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MEETINGS.

Annual Meeting.—The Annual Meetof stockholders of the Hakalau Plantstion Company
will be held at the office of the Company, 327 Market
street, on Monday, August 2, 1886, at 11 o'clock a.
M., for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors
to serve for the ensuing year, and such other business as may be brought before the meeting. Transfer
Books will be closed on Thursday, July 29th, at 3
o'clock P. M.

E. H. SHELDON, Secretary.

Office of the Risdon Iron and Locomotive Works.—The annual meeting of the Stochholders of the Risdon Iron and Locomotive Works will be held on MONDAY, August 2, 1886, at 11 A. M., at the office of the Company, southeast corner of Beale and Howard streets, San Francisco, for the election of Trustees for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

L. R. MEAD, Secretary.

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E Notice to singers!—Grand Testimonial Concert to the Grand Army of the Republic; 1,000 voices; orchestra 100 pieces. The Sommittee on Entertainment have arranged for a Monster Concert to be tendered to our many guests on the evening of August 4th, announce the FIRST GRAND REHEARSAL for SUNDAY, JULY 20th, at the MECHANIOS' PAVILION, at 2 P. M. A further call is also made at this time to ALL GOOD SING-ERS and TRUE AMERICANS to join this rehearsal and swell the chorus at the entertainment. The programme will consist of patriotic airs and appeals especially to all good citizens of the Republic. The generous response of the various foreign singing societies induces this Committee to urge upon the native-born the importance of not being out-done in patriotism by our adopted citizens.

A. J. VINING,

Secretary Entertainment Committee.

Annual Meeting.—The annual meeting of the Stockhelders of the Virginia and Gold Hill Water Company, for the election of Trustees to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the Company, Room 57, Nevada Block, No. 309 Montgomery street, San Francisco, California, on THURSDAY, July 29, 1886, at one o'clock P. M.

San Francisco, July 14, 1886.

W. W. STETSON, Secretary.

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South San Francisco Dock Company.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Sodth San Francisco Dock Company will be held at the office of the Home Mutual Insurance Company, No. 216 Sansome street, San Francisco, on THURBDAY, July 22, 1886, at 12 o'clock M., for the purpose of taking action on the assessment of the Company's property for grading Kentucky street and Raliroad avenue. By order of the Board of Trustees.

J. F. HOUGHTON, President.

Chas. D. Wheat, Secretary.

The Annual Meeting of Stockholders of the Merchanis' Exchange Bank of San Francisco, for the election of Directors, and the transaction of business, will be held on TUESDAY, August 3, 1886, at 2:30 P. M., at No. 320 Sansome street, Room 9.

G. H. KELLOGG, Secretary,

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Security Savings Bank, 228 Montgomery street.—The annual business meeting of the stockholders of this bank will be held on MONDAY, July 12, 1888, at 3 o'clock P. M., at the office of the corporation.

S. L. ABBOT, Jr., Secretary.

San Francisco. July 1, 1886.

The Dr. I. K. Funk, the celebrated Temperance lecturer, prominent leader of the Prohibition Party and Editor-in-chief of the "New York Voice," will address the people on "The Great Issues of the Day" in Platt's Hall, THURSDAY, at 8 P. M. All invited. Admission free.

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Annual Meeting.—The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Pine Manufacturers Company for the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting, will be held at; the office of the Company, in the city of San Francisco, on MONDAY, July 26, 1886, at 2 o'clock P. M.

San Francisco, July 10, 1886.

A. THAYER, Secretary.

SUMMER RESORTS.

LIDDLE HOUSE, SANTA CRUZ, ON THE Beach—Large, sunny rooms; fine ocean view; excellent board; new management.

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SEASIDE HOME, on the Bluff overlooking the Bay and Beach, Santa Cruz, Cal., Mrs. F. LEWIS, proprietress. This is a home in every respect; its location is the best in the city and the table is supplied with the best the maket affords; within a step of the street cars and both railroad depots.

THE POPE HOUSE, Santa Cruz, Cal.-This popular boarding-house having just been re-fitted and refurnished throughout, is now open to the public, and is under the management of the un-dersigned. A number of cottages have recently been erected on the grounds for accommodation of families. A lawn tenis and croquet ground has been added to its many attractions. Street cars pass the door every few minutes for the beagh. Free car-riages to and from the house.

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This family hotel is most central in town; within half a block of Post, Telegraph and Express offices; street cars pass the house for the beach and bath houses; large and cspacious grounds; hammocks, swings, croquet grounds, and other amusements for the pleasure of guests; no Chinese employed; no bar attached; attendance at all trains; terms moderate.

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THE YUKON RIVER.

An Alaskan Trip Detailed Before the Geographical Society.

Dr. W. Everett, formerly attached to the United States Army, gave a very interesting lecture be-fore the Geographical Society, at their rooms, No. 411 Post street, last evening, on Alaska. speaker had been sent on a tour of exploration by the Government, in the Summer of 1884, and had traversed the whole region from the vicinity of Mt. St. Elias, at the headwaters of the Yukon River, St. Elias, at the headwaters of the Yukon River, down the system of numerous lakes, lagoons, passes, trading-posts, etc., for 2,400 miles, to the mouth of the said stream, where its low delta empties into Behring Sea. The lecture was replete with incidents of adventure with savages, boat accidents, lonely travels without a single companion, malarial fever, and various horrors of exploration in an unknown semi-Arctic land. It is a region of most stupendous scenery, rugged mountains, glaciers, dense forests, avalanches, a bold, broken coast, myriads of fat salmon of human size, elegant river fishing, but very difficult bold, broken coast, myriads of fat salmon of human size, elegant river fishing, but very difficult to mine for metal, as the frozen ground and tangled roots preclude sluicing. The explorer met on some occasions as high a temperature as 100 deg. F. and over, from radiation from mica bluffs on the Yukon of the sun's rays. Agriculture is, however, impossible in any part of Alaska proper, on account of the intense humidity from constant rainfall. Hay can never be cultivated, although grass is abundant. It is an artists' paradise for scenery.

The Oregon Steamers.

In consequence of the large number of passengers bound for Portland, Or., the O. R. & N. Company, have been obliged to increase the sailings of the steamers between the 3d and 18th of Angust, during which time they will sail every third day instead of every fifth day as previously advertised. The attention of passengers is called to the Company's new advertisement changing the time, and to the necessity of calling at the ticket office and making arrangements to conform with the new sailing dates.

Another Blythe Claimant.

George Sloan of Willard, Green county, Missonri, has written a letter to Judge Coffey inquiring the status of the Blythe estate. He says his mother was a sister of the late Thomas H. Blythe, and he wants to assert his claim to the estate.

To Aid Kindergartens,

A musical and literary entertainment will be given this evening at Irving Hall by the Young Women's Christian Temperance Union for the benefit of their kindergarten work.

A Cure of Pneumonia. Mr. D. H. Barnaby of Owego, N. Y., says that his

daughter was taken with a violent cold which terminated with pneumonia, and all the best physicians gave the case up and said she could live but a few nours at most. She was in this condition when friend recommended DB. WM. HALL'S BALSAM FOR THE LUNGS, and advised her to try it. She accepted it as a last resort, and was surprised to find that it produced a marked change for the better and by persevering a permanent cure was effected.

GRAND ARMY NOTES.

The official badge adopted by the Committee of Management of the Twentieth National Eccampment is now for sale in the different stores of this city. It is the well-known G. A. R. Star, suspended from a California grizzly by a red, white and blue ribbon, Besides being the official badge, it has the merit of being the only badge manufactured in California.

THE SMUCCLERS.

The Case of Mrs. Mary Slicer, Late Government Inspectress.

EXAMINATION NOT CONCLUDED.

Surveyor Tinnin on the Stand-Officer Fogarty's Testimony-A Late Hour for Visiting the "Gaelic" -The Forgotten Purse.

When the honr arrived for the examination of Mrs. Mary Slicer, under bonds on a charge of smuggling opium, there was a delay of about twenty minutes, caused by the absence of United States District Attorney Hilborn, who was engaged in another portion of the Appraiser's Building. During the delay there was a sharp exchange of words between John T. Fogarty, Acting Deputy words between John T. Fogarty, Acting Deputy United States Marshal, and George H. Towle, the attorney who has appeared for all the smugglers. Fogarty led off with: "I understand you applied some strong language to me the other day. I am not 'a liar' or 'a perjurer,' and if you use such language again I will hold you responsible." Towle countered by declaring his willingness to meet any responsibility. He afterward stated, in substance, that in the Guffin case he had said, that substance, that in the Guffin case he had said that Fogarty on the witness-stand had made statements which were not borne out by the facts of the case. which were not borne out by the facts of the case.

"The papers," said Fogarty, "quoted you as having used the words 'liar' and 'periurer,'" to which Towle replied, with a strong insinuation, that reporters were not infallible, and, in fact, had been known in a very few instances not to be reliable. About this time Commissioner Sawyer put in an appearance, followed by United States District Attorney Hilborn, and the examination was commenced.

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SURVEYOR TINNIN ON THE STAND.

W. J. Tinnin, the first witness examined, said he was Surveyor of Customs of this port. He knew the defendant, Mrs. Mary Slicer, who was a Government Inspectrees in the latter part of June last. Her duties were to examine female passengers and see that they did not bring ashore dutiable articles. Mrs. Slicer was on daty after the arrival of the steamer Gaelic at this port in the latter part of last month. Acting on information received, witness saw Mr. Fogarty. Here connsel for the defendant objected to anything that might be said by "Tom, Dick or the devil," to which style of language Commissioner Sawyer mildly objected. In the forenoon of June 28th witness and Mr. Fogarty lunched together, and on going up Second street, between Bryant and Brannan, they met Mrs. Slicer and Mrs. Guffin, the stewardess of the Gaelic, the two ladies apparently having something concealed about their persons. This was the forenoon of the day on which Grant was arrested. Officers Sharp and Shepherd were with witness and Mr. Fogarty when the Inspectress and stewardess were met.

On cross-examination Surveyor Tinnin said the restaurant at which he had lunched was on Second, between Brannan and Bryant; the time of lunching between 12 and 1 o'clock P. M. Made no examination of Mrs. Slicer, but thought her manner and appearance were suspicious.

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John T. Fogarty said he was a Deputy United States Marshal. On June 28th he was coming up Second street with Surveyor Tinnin, and they met Mrs. Slicer and Mrs. Guffin, the latter and the Inspectress evidently being on their way up from the Mail Dock. The women looked bulky, or as if they had something concealed about their persons. After dinner witness went to Mrs. Slicer's house, where he saw a man under suspicious circumstances, who afterwards proved to be John Grant, arrested that night by witness for opinm smuggling. Witness saw in Mrs. Slicer's house a serving-woman, the man Grant, and a woman witness thought was Mrs. Slicer. After placing Grant and Frederick Brandt in prison, witness returned to Mrs. Slicer's house. He and F. S. Du Pree, an ALTA reporter, went into the house, leaving Officer Johnson in the rear of the building. Mrs. Slicer, who had been in bed, insisted that witness was a Mr. Edmonds, and he told her that his name was Fogarty, and that he had arrested Grant in coming from her house, and had also arrested Brandt. She said she did not know Brandt. She said she had steamship men lodging in her house, and they might have opium. Mrs. Slicer refused to give the names of her lodgers. On cross-examination witness said it was 12 o'clock at night when he returned to Mrs. Slicer's house. Thought she said something about being sick. When he met Mrs. Slicer and Mrs. Guffin OFFICER FOGARTY TESTIFIES.

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INSPECTOR POWERS TELLS HIS STORY.

Captain Jeff Powers, Inspector of the first night watch, was on board the Gaelic on the night of June 28th. Mrs. Slicer came aboard between 7 and 8 o'clock, and he remarked that it was an unusual hour for her to come on board the steamer. She explained that she had forgotten her keys. Witness corrected himself and said that Mrs. Slicer said that she had forgotten her purse in the stewardees' stateroom. She was below about twenty-five minutes. On returning to the upper deck she spoke about her purse, which she said contained \$15. When she left the steamer she had two small jars in her hands, which she said contained jelly. Witness did not examine the Inspectress, as it was not his business to search women. He saw opinm in the room of the stewardess the next day. He did not think any person visited the stateroom from the time Mrs. Slicer left it until the time the opinm was found. He went next morning to Mrs. Slicer's to get the keys of the stateroom, but Mrs. Slicer's to get the keys of the stateroom, but Mrs. Slicer said the stewardees had got them that morning. On cross-examination Captain Powers said his duties were on the main deck, and he was not in a position to see who went into the room of the stewardees during the night.

C. M. Johnson, a police officer, testified to having been at Mrs. Slicer's house with Officer Fogarty and an ALTA reporter. His testimony on that point was the same as that of Mr. Fogarty. INSPECTOR POWERS TELLS HIS STORY.

C. M. Johnson, a police officer, testified to having been at Mrs. Slicer's house with Officer Fogarty and an ALTA reporter. His testimony on that point was the same as that of Mr. Fogarty. Mr. Towle made a speech in which he reviewed the testimony and asked that his client be discharged. District Attorney Hilborn spoke against the motion, which Commissioner Sawyer denied. The case was continued until this morning at ten o'clock, when Mrs. Slicer will be put on the witness-stand.

Yesterday afternoon at the annual meeting of stockholders of the Spring Valley Water Works the following Trustees were elected: Charles Webb Howard, Charles Mayne, J. D. Fry, Joseph Durbrow, James H. Goodman, George W. Beaver, S. C. Bigelow. At a meeting of the Trustees later, Charles Webb Howard was elected President; Charles Mayne, Vice-President; Wm. Norris, Secretary, and Wm. Brooks, Assistant Secretary.

Republican Precinct Organization.
The Republican electors of Precinct 10, of the Forty-second Assembly District organized July 19th by the election of the following officers:
L. G. McMullin, President; A. T. McGrew, Secretary; Executive Committee—John Forsyth, Wm. Warren, Evans Batton, B. F. Hulburt and A. Norton. William J. Kelly was elected a delegate to the District Convention.

Protestant Episcopal Old Ladies' Home.

The Protestant Episcopal Old Ladies' Home has applied to the Soperior Court for permission to sell two 50-vara lots, corner of Washington and Baker and Washington and Lyon streets. These lots are unimproved and cost the Home considerable outlay for taxes. The officers desire to build a home for the inmates, and desire to sell these lots to raise the money.

SCHOOL MATTERS.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL. THURSDAY, JULY 22, 1886.

gular Meeting of the Board-Settling Up the Year's Bills. gular meeting of the Board of Education

s held last evening, at which all were present cept Director O'Brien.

Communications were received from Mrs. V. E. itton, resigning her position as teacher in the owell-street School; from J. N. Sibley, late scher in the Boys' High School, protesting mainst the recent action of the Board in removing m from the school; from Ettie Shannon, regning from the Department; from Rose E. coper and J. M. Robinson, asking for positions it teachers of stenography.

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ies Ernestine J. Arnold was appointed as-

sistant teacher of bookkeeping in the Commercial School.

The salaries of assistant teachers in the Boys' High School were fixed at \$150 per month.

The Finance Committee reported favorably on bills amounting to \$1,343 23, and demands were ordered drawn.

The report of the Committee on Classification was as follows: That R. H. Hazleton, assistant teacher in the Denman Grammar School be granted two months' leave of absence; that G. M. Sibley be granted leave of absence till September 1st; that Flora Vandenberg be assigned to a vacancy; that Mande M. Wood be appointed to the substitute class as a reward of merit; that the schools be closed August 2d and 3d. Adopted.

A bill of \$400 for maps was brought up and ordered paid; also a bill of \$1,206 for repairs to the Bartlett School.

The report of the Printing Committee showed that during the year \$3,040 60 had been spent.

The Special Committee on Decorating the Schools during the Grand Army celebration were authorized to decorate one school on the line of the parade at an expense not to exceed \$50.

The Board then adjourned.

FIRE IN ALAMEDA.

Whole Block Destroyed-Loss at Least

Fifty Thousand,
A few minutes after 10 o'clock last night a fire by Walnut street and Encinal avenue and occupied by J. S. Bennett's furniture factory, Barber's plan-ing mill and his lumber yard. The fire gained ing mill and his lumber yard. The fire gained such headway as to defy all the efforts of the firemen, and in spite of all efforts the entire property in the block was destroyed. The loss is estimated at \$50,000. The heat was intense and it was only by great efforts that the flames were confined to the block. The Porter Grammar School narrowly escaped destruction. The fire is supposed to have originated in the boiler-room of the furniture factory. A hook and ladder company from East Oakland came to the assistance of the citizens and did valient service. The loss is partly covered by insurance.

An Event for Billiardists.

California Turf and Billiard Exchange resened last evening, under circumstances that comise a bright future to the old landmark of strons of the green cloth. The new tables, car-sts, hangings and furniture gave the room a pets, hangings and furniture gave the room as in attendance all the evening. J. F. B. McCleery and Ben Saylor played an exhibition game at the sight-inch balkline, which attracted much attendion, and won them considerable applause. The same was 150 points, and was won by McCleery, who ran out in the 16th inning, when Saylor's tring had 117 buttons shoved up. The winner's verage was 96.16—very good for an exhibition same. After the game, McCleery gave some markelons exhibitions of trick and fancy play, and han the tables were thrown open for the use of the house patrons.

Butchers' Protective Union.

This body met last night at Huddy's Hall, Geo. Roach in the Chair. Andrew Fay sent a communication asking to have his name withdrawn from the Union, and the request was granted. A communication was received from C. Brorath, Secretary of the Butchers' National Protective Association, St. Louis, congratulating the Union on its success. Charles Laubocker and Eva Brittan presented sworn statements to the local Union setting forth that they had not purchased Chinese pork since April 30, 1886. Herman Gudstatt of the International Cigarmakers' Union addressed the meeting, and asked the butchers to stand by the Union in the fight against Chinese labor.

Stephen Reif, a riotous German, cut such a figure in the Police Court yesterday morning as may warrant his commitment for insanity. Several nights ago he created an unusual disturbance in warrant his commitment for insanity. Several nights ago he created an unusual disturbance in the neighborhood of Gough and McAllister streets the neighborhood of Googh and McAllister streets by threatening very boisterously to murder his wife, a domestic, whom he has terrorized for a long time, and whom Officers Donneltan and Harter saved only Tuesday night last from a victous assault at her husband's hands. He was arrested and tried yesterday, but so remarkable was his conduct in the halls of justice that it was deemed best to examine him for lunacy before the Com-

Mrs. Miller, proprietres of the "Blue Anchor" Saloon, at Washington and East streets, while in a state of delirium yesterday afternoon, ran amuck along the water front as far as Merchant street in a half-clad condition, when she was taken in charge by the police and brought to the Receiving Hospital. The unfortunate woman was attacked with violent epilepsy there, and being over fifty years of age it was a pitiable sight. When she had recovered, her husband and friends having been apprised of her whereabouts, removed her to her home.

The Precinct and County Democracy met last night at Huddy's Hall, T. M. O'Connor, President, in the Chair. Matt. J. Sullivan, of the Advisory Committee, reported that the Committee had met with the Democratic State Central Committee in regard to the differences in the Democratic party in this city, but nothing had been accomplished. Walter Ferral and Hon. John S. Enos addressed the meeting, and both denounced bossiem. County Democrats.

Omnibus Bailroad Election

A certified copy of the meeting of July 19, 1886, held by the Omnibus Railroad and Cable Company, was filed yesterday with the County Clerk, showing that the number of Trustees had been reduced to five, and that there were 10,000 shares of capital stock. The following Directors were elected: Daniel Stein, E. Hull, C. D. O'Sullivan, Gustave Sutro and E. Le Roy.

Articles of incorporation have been filed by the Wave Power Company of San Francisco, who propose to buy and sell patent rights to build, erect and maintain ditches, reservoirs and stand-pipes for collecting, storing and distributing salt water and to sell the same. Capital stock, \$1,000,000, in \$10 shares. Directors—W. H. Birch, J. W. Luces, J. C. Layton, E. T. Steen and J. J. Haley.

Alexander Grant, a native of Nova Scotia, single, aged thirty-four years, by occupation a carpenter and residing at No. 959 Mission street, and Josiak K. Porter, a native of Missouri, aged thirty-five years, married, by occupation a horse-dealer and living at 1044 Howard street, were appointed on the regular police force at the last meeting of the Board of Police Commissioners.

En Route to San Quentin.

Sheriff A. Huntley, of Placer county, lodged two offenders in the City Prison last night en route to San Quentin—Harry Burns and George Thomas, to serve one year each for robbery.

The will of John H. Seaders, who recently committed suicide, has been filed for probate. He leaves \$800 worth of property to his mother, sister and adopted daughter in equal shares.

GRAND ARMY REPUBLIC.

Important Meeting of the General Committee on Management.

TROUBLES OF THE FINANCIERS.

The Parade at Night-Attempt to Muzzle the Press-Miscellaneous Information for Comrades—A Miserable Canard Nailed.

At a meeting of the General Committee on Mangement, held last evening, Comrade Backus presided, with Comrade Bartling as Secretary. A quorum was barely present at the opening, but the number was augmented during the evening. Min-utes of the last meeting were read and approved. The Naval Legion announced its intention to form a Post, and Department Commander Smed-berg said a charter would be granted on applica-

Colonel McElroy and Kate B. Sherwood, repre coloner incertoy and tate B. Sherwood, representing the National Tribune of Washington, announced that they would hold headquarters at the Occidental during Encampment week.

The Mayor of Oakland formally extended a hearty welcome to visiting Comrades Monday,

August 9th, which was accepted.

The Chair announced that no information had been received from San José relating to the proposed trip of Comrades to that place during the posed trip of Comrades to that place during the Encampment; that no notice had been taken of the communications sent, but, on the contrary, the committee's action had been treated with silent contempt. Considerable justifiable asperity was indulged in by different members in relation to the matter, and there seemed to be a unanimous sentiment that the committee's overtures had not been properly treated. The Secretary was instructed to write and ascertain if it was in contemplation on the part of San José citizens to receive and entertain visiting Comrades on August 10th, otherwise different arrangements would be made to fill up the time with something else in the way of pleasure for visitors.

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Adjutant-General Coeby formally announced the acceptance of the Governor and his Staff to be present at the grand parade, August 3d.

Commodore Belknap, at Mare Island, sent a letter of regrets, in which he gave his reasons not being able to furnish any marines to parame with the Grand Arms.

with the Grand Army.

Comrade E. B. Thomas, of Lincoln Post, was added to the Committee on Campfire.

THE PARADE AT NIGHT.

The Grand Marshal announced the following order for the night parade: Form on Montgomery, with right resting on Bush, thence to Market, to Larkin, to the Pavilion.

The Society of the Army of the Potomac was given the sum of \$50 for incidental expenses.

Comrade Charles E. Wilson stated that bids had been adverted for furnishing refreshments on the steamers on Excursion Day; that the head-quarters of the committee had been fixed at Easton & Eldridge's office. He asked that the sum of \$100 be furnished the committee for contingent expenses, which was granted.

Comrade J. M. Davis gave a verbal report of a favorable character regarding arrangements for the coming entertainment on Wednesday evening.

Comrade Giesting made a report in relation to the Flambean Club, which will give an exhibition drill on Van Ness avenue, near Fulton street, tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. He also stated that the Club would be in appropriate uniform and have a large number of appropriate pyrotechnic displays on the night of the parade, with which the Club would proceed to create a "boom."

TROUBLE OF THE FINANCIERS.

The Finance Committee reported favorably, to which Comrade Backus added that the Auditing Committee had carefully examined the accounts thus far rendered and found everything correct. He thought that with the assistance of the public press many subscribers who had not yet paid their donations might be induced to do so. It was the intention of the Committee to soon publish the names of those who had subscribed and he regretted to say that from many whom the committee had hoped to secure subscriptions none had been obtained, and as the parties referred to were regarded as patriotic citizens, the fact that they had not subscribed anything was the more lament-TROUBLE OF THE FINANCIERS.

Comrade Litchfield, of the Finance Committee, stated that all the street railways had subscribed, but one of our large hotels, from which a liberal amount was expected, had not yet put its name on the subscription-book. He said that he would use every endeavor to get such sabscriptions as have not yet been paid before the 1st of August. He also proposed to give the names of the hotels which had subscribed, and the amounts, but the proposition was immediately opposed by many, in a quiet manner.

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Comrade Backus at once arose and stated that it was very well understood that the hotel which had not subscribed was the Lick House.

Comrade Litchfield confirmed this, and said that while the Lick House had not absolutely refused, still he would not call again upon the proprtator. The Palsce, Occidental, Baldwin and Russ House had all liberally subscribed, and smaller hotels, he thought, had given according to their means. Comrade Litchfield had worn out four pairs of boots in the past four months, and he was getting tired of his labors. If the Committee desires the services of any other for the purpose, he was quite willing to relinquish his position as Secretary of the Finance Committee.

Comrade Salomon suggested that the action of the Lick House should be made known to Comrades who will come.

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Both Comrades Holmes and J. M. Davis deprecated any action tending to provoke a further refusal on the part of the Lick House to subscribe.

MUZZLING THE PRESS Comrade Eggleston moved that it was the sense of the committee that the press should refrain from publishing anything about the discussion, but it was quickly subdaed by opposition from Comrades Stnart Taylor, Mason Kinne, J. M. Davis and Ed. Sclower.

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The Committee on Hotels and Accommodations reported that outside of hotels and lodginghouses the committee was able thus far to secure accommodations for 8,000 people.

Comrade Staples reported that a competent caterer had been secured to perform his duties in connection with the grand banquet and placed under a bond of \$5,000 to fulfill.

Comrade John T. Cutting of the Mechanics' Pavilion Committee made a verbal report of a favorable character with respect to many details which have been and are being arranged to place the Pavilion in proper condition for Encampment week.

Comrade Salomon reported that at the next meeting full plans of the Committee will be presented.

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Comrade Cashin, for the Committee on Streets, presented a report which from time to time has already been presented to the ALTA'S readers.

Comrade Kinne spoke about the manufacture of an almost fac simile Grand Army badge which is being extensively sold in this city. Unless the manufacture and sale is stopped by some means the wearing of the badge referred to will lead to endless confusion, as many entertainments can be attended by any one wearing the badge. The Chair was authorized to act in the premises and to take all necessary steps to prevent the manufacture and sale of such badges, even to securing legal aid.

A resolution was adopted authorizing the Department Commander not to assign the so-called Naval Legion to a position in line of the procession on Parade Day.

The Chair instructed all sub-committees which have not already made written reports to have such prepared for presentation next Wednesday evening, as the same was of paramount importance to the General Committee to enable it to act intelligently upon matters.

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pleted all necessary arrangements that could be effected pertaining to its duties. Next Wednesday evening there will be held a general meeting of this committee for the transaction of business, at the Press Committee rooms, Nos. 8, 9 and 10 Grand Hotel, on which occasion the headquarters.

the Press Committee rooms, Nos. 8, 9 and 10 Grand Hotel, on which occasion the headquarters of the committee there will be open and all members are urged to be present.

Twenty-two years ago yesterday Major-General McPherson, commanding the Army of the Tennesce, was killed in front of Atlanta while repulsing an attack of the Confederates under Hood. The engagement was one of the hottest which took place during the campaign about Atlanta, and an eye-witness to the scene told the ALTA's representative yesterday that when an aid-de-camp rode up to Sherman and excitedly informed him that McPherson was killed and the left wing of the Military Division of the Mississippi hopelessly demoralized, that Sherman said, "Who is in command?" Upon being informed that it was Logan. "Old Tecumsh" broke out with "Go back young man, it's all right. I never believe anything I hear and only half that I see." His judgement of Logan was correct, for "Black Jack" and his gallant army soon reposseesed themselves of the sarthworks and bravely held the line intact, insuring the ultimate capture of Atlanta.

MISCELLANDOUS NOTES.

The grand arch on Market street is beginning to assume symmetrical proportions, which, added to its majestic appearance, attracts the attention of hundreds of Grand Army visitors now in the city. Yesterday headquarters of the General Committee were decorated with bunting, flags, etc., and now present quite a holiday appearance. Back of the Chairman's deek there are grouped and festooned two large camp flags with the G. A. R. badge suspended in the centre. The gas fixtures have groups of small flags about them, and long pennants of red, white and blue bunting reach from the central chandelier in almost every direction.

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The Army of the Potomac will hold its banquet at Pioneers' Hall instead of Odd Fellows'. Tickets for the occasion to members of the organization will be \$3 each. It has been decided to furnish fifty tickets to prominent citizens who may desire to attend at a cost of \$5 each ticket. They are for sale by the Secretary, Colonel W. R. Parnell.

The W. R. C. of Lincoln Post will give a recepon to visiting members of the organization he afternoon and evening of Saturday, Aug

the arternoon and evening of Saturday, August 7th.

A Loyal Ladies' League, No. 5, has been organized in Oakland. The officers are: Drusilla F. Winchester, President; Margaret M. Little, senior Vice-President; Mrs. N. J. Smith, Junior Vice-President; Kate W. Keinchl, Treasner; Carrie E. King, Secretary; Madge Ash, Conductor; Priscilla J. Dakes, Guard; Mrs. Sarah York, Chaplain.

The Delegation from Department of New Mexicowill have headquarters at the Brooklyn Hotel. On the return of General Sherman, Lyons and Appomatox Posts of Oakland will tender that distinguished soldier a reception.

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Last evening four hundred male singers met in Eintracht Hall on Post street and rendered several choruses with good effect. Next Sunday, at 2 o'clock, there will be a general rehearsal by male

A MISERABLE CANARD.

There is a circular being distributed throughout the country severely reflecting on General J. Madison Drake, of the Voteran Zonaves, Grant Post, No. 38, Department of New Jersey, in which he is charged with almost every crime in the military decalegne. It is alleged to be the work of jealous rivels in some of the Grand Army Posts of New Jersey and contiguous ones. If such is the case it shows a total lack of comradeship and disregard for those principles which govern the Grand Army brganization. Among other things the circular charges General Drake with cowardice and lack of soldierly qualities, stating, among other things, that he appropriated money collected by the command to his own personal uses; that he was despised by all the best people in the city of Elizabeth, N. J.; that he terrorized his men; that he insulted the memory of General Grant by taking his name for the Post; that he hurrahed for Arthur when Garfield was assassinated and was mobbed for it; that he and his command had been promised royal receptions throughout the conntry by veterans, who, if they knew those things, would treat him with contempt. In conclusion, the circular requested all soldiers and sailors, veterans of the war, to refrain from making any demonstration in his honor or that of his command until they investigated the truth of these charges.

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N. J., Herald in an editorial as a base and mendacious falsehood, and declares it to be the work of unprincipled men. The New Jersey edition of the New York World claims that General Drake's record as a soldier, which it has examined, is without a blemish, and one of the best.

The Meatee Inquest

The Coroner will hold an inquest to-day upon the body of Patrick McAtee, who died on Sunday from concussion of the brain, caused by a fall last Thursday at his home on Fourth, near Mission street. He was at one time sole proprietor of the old Bella Union Theatre.

Obermeyer's Death. The Coroner's jury, called to an inquest over the body of Frederick Obermeyer, who met his death by falling from a hearse on Tuesday last, returned a verdict of accidental death yesterday afternoon. He was a native of Hamburg, aged

ifty-four years. Martin Kelly's Contest. The quo warranto proceedings of Martin Kelly against the Board of Fire Commissioners, to decide the right of Kelly to a seat in the Board, will be called in Judge Magnire's Court this morning.

morning. John P. Bell, special counsel for collecting de-linquent taxes for 1874-5 to 1879, has filed his report for the past year. He has collected \$2,-069 45, and after deducting his commissions, he paid to the Treasurer \$1,761 68.

There will be a meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners next Saturday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, for the purpose of investigating charges of drunkenness and dereliction of daty against two members of the Department.



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