A FIELD DAY FOR

J. J. Dowling Gets the Contract for Alamo Square Work.

Job to Repair Third Street Bitumen Awarded to Flinn & Treacy.

Concrete Specifications for Paving Market Street, From Second to Fifth.

GOOD WORK PROMISED

Supervisors Award the Contract to the City Street Improvement Company, Price \$15,000.

Yesterday was a field day for jobs in the Board of Supervisors. The Ala-mo Square work was awarded to J. J.

The Warring Tongs Compelled to Cease Fighting. Dowling at the figures of the "private arrangement." The work was done so long ago that the grass is growing over the curbs and the Supervisors now are simply awarding a contract in order to allow the contractor to get his money from the public treasury. No mention was made yesterday in the board of Windrem's bid which was lower than Dowling's. The trick by which the Street Committee threw out the low bid was not denounced. In discussing the matter of the work - Alamo Square Supervisor Britt asserted that the original contract was entered into on behalf of the city by the Superintendent of Streets. Mr. Ambrose, the Superintendent, distinctly denies that he had anything to do with the letting of the contract. He asserts that he did not know that any arrangement had been made to do the work until he saw Dowling's men at work on the job.

Here is a case of flat contradiction. Supervisor Britt says that the Superintendent of Streets let this contract and the Superintendent says he did not. Let the Grand Jury inquire whether any contract was made, and if one was made who entered into it on behalf of the city.

The contract for repairing Third street, between Mission and Howard, went to Flinn & Treacy for \$2100. J. J. Dowling at first proposed to do the work for \$950, but he was allowed to pull out his bid for that sum and the board instead of inviting new proposals awarded the contract to the next lowest bidder. Dowling's bid of \$950 was a fair estimate of the value of the work and material required for the repairs. The space to be repaired was inspected and measured by an expert em-Dowling at first proposed to do the work for \$950, but he was allowed to spected and measured by an expert employed by The Call. Dowling's lame statement which was accepted yesterday by the board to the effect that he

to the City Street Improvement Com-pany. The contractor agrees to do the work for \$15,000 and the old material. The Call's expert figures the old material to be worth \$5000. It is said that J. W. McDonald, the Fire Commis-sioner, who is at the head of the City Street Improvement Company, intends to do a star piece of work on Market street. The public eye will be

ADVERTISEMENTS.

FACE

Itchy Scaly Eczema Seven Years. Face and Head Full of Large White Scales and Sores.

So Disgusted I Was Ashamed To Be Seen in Company. Instant Relief and

SPEEDY CURE BY CUTICURA.

My case of Eczema was of about seven years' standing. It was of the scaly, itchy kind. I sometimes thought my face and arms were afire. My face was full of large, white scales, and my head was full of sores, in fact I was disgusted, I was ashamed to go in company. I took five bottles of CUTICURA RESOLVENT, washed my face and arms with Curicuna SOAP, put on CUTICURA (continent), and found great relief instantly, and I got a clean face again, thanks to the CUTICURA REMEDIES.

You may do as you see fit with this.
VALENTINE EGNER,
March 7, 1898. 108 Stagg St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

ACNE 2 YEARS CURE CUTICURA I suffered two years with Acne. I have tried all kinds of medicines but they did me no good. I used six bottles of CUTICURA RESOLVENT, nine cakes of CUTICURA SOAP, and I am cured. My skin is as smooth as any baby. Feb. 22, 1898. LEE L. FISHER, 923½ N. Compton Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

CUTICUEA REMEDIES are beyond all doubt the greatert skin cures, blood purifiers, and humor remedies of modern times. Warm baths with CUTICUEA SOAP, gentle anointings with CUTICUEA COMPUTED FOR THE ARMOUNT AND THE COMPUTED FOR THE ARMOUNT AND THE COMPUTED FOR TH Sold throughout the world. POTTER DRUG AND CHEM. CORP., Sole Props., Boston.

"How to Cure Every Skin Disease," mailed free. fine job of work is proposed.

The specifications call for a concrete bed nine inches thick. The concrete is to be formed of cement, sand and rock,

to be formed of cement, sand and rock, in this proportion: One part cement, three parts sand and seven parts rock. The space to be paved is about 100,000 square feet. Considering the specifications and the fact that the work must be kept in repair for five years at the expense of the contractor, the price is not high.

When the work is done the city will have a Dolly Varden pavement on Market street from Second to Fifth. The railroad company will retain the stone block pavement between the cur rails where the blocks are laid over an iron arch and bound together by cement. arch and bound together by cement. The space between the tracks may be paved with bitumen. In front of the Emporium there is a wooden block pavement, which has been accepted. Permission has been granted to allow a wooden block pavement in front of

a wooden block pavement in front of the Phelan building. It is said that Mr. McDonald, on general principles of reciprocity, has resolved to give the city a fine sample of his work in the proposed new pavement. He is closely identified with the care and improvement of the streets. He has the contract for sweeping the streets. Con which he draws down about streets, for which he draws down about \$11,000 a month. Then he has some kind of a private arrangement—or, at kind of a private arrangement—or, at least, the City Street Improvement Company has—for repairing and potching accepted streets. The little formality of a contract or authorization by some responsible party for doing this work is missing, but bills are rendered and allowed just the same. It is, roughly estimated that these little side jobs and the street sweening enable the Imand the street sweeping enable the Improvement Company to draw out of the treasury something like \$150,000 per annum. When it comes to influence, McDonald is kingpin. The Superintendent of Streets is not in his class.

PEACE IN CHINATOWN.

Cease Fighting.

The highbinder war which was on the verge of breaking out in Chinatown is off and peace reigns among the Mongolians, for a time at any rate. The merchants of the See Yup Association held a meeting at the corner of Wayerly place and Clay street last evening ened trouble and succeeded in bringing the warring factions to an amicable understanding. The warlike feeling was between the Sin Sue Ying and the Suey Sing tongs, both of which are branches of the See Yup Company. The Sin Sue Yings are the ones who have the grievance, and the wounding of Lum Sier by one of their men Wednesday night didn't satisfy their grudge, so they have been declaring they must have more blood.

Representatives from both the warring factions were called before the meeting of the association last night, and after considerable parley, during which the Sin Sue Yings vowed they would not stop the fight, the merchants finally declared that there must be an end of the fighting. They issued the ultimatum that if after their warning any shooting took place they would notify the police of the whereabouts of the gullty parties and every assistance would be given the officers to secure arrests and conviction. Both tongs, seeing that the merchants were determined, agreed to stop the fighting and no further trouble is apprehended.

A FEAST FOR ART LOVERS. -

Delorme's Interieur de Ferme Now

on Exhibition at the Emporium. The "Interieur de Ferme," or farmhouse interior, one of the famous Delorme col-lection of paintings and a companion to "The Blacksmith," is attracting crowds

Injured by a Bear.

Frederick Louis, alias Goldman Smith bid for the work under a misapprehension of the specifications is not borne an animal trainer at the Chutes, was some country with a grizzly bear. Louis, who has specifications is not borne out by the palpable facts. He made his calculations exactly on the line of the specifications and even offered \$75 for the old material. Everything points to the conclusion that Dowling's bid on the conclusion that Dowling's bid on the Conclusion that Dowling's bid on the Chutes, was calculations exactly on the line of the specifications and even offered \$75 for the dold material. Everything points to the conclusion that Dowling's bid on the Conclusion that Dowling's bid on the Chutes, was specifications and even offered \$75 for the conclusion that Dowling's bid on the conclusion that Dowling's bid on the Conclusion that Dowling's or an interleast the conclusion that Dowling's bid on the Chick The Conclusion that Dowling's or an interleast the carge yesterday morning to send wolves in the large exhibition arena, entered the cage yesterday morning to prepare the animal for the bear who afterward and fell and fe

Will Give a Chicken Barbecue. One of the events of the coming picnic season will be the chicken barbecue to be given at Agricultural Park, San Jose, on lent Association of the Pacific coast. The fare for the round trip will include admission to the grounds and the privilege of participation in the festivities. The fol-lowing members of the association will of participation in the festivities. The following members of the association will have charge of the affair and will constitute the committee of arrangements: R. C. Kelly, Morris Marks, Charles Ruesinger and Joseph Shepperton.

Roads and Highways.

Marsden Manson, the well-known civil engineer, delivered a lecture on roads and highways before the Academy of Sciences last night. The subject was profusely illustrated with the aid of a stereopticon, showing views of many roads, both in Europe and this country. The lecture was a "snap-shot" description of the lecturer's trip through the different countries visited both before and after attending the seventh International Geological Congress, held at St. Petersburg, Russia. highways before the Academy of Sciences

Coast Division Time Changes.

General Passenger Agent Goodman of the Southern Pacific has given notice that the Sunset Limited will make the last trip of this season on April 28, which is one month later than last year. The Sunday excursions to Monterey and Santa Cruz over both the broad and nar-Santa Cruz over both the broad and harrow gauge lines will commence on Sunday, April 10. The broad gauge trains will leave the Townsend-street depot for a onterey and Pacific Grove at 7:30 a.m. and the narrow-gauge trains will connect with the 7:45 boat from the foot of Market street

A Captain to Retire.

The term of Captain Edgar C. Sutliffe as commanding officer of Company G. First Infantry Regiment, N. G. C., will expire in the early part of June, and he has announced his intention of not stand-ing for re-election. It is probable that he will be succeeded by First Lieutenant Thomas W. Sparrowe, and that Second Lieutenant William N. Swazey will be promoted to be first lieutenant.

Negligence Is Charged.

A jury was impaneled in Judge Hunt's court yesterday to try the suit of John P. Nelson against the Market Street Rallway Company. Nelson claims that he was driving along the Mission road on August 30, 1896, when an electric car of the Mission street line collided with his team. He was thrown to the pavement and received injuries that have since incapacitated him. He now asks for \$50,000 damages, claiming that the collision was due to the carelessness of the motorman. A jury was impaneled in Judge Hunt's

HUMP THEMSELVES FOR THE FESTIVAL. QUIET NIGHT ARMY AND NAVY



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will be firmly secured to the backs of the animals, and the other stood beside him while they were being sketched. then given a good walk in their new dress to accustom them to it, and all traces of uneasiness promptly disappeared.

served. Mrs. Sam Mayer, Mrs. George
Johnson and Mrs. Merrill are the ladies
at the head of the committee.

The ladies of Oakland are beginning to
hold meetings and promise to put Oakland in line for the festival. Yesterday
the ladies of Oakland Lodge met at the
Masonic Cathedral in Oakland. Mrs.
George Smith, wife of the master of Oakland Lodge, was elected chairman. Mrs.
William Gifford was elected secretary.
About 150 ladies present concluded to divide the city into four sections and appoint a chairman to solicit donations and
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LIEUTENANT

The Veteran Police Officer Granted a Pension.

Appointed in His

The Police Commissioners met yesterday afternoon as a pension board and retired Lieutenant Bennett and Police Officer Wells. Bennett has been Sunday, April 17, by Lodge I of the Jour-neymen Butchers' Protective and Benevo-quest his name was placed on the penquest his name was placed on the pension list.

Wells has been disabled for at least a year, due, it is claimed, to a combination of diseases. The Commissioners at first decided to dismiss him from the force, but as he had served the allotted time, they finally agreed to retire him on a pension.

Last night the Commissioners again met and appointed Sergeant Anderson of Captain Spillane's division lieutenant, to take the place of Bennett, retired. Anderson is one of the bestknown men in the department, and has a host of friends. To-day he will assume the duties of lieutenant of the Potrero police station.

On motion of Commissioner Gunst Police Officer William Brophy was promoted to the position of sergeant. Brophy has been connected with the force for a number of years, and is held in high esteem by his superior officers. officers. After his appointment was made known he was warmly congratulated by his fellow-policemen. For several reasons, the Commission-

ers decided to postpone the appoint-ment of a successor to the late Lieutenant Burke until the next regular At that time it is expected they will

also appoint two sergeants to the va-cancies caused by the dismissal of the disgraced Sergeant Davis and the promotion of Sergeant Anders n. It is understood that Policemen Merrick and Phillips will be appointed. They have the inside track, and having the confidence of the Commissioners, their promotion is almost assured.

After making the two appointments, the Commissioners discussed the cowardly methods of the four policemen who deserted Lieutenant Burke when he was shot and killed by Haynes, the murderous tinsmith. A diagram of the cabin in which the murderer lived was shown to the Commissioners, as well as a drawing showing the positions of as a drawing showing the positions of the men who so cowardly deserted their brave leader. Chief Lees explained the diagram and also the positions occupied by the officers when Burke was shot. Owing to the absence of President Tobin, who is confined to his bed on account of sickness, the Commissioners, after a short discussion, decided to

granting permission to Mrs. Dr. Merritt, guardian of ex-Mayor Sutro, who has been declared incompetent, the right to dispose of part of his property at either private or public sale. The property will be sold to settle some of the outstanding claims against Sutro's estate.

CORONER'S INQUESTS.

Owners of the Newport Building on Mission Street Censured by the Jury for Neglect.

Coroner Hawkins yesterday held several inquests. In the case of Solomon J. Hildebrandt, who on March 15 was caught between the belt and the pulley of a machine on which he was working, the jury rendered a verdict that death was caused "by seedlent through death was caused "by accident through his own carelessness."

The verdict in the case of Patrick Mc-

The verdict in the case of Patrick Mc-Hugh, the Morse patrolman killed by falling down an elevator shaft in the Newport building, 213 Mission street, was that the deceased "came to his death through injuries received in a fall by accident through his own carelessness, and we hereby censure the owner or owners of said building for not having proper and safe guard rails around the elevator shaft on each floor."

In the case of Benjamin Smith of 207 Fillmore street, killed while asleep by inhaling the fumes of illuminating gas from leaky gas fixtures, the verdict was that death was purely accidental.

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Charged With Assault to Murder.



A FATAL TOY.

A Ten-Year-Old Girl Playing With a Pistol Shoots Herself.

where she died from the effects of the wound without regaining consciousness, and before the arrival of her parents, who were away from home when the accident occurred.

The father and mother of the little

The case against Jesse Roberts, a team-ster for John Tuttle & Co., charged with

cruelty to animals in sawing his horse's tongue off, was dismissed by Judge Joachimsen yesterday. The Judge held that no evidence whatever had been adduced by the prosecution to support the charge.



girl own a candy and fruit stand near the Cliff House and left her at home yesterday while they went to their place of business. A ten-month-old baby was left in charge of the girl, and this child was the only person present when the fatal shot was fired, so just how it happened is not known. The revolver was a 38-caliber American Bulldog, owned by the father and kept in a bureau drawer. It is supposed that in the absence of her parents the girl, child-like, had been

HILE playing with a revolver at He thought her asleep at first, but going her father's home, 80 Jessle street, closer found her face covered with blood yesterday afternoon, Mary Antippa, the ten-year-old daughter of rushed screaming from the house to the street, where he attracted the attention pa, the ten-year-old daughter or rusned settlement of the attention of Officer Bush of the Southern station, left eye, lodging in the brain. She was who went into the house and found the left eye, lodging in the brain. She was who went into the house and found the little girl weltering in her own blood and dring condition. The policeman imin a dying condition. The policeman immediately sent for an ambulance and had the girl taken to the hospital. The doctors did everything in their power to save her, but despite their efforts she died an hour after reaching the hospital.

A message was sent to the Cliff House for the father and mother soon after the child was found to be shot. They hastened to the hospital, which they reached a few moments after the little heart had ceased to beat. They were prostrated with grief at the sad occurrence and blame themselves for having left the child alone and for having kept the weapon in a place where she could easily get hold

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Ladies' tailor-made suits: latest designs: we give credit. M. Rothschild, 211 Sutter, r. 6 & 7.

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"Shore Acres" Renews The Torpedo-Boat on the Its Popularity at the Columbia.

Farce-Comedy at the California.

Bohemian Girl" Once More at the General Shafter Leaves for Sar Tivoli-"Jane" Revived-Orpheum and Morosco's.

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obvious goodnesses and kodakesque externals of Mr. Herne's play and falled to find anything that was either moral or artistic beyond what already had been accomplished in the barnyard masterpiece of Denman Thompson. I dealt in some of this skepticism myself when "Shore Acres" was played at the Baldwin last year, but at the same time, of course, credited Mr. Herne with a more wholesale and, strangely enough, a more convincing use of the external tricks that had made the success of "The Oid Homestead."

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The acting is so much a part of the Professor Ardley Returns.

BERKELEY, April 4.—Professor Ardley has just returned from the Teachers' Institutes of Southern California, where he delivered thirteen illustrated lectures upon art and its history. He also conducted the "Round Table" upon "Art in Education," which was attended by fully 1500 persons, completely filling the large auditorium of the First Congregational Church at Los Angeles.

Adams Point Favored for a Park.

OAKLAND, April 4.—The City Council finally passed the ordinance to-night declaring certain property on Adams Point necessary for a public park. Pringle, Heitmann, Woodward, Watkinson, Earl and Henneberry voted to pass the measure. An ordinance will be introduced later calling for an election to vote bonds.

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Taking "Shore Acres" at nothing greater than its real value, it is a harmless, finished performance of the most unique qualities of tableau entertainment. At this period of its life you can almost forgive Mr. Herne his eulogists and sermons. If on the purpose of organizing district clubs, whose duty it shall be to reorganize the entire party in the city. The following resolution, introduced by Secretary McGovern, was read and unanimously passed:

Whereas, The appointment of Hon. W. J. Biggy as Registrar of Voters of this city and county is one that commends itself to all classes of our citizens as a deserving recognition of merit and faithfulness in public life; therefore be it.

Resolved, That the thanks of this committee be extended to Governor James H. Budd for making so creditable a selection.

Dr. D. F. Ragan also presented a resobox office. By the way, if Mr. Herne should be asked to appear in any of the local pulpits it will have to be for morning service, as the Columbia engagement includes Sunday nights in his working week. working week.

I went over the way to the Baldwin in time to hear Anna Held and the "animated music sheet" sing "I Want Dem Presents Back." The music sheet was hardly as animated as Mlle. Held, who introduced into the refrain last week's pectoral wriggle and a new one, a rear elevation of the muscle dance. "The Cat and the Cherub" has retired from the bill; whether out of modesty or mutilation I don't know.

The California reopened on Sunday night with "A Jay in New York," a variety show whose only virtues are cheap prices. While to some extent prices may determine an audience, it would not be fair to suppose that everybody who attends the California cares to see a man violently separated from his trousers, and other petty and equally uninteresting vulgarities. ASHTON STEVENS.

Morosco's.

The members of the stock company at the Grand Opera House have, in "Hands Across the Sea," a melodrama that calls Across the Sea," a melodrama that calls out their best efforts. W. L. Gleason, in his dual role, shows appreciation of the part, and the audience is with him from the start, while Landers Stevens, as Robert Stillwood, a character which calls for expressions of contempt from the habitues of the Grand, won well merited applause and hisses. Harry Mainhall plays the hero well, but his voice is still a bit throaty from his recent illness. The scenery and the rest of the cast work faithfully.

Orpheum.

Montgomery and Stone, the black-face Montgomery and Stone, the black-face buck dancers and rag timers, are still the end at the Orpheum, in spite of their new teams. Of the new people, Miriam Ainsworth, dancer and dialect specialist, is not a success; Bertha, who first danced herself into favor here with Henderson's shows, takes fairly well; and Mandola, the balancer, is altogether novel and expert. Not the least part of Mandola's success is due to a wonderfully trained dog, a canine master of equipoise. Tivoli.

"The Bohemian Girl" is an old story at

the Tivoli. Of last night's performance it is only necessary to say that it was up to the average and that the arts of Thaddeus and Arline returned two old favorites, Michelena and Carrie Roma, who were warmly welcomed by the audience. The Easter burlesque commences Saturday. Alcazar.

In "Jane" the stock company at the Alcazar revives one of its most successful pieces. The bill for next week will be "The Strange Adventures of Miss Brown."

Chutes.

Chiquita, the Haight-street rival of Anna Held, is still doing business at the old stand. A New Organist.

Frank E. Rohner of Chicago has accepted an engagement as organist for the Sherith Israel synagogue on Taylor

AT THE PLAY GETTING READY

Ways at the Union Iron Works.

Anna Held's New Song-Cheap Examples of Rapid Work in the Construction of

Ships.

Diego to Inspect Coast Fortifications.

"Shore Acres" came back last night and with all its old elaborate simplicity pleased a fairly large audience at the Union Iron Works, will be launched

States. He remarked yesterials, that some fine horses were secured for the Fourth Cavalry.

The Government recently gave the American Biscuit Company an order for 22,000 forty-pound tins of pilot bread or 880,000 pounds. After the fire this order was placed with the Eclipse and Eagle bakeries. When the fire occurred the American Biscuit Company was running over time, which computed by hours gave ten days' work a week. The Eagle and Eclipse bakeries accepted the orders on the "rush" conditions.

ASK CUBAN RECOGNITION.

The Democratic Campaign Committee

Meet and Pass a Resolution. A meeting of the campaign committee of the Democratic party of San Fran-cisco was held in the parlors of the Bald-win Hotel last evening. P. J. Harney presided and J. F. McGovern acted as secretary. A general political discussion took place, after which it was decided to hold a meeting of the General Democratic

making so creditable a selection.
Dr. D. F. Ragan also presented a res lution, which was likewise adopted. read as follows:

Whereas, The spirit of liberty has ever been the guiding principle of the Democratic party; therefore be it.

Resolved, That the Campaign Committee of the Democratic party of the city and county of San Francisco memorialize the President and Congress to recognize the belligerent rights of the Cubans,

After the reading and acceptance of these two resolutions the committee adjourned to meet again at the Baldwin at 8 p. m. on Saturday next.

Runaway at North Beach. A four-horse team belonging to J. Kruse, a lumber dealer, ran away at Fil-bert and Jones streets yesterday afterbert and Jones streets yesterday afternoon and one of the horses was so badly
injured that it will probably die. The
driver locked the rear wheel of the wagon
to serve as a brake going down the steep
grade, but when half way down the rope
broke and the weight of the wagon
started the horses down the hill at a
breakneck speed. At Lombard street one
of the horses fell and was seriously injured by the flying lumber. He was
taken away in the ambulance to the
veterinary hospital.

TWO MASKED ROBBERS INVADE A SALOON.

Compel a Weaverville Bartender to Surrender a Sackful of Coin.

REDDING, April 4.—One of the most daring robberies in the history of Trinity County took place in Weaverville at about 11 o'clock Saturday night. There were a dozen men in the Elite saloon, when two masked robbers entered through the rear door, and with drawn revolvers compelled all the inmates to stand with their faces against the wall. The robbers took from the barkeeper, Fred Miller, a sack containing \$350 in coin. They then departed as suddenly as they had appeared.

Both robbers wore masks of gray colored cloth. One of them is described as being about five feet ten inches in height, and the other was about an inch shorter. There is no clew to their identity, but the authorities are working upon the idea that the work was done by non-residents. REDDING, April 4.-One of the most

Jordan Defeats Curry. LONDON, April 4.—At the National Sporting Club in this city to-night, in a

sporting Club in this city to-night, in a twenty-round contest for £300 and tae bantam championship of the world. Ben Jordan of England beat Eddie Curry of New York, winning in the seventeenth round. Curry proved game, but was much punished. The Modern Generation of Men. Physically men are better to-day than ever

before. Our college youth are, as a general thing, magnificent specimens. The constitutionally weak and nervous, though they may never become athletes, can greatly increase their strength and restore tranquility to the nervous system by the efficient aid of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which also removes a larial, kidney, dyspeptic and bilious trouble

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