GOVERNOR NASH IS ENTERTAINED AT A BANQUET AND VISITING CONGRESSMEN ARE SHOWN SIGHTS OF THE CITY AND VICINITY



Delighted With Park's Beauty.

The visitors were enraptured and spoke freely of the wondrous sight. Their sentiments were expressed by one of the party, who said enthusiastically:

"San Francisco should be proud of her park; it is most wonderful."

The visitors were taken to the conservatory, where a stop was made to enable them to view the beautiful floral specimens. They were escorted through the conservatory and then shown the beautiful floral designs laid cut in honor of the President and the Eastern visitors.

The new music stand was the next point of interest visited and from there the party was driven to the buffalo paddock. Some time was spent in admiring the immense bisons and the drive was then continued to the deer park. The ladies of the party spent some time gazing upon the gentle creatures confined within the park and when the young ones of the herd came to the fence encircling the place set apart for them they patted their heads, touched their cold noses and searched diligently for stray scraps of food with which to feed them,

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mous in declaring the drive a feature of their visit, which they would long remember, and were loud in their praise of the commercial committee, which had the trip in charge.

Captain Eugene T. Wilson, aid to General Shafter, assumed charge of the party after the juncheon and directed their movements toward the Presidio. The batteries along the shore were pointed out

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The horses were permitted to walk through the park to allow the visitors a full leisurely view of nature in all her loveliness, such as can only be obtained in Golden Gate Park.

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The well kept avenues of the military reservation were driven over and the points of interest along the drives indicated. The camps, barracks, parade ground and the General Hospital were visited. Many compliments were paid Captain Wilson as the drive disclosed the beauties to be met with on the Government reservation. The Presidio having been viewed from all points, the word was given and the party started for home.

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Escort duty was performed by J. M. Gleaves, William M. Abbott, Charles L. Field, J. B. Fuller, H. D. Loveland, H. G. W. Dinkelspiel, S. J. Hendy, F. A. Vall and the uniformed generals and colonels and the uniformed generals and colonels belonging to the respective staffs, of the Governors of Ohio, Oregon and California. Major General Shafter, United States army, sat among the elect on the platform. Governor Gage was not present at the beginning of the exercises, but arrived at 10 o'clock. He was received with generous applause and cordially greeted by George D. Clark, president of the league.

McKinlay Welcomes the Guests. According to programme George D. Clark, president of the club, claimed the attention of the audience and introduced D. E. McKinlay, the speaker appointed to welcome the visitors. Mr. McKinlay speaking for the league said:

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The magnificent series of receptions and ovations tendered by the patriotic and enthusiastic citizens of California to the nation's chief executive and to the many distinguished men and women of the East who have become our guests within the last few days shows the deep feeling of appreciation prevailing throughout the State for the honor conferred upon us by their presence in our midst.

California, San Francisco, the Union League Club, may well mark the time of these occurrences with a white stone. It is not very often that Californians, living away out here in the center of the American nation, have an opportunity at one single time to meet and greet and welcome so many of the great men of the extreme East.

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I allude to California as the center of the Union because we claim that we are Westerners no longer. We hail now from the center of the great republic.

The star of empire, always guiding and becknoning civilization and progress westward, reached over the mountains and rivers and valleys of broad America, over the islands of the Pacific Ocean, onward, and still onward, until at last the emblem of American nationality—the flag, which is the hope of all who look for liberty—the flag which is the pride and best love of every true and loyal American heart—noats in honor and glory in the gates of the East and spreads its radiance over the Oriental skies.

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At the conclusion of Mr. McKinlay's patrictic address there was a wave of applause. Governor Nash was then introduced. When the hearty and prolonged applause which greeted his introduction subsided the Governor of Ohio said:

Mr. President and gentlemen of the Union League Club: I hardly know how to express the gratitude which I feel for the very cordial welcome which you have given me to-night. We have come some 2500 miles for the purpose of being with you and launching that splendid battleship which your workmen have constructed, the Ohio. We feel that in doing this we have come upon a patriotic mission, and we are glad to be so cordially greeted by all the citizens of your splendid State.

I must confess that this Journey has been a sort of eye-opener for me. (Laughter.) I have never been a member of Congress, I have never been a candidate for President, and my vision has been somewhat circumscribed. (Renewed laughter.) I formerly had the idea that all the great men came from Ohio (great laughter), and that nearly all of the good things in this world had their life and being in that State (renewed laughter). In this I have, within the last ten days, discovered that I have been wonderfully mistaken. I find the same prosperity, the same love for the republic, and the same love for our flag existing upon the Pacific Coast that exists in the Central States. I feel assured from what I have seen and heard that the men of California are just as loyal, just as patriotic and just as ready to defend our republic in time of danger as any men upon the continent. (Applause and crees of "That is right.")

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From the deer park the drive to the Cliff along the Quean road was a source of much pleasure to the lawmakers and the ladies. It was the first glimpse of the broad Pacific much pleasure to the lawmakers and the ladies. It was the first glimpse of the broad Pacific much pleasure to the lawmakers and the ladies. It was the first glimpse of the broad Pacific much pleasure to the lawmakers and the ladies. It was the first glimpse of the broad Pacific much pleasure to the lawmakers and the ladies. It was the first glimpse of the broad Pacific much pleasure to the lawmakers and the ladies. It was the first glimpse of the broad Pacific much pleasure to the lawmakers and the ladies. It was the first glimpse of the broad Pacific much pleasure to the lawmakers and the ladies. It was the first glimpse of the broad Pacific much pleasure to the lawmakers and the ladies. It was the first glimpse of the broad Pacific much pleasure to the lawmakers and the ladies. It was the first glimpse of the broad Pacific much pleasure to the lawmakers and the ladies. It was the first glimpse of the broad Pacific much pleasure to the lawmakers and the ladies. It was the first glimpse of the broad Pacific much pleasure to the lawmakers and the ladies. It was the first glimpse of the broad Pacific much pleasure to the lawmakers and the ladies. It was the first glimpse of the bour, to the boundless possibilities of the hour, to the boundless possibilities of the prophetory to the boundless possibilities of the hour, to the boundless possibilities of the prophetory to

as I have come across your plains and over your mountains and finally reached the Pacific Coast I found that their doctrines have expanded until they have taken possession of all this glorious Western country. The mere fact that we are and have been expansionists has made our nation great and strong and if we follow the same ideas and carry out the same policies the nation will continue to grow in power and strength in all the years to come as it has done in the past. (Applause.)

My friends, I am rejuiced to see the wonderful prosperity of this Western country. I have watched with interest your great industries, I have looked over your fertile fields and rejoiced that you have your great agricultural products, but there is one thing among you which has rejoiced my heart more than all things else. I have observed that you have splendid schools and universities. (Applause.) I am sure that these are dearer to your hearts than any other wealth you have. It was my privilege to-day to attend the commencement exercises of the University of California.

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A more splendid audlence to witness the graduation of young men and women for future usefulness I never laid my eyes upon. A more splendid set of graduates just going forth to their life's work were never seen by any man upon the face of the earth. I rejoice that these things are so, because not only in California, but in every Status of this Union we want and we must have intelligent men and women. They will be patriotic, they will promote the growth of our United States, they will protect liberty everywhere and bring prosperity to all our people.

My friends, I want to say again that it rejoices my heart to be with you to-night. I do not feel that I am in a strange land. I love my native State, but I know that she is but one of the torty-five stars which compose this grand republic of ours. Your State is another one of those stars. We owe a higher and a grander allegiance than we owe to either one of our States, and that allegiance is to this great republic of ours (cheers), a republic founded in the blood of the fathers of the revolution, a republic preserved by the brave soldlers from 1851 to 1855, a republic which has been reunited during the last three years in our contest with a foreign foe. Under her flag we can always be happy, we can always work, we can always be united.

Again, fellow citizens, I thank you, and in returning my thanks I wish for the citizens of California all the prosperity, all the happiness that are possible for all time to come. I thank you. (Cheers.)

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After a few remarks by General J. M. Gleaves, president of the Ohio Society, and the singing of "The Star-Spangled Banner" by the Knickerbocker Quartet, Governor T. T. Geer of Oregon was introduced. Governor Geer spoke as follows:

Mr. President and Gentlemen of the Union League Club of San Francisco: The first thing you will discover is that I have fallen a victim to the glorious climate of California. I am so hoarse that I can hardly make myself understood. Upon returning to my hotel not more than an hour ago, I discovered, among other invitations, one to be present on this occasion to respond to a toast, "The State of Oregon." This is very short notice to have been given for so important an event as this. I am reminded of the circumstances under which Frederick Douglass once found himself when having been called upon for a speech without notice. He said that he never made a short speech that satisfied himself nor a long one that satisfied anybody else. Allow me to say, however, gentlemen, that I am not a Ohio man. I still am proud of the fact that I am a native son of Oregon. (Applause.) I am, however, with you to make a confession and to say that my distinguished friend, the Governor of Ohio, is largely right in his suggestion that Ohio is largely responsible for the settlement of the Pacific Coast—I am to make a confession and admit that, while I am not a son of Ohio, my father was. (Laughter and applause.)

Advertisement of California. Gentlemen, the State of Oregon is, to use a slang phrase we often hear. "Jost in the shuffle" in comparison with the enthusiasm and the advertisement which fortunately California gets, largely through the enthusiasm, the enersy and the enterprise which we all admire of the Californians themselves. But Oregon is the best State in the Union, gentlemen. (Great laughter.) There is only one thing of which I would be prouder than being a native of Oregon, and that is to be a native

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Visiting Ohioans Are Taken Through the Oriental Quarter by Police Officers Specially Detailed by Chief of Police Sullivan

ing Ohioans inspected Chinatown last night under the guidance of police officers specially detailed by Chief Sullivan. At 9 o'clock James W. Faulkner, Police Commissioner of Cincinnati and political writer of the Enquirer, headed a party composed of Cincinnati and political writer of the Enquirer, headed a party composed of Colonel Carl Hosker of Columbus, Henry Vortreide, proprietor of the Toledo Express, and Misses Sheldon and Steuart. The party was guided through the mysterious mazes of the Oriental quarter by Detective McMahon and returned several hours later well pleased with their visit. At 8 o'clock a party composed of Congressman James H. Southard of the Ninth Ohio district, accompanied by his wife, Celin M. Spitzer, quartermaster on Governor Nash's staff, and Theodore Wall-bridge of Toledo, left the Pleasanton Hotel and, under the escort of Officers Hailey, and spent several hours in Chinatown. In the Palace Hotel at 8 o'clock by Officer Bailey, and spent several hours in Chinatown. In the party were Howard N. Thompson of the Associated Press, Henry L. West of the Washington Post, Walter E. Clark of the New York Sun, W. W. Price of the Washington Press.

HAVANA, May 15.—A majority of the committee on resolutions, Senors Tamaya, Villendas and Queseda, are in favor of the Committee on resolutions Senors Gomez and Silvela are strongly opposed to this action. It is said that

VALLEJO EXPECTS FULL DELEGATION

Congressmen Acknowledge Receipt of Invitations to Be Her Guests.

VALLEJO, May 15.—The rooms at the magnificent new ferry building were decorated with surpassing beauty, and, while the visitors may have seen California flowers in greater profusion, they have yet to see more tasteful and artistic decorations. A telegram has been received from Congressman Alston C. Dayton, member of the House Naval Committee, stating that he will be glad to accept the invitation of the Vallejo committee and remain in Vallejo Thursday evening. Admiral

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the following acknowledgement of their invitation:

"PALACE HOTEL, May 14, 1901—To the Ladles of Vallejo, Greeting: I am pleased to receive your cordial card of greeting. It is many years since I have been with you, and I thank you for your cordial welcome. I am respectfully.

"GEORGE W. MELVILLE."

"Rear Admiral and Engineer in Chief United States Navy."

Chairman Foss of the House Committee on Naval Affairs, who is with the Congressional party, has sent a dispatch to the Vallejo committee thanking them for their invitation to remain in Vallejo as their guest on Thursday evening. He will probably accept.

committee on resolutions, Senors Tamaya, Villendas and Queseda, are in favor of the committee making an immediate report advising the constitutional convention to accept the Platt amendment. Senors Gomez and Silvela are strongly Senors Gomez and Silvela are strongly opposed to this action. It is said that Senor Gomez in drawing up the minority report interprets the explanations of Secretary Root as an admission that the United States will change the Platt amendment if the Cubans insist upon it; that clauses will be added guaranteeing the absolute independence of Cuba; that the third clause will be stricken out, as the Monroe doctrine provides for intervention should this be necessary, and that coaling stations used for coal shall not be used for naval stations.

At to-day's meeting the majority voted that owing to the explanations made by Secretary Root to the committee, "we advise the constitutional convention to accept the Platt amendment as a basis for future treaties with the United States."