighting him it is necessary some time to come. Those to be arrested for selling adulterated milk are the following:

lowing:

H. J. Sullivan, 850 Howard street; W. McIntosh, 806 Howard; Frank Bleihaun, 221 Fourth; M. J. Dempsey, 215 Fourth; George Wooner, 136 First; M. Herzer, 28 First; P. J. McDonald, 43 Second; S. Dieckman, 215 Second; A. Ailison, 2005 Mission; John Baier, 3 Jackson; J. La Marque, 9 Taylor.

For seiling milk without a permit—Charles Kuhlmann, 445 Taylor street; George Doggett, 111 Taylor; Van Oterendorp & Co., 20 Taylor; James Donohue, 116 Seventh; E. Fause, 1105 Howard; Denis Davlitos, 12 East; John Baier, 3 Jackson (second charge); J. Peters, 3261 Nineteenth; S. Dieckman, 215 Second; M. Herzer, 28 First (second charge); J. Peters, 3261 Nineteenth; S. Dieckman, 215 Second (second charge); W. J. Davis, 24 Second; M. Herzer, 28 First (second charge); W. McIntosh, 806 Howard (second charge); and D. McCarthy, 717 Howard.

a gold medal to be competed for by the men in his division and Monday he em-

The first session of the Grand Consistory of California, Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite Free and Accepted Masons, was held yesterday afternoon in Masonic Temple, and seventeen candidates for the thirty-second degree were accepted for the ceremonies to be held to-day.

A committee of Grand Army veterans will go before the Board of Supervisors this forenoon and endeavor to have postponed the service of the order of the late board calling for the destruction of the aged widow Morton's little home that obstructs an unused part of Fremont street.

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In any event the Central American men in his division and Monday he emponed to the destruction and Monday he emponed to the captain.

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to receive a prize of \$5.

The men have also agreed to pay into a fund enough money to purchase a Win-

Town again. Just what will be done with here we have already won a first twing of the next highest.

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Atchison 41, Nash 45, Carr 45, Fleming 40, Wilson 42, Mulcahey 39, Merrick 41, Leonard 38, Cavanagh 37, Hostetter 40, Fenneil 40.

No End to the Rush.

It seems the great closing-out sale of Armand Cailleau, corner Geary street and dent; George Carlisle, second vice-president; James Hayden, third vice-president; James Pennycook, recording secretary; Gus Pohlmann, financial secretary; William Fahrenkrug, treasurer; board of directors—Captain John Foley, John Satchell, John McGreevy, Henry Kohn.

A. Anderson; trustees—Fred A. Will, Laurence Relenger and R. Harrold.

The only real contest worthy of the name was for the office of president, for Grant avenue, has no end to its great rush.

Police Tribuna .

The Police Commissioners met last night. The Police Commissioners met last night, and two policemen were up before them. John W. Durkin was charged by Sergeant Christiansen with drinking in a saloon while on duty. It was shown that Durkin had entered the saloon to ascertain whether the saloon-keeper had renewed his license, according to instructions, and the Commissioners dismissed the charge, at the same time giving the sergeant some information as to his duties. Policemen John S. Hart was fined \$50 for neglect of duty.

Drunkenness decreases nearly 3 per cent

LABOR AGENTS FIGHT NEW LAWS

Anaurus, which is lying at Fremont street, is very ill with malaria. He is being attended by his wife and a trained Commissioner Fitzgerald's Plans.

> Committee From This City Will Do Battle at Sacramento.

Complaint Is Made That the Free Bureau Lives by Coercing State Officers.

The managers of the various employment agencies and labor bureaus of the City are up in arms against Labor Commissioner Fitzgerald.

About twenty people who have for years been engaged in the business of furnishing employment for idle laborers for a 110 Geary street, last night and formulated measures to defeat legislation formulated

To a proper understanding of the issue between Fitzgerald and those who are fighting him it is necessary to bear in "Chispa" at the Alcazar last night, as he mind that the Commissioner conducts a had recovered sufficiently from his attack free labor bureau; that he proposes laws

mento 250 printed copies of the protest against the conduct of Commissioner Fitz-

men in his division and Monday he embodied his offer in a letter addressed to the captain.

The medal is to be competed for each month, making twelve competitions for the years. The men to fire with a rifle, distance 200 yards, ten shots each. The one making the highest score at each competition to wear the provisions of the labor unions have apparently indorsed the bills:

Section 5. It shell be unlawful for any one of the provision and tearing off what is distasteful to him. It seems to me that this is about the most autocratic power ever given to anybody in this country."

The following are the provisions of the local agents. They are particularly sore over the matter because, they say, some of the labor unions have apparently indorsed the bills:

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Section 5. It shall be unlawful for any employment agent to insert any advertisement in any newspaper or in any other manner advertise for help of any kind unless the said advertising is done in pursuance of actual bona-fide orders for help which shall have been received by the said agent. The Commissioner of the Department of Labor may at any time investigate said orders in order to satisfy himself of their authenticity.

Sec. 7. The Commissioner of the Department of Labor shall, during business hours, have free access to all offices used by any employment agent, or agents, and shall be permitted to post therein copies of any laws or notices concerning the conduct of the business of the said employment agent, or agents, or other information concerning labor. The said copies of laws or notices shall be conspicuously posted and shall not be hidden, removed or defaced.

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"The last section is cunningly worded, "The last section is cunningly worded," said C. R. Hansen. "It gives the Commissioner full power to post in our offices, for which we pay rent, 'any information concerning labor." That would give him the right to take away our customers by informing them that he had jobs for them. It is an un-American and unconstitutional law. We have always favored labor bureaus always refused to hire scaps, and reaus, always refused to hire scabs, and yet they brand us as criminals. We ob-ject to his law because he has sworn he would exterminate us."

J. F. Crossett, who has been in business here many years, was of the same opinion. He said that the bills proposed by the Commissioner leave absolutely nothing for the employment agents. "He calls

him to employers, the number of applicants for whom employment has been secured by said employment agent, the amount of fees and commissions and the character and value of any other property taken by said employment agent in return for securing employment for applicants, and the amount of money and the character and value of other property returned to applicants who have failed to obtair employment; and every employment agent shall, upon the first day of each month, furnish to the Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor a written statement from said book or set of books plainly setting forth said facts upon a blank form to be furnished by the said Commissioner.

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Sec. 4. Every firm, association, corporation or person who pursues for profit the business of furnishing information to any applicant or applicants for employment for the purpose of enabling said applicant or applicants to obtain employment, or who registers for any fee, charge or commission the name of any applicant or applicants for employment for the purpose of securing employment for said applicant or applicants, is an employment agent within the meaning of this act.

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Mr. Ready will probably be the chief member of the committee to fight the Labor Commissioner. He will go to Sacramento Sunday night. The agents will have another meeting to-night, at which they will discuss various phases of the proposed laws and make plans to defeat them.

MIDWEEK THEATER NOTES Several Performances Are Near the End

of Their Run-Next Week's Attractions. "The Old Homestead" is in its last days at the Columbia Theater. On Monday

evening the first Nordica concert will take place, when the third act of Gounad's "Faust" will be the piece de resistance. Joseph Murphy is continuing his per small fee met at the office of C. R. Hansen, formances in "Kerry Gow" at the Columbia without showing any signs of

recent indisposition. The Murphy season will end with this week, and on Monday "The Devil's Auction" will take the stage. Hugo Toland returned to the cast of of laryngitis to act, though he was still suffering from hoarseness. George Osborne resumed the role of Injun Jack, with which he is so thoroughly identified. Walter Belasco, who played the Indian on ours. This knack of mak-Tuesday, in the shuffle of roles occasioned by Toland's sudden indisposition, confined himself last night to his part of the emi-

himself last night to his part of the emigrant, in the prologue.

Clever work is done in the prologue of "Chispa" by Miss Sue Blanchard, a local debutante, who has played one or two very little parts at the Alcazar, but who is doing her first work of any importance as Mary Monroe. Miss Blanchard acts her trying death scene very realistically.

"The Land of the Midnight Sun" is a POLICE RIFLE SHOTS.

First Competition for a Gold Medal Presented by Captain Siebe.

Captain L. Siebe, proprietor of Shell Mound Park, made a proposition some days ago to Captain Wittman to provide the power of a czar. Under its provisions he may dictate what our advertising is and where we advertise. He may use is an absence of some years, plays his original character of Stephen Orry, and looks the lattice boards, placing thereon what sions he may dictate what our advertising is and where we advertise. He may use our bulletin-boards, placing thereon what he desires and tearing off what is distasteful to him. It seems to me that this is about the most autocratic power ever given to anybody in this country."

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The second edition of "Jack and the Beanstalk" is doing all that was expected of it, in the way of drawing good houses. Most of the new songs have taken well, and Ferris Hartman's aerial baliet act is the hit of the performance.

The Hungarian Orchestra is gaining in popularity at the Orpheum, and the Swedish ventriloquist gives one of the most popular acts seen at the house for some

DIRECTORS WERE ELECTED. Society for the Prevention of Cruelty

to Children in Session.

The California Society for the Preven-

tion of Cruelty to Children was in session yesterday afternoon and elected officers, as follows: Vice-Presidents-A. B. Mc-Creary, Lloyd Tevis, James B. Haggin, Aivinza Hayward, D. O. Mills, Oliver Eldridge, William F. Whittier, P. B. Cornwall, Henry L. Dodge, F. A. Hihn, George C. Perkins, John P. Jackson, Alexander C. Perkins, John P. Jackson, Alexander Boyd, Levi Strauss, Thomas Magee, John D. Thompson, L. H. Sweeney, W. B. Bourne, W. M. Pierson, John R. Spring; board of directors—Charies Sonntag, Gibbert Palache, A. Roman, Clinton E. Worden, C. M. Volkmann, I. T. Milliken, B. P. Flint, J. E. Shoobert, George A. Newhall, Charles S. Capp and Louis T. Monteagle. Other officers, including secretary. He said that the bills proposed by the Commissioner leave absolutely nothing for the employment agents. "He calls the bureau 'my' bureau in various letters to the heads of State departments, and is simply seeking political power," said Mr. Crossett.

It was decided to send a committee to Sacramento forthwith to fight the bills, which come up before the committee on Monday night. The following sections are particularly obnoxious to the agents, the majority being in families. An early 200 wards in families and institutions, the majority being in families.

tions, the majority being in families. An annual membership costs \$5. Section 3. Every employment agent shall, in connection with his business, keep a book or set of books showing the number of applications for employment made to said employment agent, the number of applicants sent by

DR. RAGAN IS A SCHOOL DIRECTOR

Confirmed by the Board of Education Last Evening.

Superintendent Babcock Named Dr. Mary Morrison as His First Choice.

Teachers Will Be Paid the Amount of November Sa ary That Was Withheld by the Old Board.

The Board of Education appointed Dr. Ragan as successor to School Director Halstead last evening. Mr. Halstead was

buried vesterday. Frevious to the regular session of the board, a meeting of the committee of the whole was held to discuss the matter, and a number of names were presented by Superintendent of Schools Babcock, who has the naming of the successor of any member who through death or other reaon retires from the board.

The Superintendent desired to have lady on the board, and he first presented the name of Dr. Mary Morrison, who has long been connected with the department. The members were not ready to accept her into the fold and the Superintendent presented a number of other names which were likewise unsatisfactory. Finally it was intimated to him that the name of Dr. D. F. Ragan, who was chairman of the

Dr. D. F. Ragan, who was chairman of the last Democratic Municipal Convention, would be satisfactory, and when the regular meeting was called last evening Dr. Ragan's name was presented and unanimously indorsed by the board.

Dr. Ragan will take his seat at the next meeting.

Mrs. V. de Bretteville preferred written charges against Miss M. M. Kenzie, principal of the Hancock School. She averred that Miss Kenzie had been arbitrary and unjust in suspending her son from school and in setting a bad example in losing her temper, by displaying discourtesy and rudeness toward parents, and of lock of judgment in inflicting punishment for offenses committed.

The matter was referred to the Superintendent for investigation.

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Sections 173 and 174 of the rules were amended by the insertion of the follow-

Any repairs must be applied for by the principal by requisition, and it shall then be the duty of the inspector of buildings to visit the school and report to the chairman of the Committee on Buildings and Grounds on such requisition. When the cost of such repairs is not over \$10 the chairman may, if he deems it advisable, order the work to be done; but if the cost of such repairs be more than \$10 and less than \$200, bids for the same shall be passed upon by the Committee on Buildings and Grounds and the work awarded to the lowest responsible bidder.

The board decided that the school test

The board decided that the schoolteachers who were cut half a month's salary in November last must be repaid at once, and on motion of the Superintendent a resolution was adopted auding the shortage to the saiary demands for January, so that the full amount may be paid. A resolution was also adopted to have the Finance Committee apportion a sufficient amount on July and January 1 to pay the

NEW TO-DAY.

We tell your doctor all SEATS NOW SELLING. there is in Scott's Emulsion, just how much cod liver oil, hypophosphites, glycerine. But we do not tell him how these are combined. You have your secrets; this is ing the very best thing has come to us from years of experience with just one thing. We make only Scott's Emulsion—all our energy is bent on making that better than any other emulsion in the world. We have no other business thought. Is it any wonder that it is the standard? Scott & Bowns, Chemists, New York.

NEW TO-LAY-AMUSEMENTS.



LAST MATINEE SATURDAY JOSEPH MURPHY "KERRY GOW!"

THE SALE SEATS THE FIRST WEEK OF Chas. H. Yale's Grand Sp THE FOREVER DEVIL'S AUCTION

Commences This Morning at 9. EVERYTHING NEW BUT THE TITLE. Engagement begins next Monday evening TIVOLI OPERA-HOUSE

THE HIT, "ALL OVER TOWN."
THE SECOND EDITION JACK AND THE BEANSTALK

-THIS EVENING-

SONGS.
DANCES.
BALLETS.
SPECIALTIES. NEW THE DANCING COW.
The Growing Beanstalk. Electric Janiss
THE "A REAL BALLET." "WHAT WILL THEY SPRING ON US BRING THE CHILDREN. SECURE YOUR SEATS IN ADVANCE.

COSMOPOLITAN CHURCH,
METROPOLITAN TEMPLE,
NEXT SUNDAY NIGHT, 7:30 O'CLOCK. REV. HAROLD BOLCE, Pastor. Subject of Sermon, "The Religion of Substitute for Theology." Seats fre

Popular Prices......25c and 50c

SUTRO BATHS. Open Daily From 7 A. J. to 6 P. M. Bathing, Including Admission—Adults 25c, Children 20c. General Admission, 10c; Children, 5c. TUG-OF-WAR NEXT SUNDAY, NEW TO-DAY

That Pleasing Paralyzing Pie!

How good it looks! How good it is! And how it hurts. Why not look into the question of Pill after Pie? Eat your pie and take Ayer's Pills after, and pie will please and not paralyze.

AYER'S Cathartic Pills CURE DYSPEPSIA.

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Building Inspector John J. O'Brien presented a report on the various school buildings, showing the repairs necessary.

A resolution from Director Waller that a new standing committee on health be appointed was referred to the Committee on Rules.

On motion of Director Waller a resolution was adopted placing the assistant secretaries of the board under bonds of \$1000 each.

Cruelty to "Puck." Officer W. H. McMurray of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children swore to a complaint in Judge Joachimsen's court yesterday for the arrest of William H. Leahy, manager of the Tivoli, for permitting a minor to perform in the theater. The minor is little Jack Robertson, who plays the part of Puck. A jury in Judge Campbell's court will decide upon a similar charge this afternoon.

NEW TO-DAY

Tea gets stale when kept long after firing—same as

Schilling's Best is fired in San Francisco just before it is sold to grocers.

If you don't like it, your grocer returns your money

NEW TO-DAY-AMUSEMENTS.

BALDWIN THEATER. ALHAYMAN & Co. (Incorporated) Proprieto:

Final Performances of the Successful Revival of DENMAN THOMPSON'S FAMOUS PLAY, THE OLD HOMESTEAD

AN EXCELLENT CAST.
The Original Old Homestead
Double Quartet.
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