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CALIFORNIA BASEBALL GROUNDS. End of Haight-street Cars. SUNDAY, April 10, 1887.....TWO GAMES

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A DAY AT NORTH BEACH.

Local Industries Flourishing and Actively Employed.

WHAT THE SHIPYARDS ARE DOING

Description of Four Fine Steamers Now on the Stocks-The New Pumping Works at Black Point in Running Order-A New Boiler.

That portion of the water front just north and west of the old Meiggs' wharf is a scene of busy activity just now. The two shipyards of Charles G. White and of T. P. H. Whitelaw have four steamers on the stocks that are worthy of mention. An ALTA reporter spent an hour or two there yesterday, and was given full particulars. The yards were visited by large numbers of peo-ple, who came either on foot around the seawall or by cars from the city. The most noticable object is the new steamer intended for the ferry line between San Francisco and Alameda. It was or-dered some months since by the South Pacific Railular passenger traffic and for continuous service it was necessary to have everything about it first-class. The hull as it now stands on the ways gives a very good idea of the materials used and of the method of construction. The frame is 235 feet long, 32 feet beam and 10 feet depth of hold. All the frame timbers are strong, well braced and fastened with metal nails. As an additional means fastened with metal nails. As an additional means of strengthening the hull, it is braced throughout with heavy strap-iron three inches wide by one-half inch thick. These are crossed in every direction, fore and aft, and are fastened to the frame with heavy counterenk bolts. Besides this the frame is provided with two solid hog-frames that start from the keelsons and rise to the top of the hull, in the centre. These will form a support for the main bearings that carry the weight of the heavy wheels that hang outboard. This fine steamer will be planked outside and in by well-seasoned fir from Oregon, than which no better the main bearings that carry the weight of the heavy wheels that hang ontboard. This fine steamer will be planked ontside and in by well-seasoned fir from Oregon, than which no better timber can be found in the world. The motive power of this fine specimen of navel architecture was designed and built by the Fulton Iron Works, of this city. It is a beam-engine, with cylinder 50 inch bore by 10-foot stroke. Everything about the engine was made here, except the forging of the strap to the walking-beam and the main shafts. These could have been done in this city, but the contractors did not care to risk such a delicate job, as this is the first beam engine constructed on this coast. The order was accordingly given to a firm in Buffalo, who are experts in this matter. The rest of the machinery was designed and built at the Fulton Iron Works, where the boilers are now ready to be put on board. The steamer will not be ready for launching for at least one month. In the yard of Charles G. White, near by, are three steamers on the stocks nearly ready for launching. They are all intended for outside traffic, and for the special purpose of carrying lumber. Consequently they are of entirely different model and construction from the bay steamer. Two are of the same dimensions and are framed from the same drawings. They are 131 feet long by 32 feet beam and ten feet depth of hold. Their keel and side frames are of the heaviest timbers possible, with heavy fastenings of metal bolts and long agek treenails. The outside planking is of three-inch planks cut full length. Some of these are fully sixty feet long, without a flaw, and are sprung into place by means of powerful scrows and by wedges. The stem and sternposts are formed of single pieces of California laurel, which seems to be peculiarly adapted for such uses. One of these steamers is owned by the Falton Iron Works, who also built that for the third vessel on the ways. The latter is only one foot less beam than the others, and is owned by L. E. White and others. She is a f

and economical in ruei.

Not far to the weetward of White's yard the old stern-wheeler Sonoma is high and dry on the ways, receiving so thorough an overhauling as to amount to rebuilding. All the mechinery has GRAND CHORUS, OROHESTRA, ENSEMBLE to amount to rebuilding. All the machinery has been removed, the hull cut in two and lengthened several feet. The frames have been enlarged and the planking renewed throughout. A new boiler will be put in and engines thoroughly overhauled. When finished the Sonoma will be used as a freight boat, between this city and various parts of the upper Suisun Bay, for carrying fruit and live stock.

stock.

Having completed this part of his detail, the reporter started towards Black Point. The wind was blowing a stiff gale from the west and the bay was rough. Just inside Fort Point lay a large four-masted schooner that started out in the morning but did not dare to face the bar. A trim-looking steamer went straight past the city front until opposite the Fort when it suddenly turned and came to an anchor near the City Gardens. Like the big schooner, its Captain did not care to cross the dangerous bar.

stroke. The engine came to this coast in 1850 in the pioneer steamer McKim that made trips to Sacramento for several months, until she was bought off by the California Steam Navigation Company. One of the old engines was put in place about 1860 and two pumps were started. The motive power was supplied by a massive gear wheel, 9 feet diameter, 18 inch-force, that weighed 13,000 pounds. The shaft supporting this gear drove two cranks set at right angles. Attached to these cranks were long connecting rods of wood heavily strapped with fron. These rods worked solid plungers that forced the water through strong iron pipes at single lifts to the reservoirs. About the year 1863 two more pumps were added, and the other engine of the old McKim brought into nee. There was a second gear wheel used and the whole machinery so arranged as to use one engine to work the four pumps. The old flume was removed about this time and the whole supply was brought to the pumping-house by a tunnel driven through the hill at Black Point, and the long stretch of sand lying to the west. This tunnel is 2,300 feet long, 3 by 5 feet in the clear, and is lined throughout with brick laid in cement. The old pumps were geared to make one etroke each to four revolutions of the engine, and though made

in early times continued to do their appointed work without stop or break to the end. When the Crystal Spring water was introduced to the city last year by the completion of the new reservoir at South San Francisco, it was found that the lower reservoir of the old system could be filled by gravitation. Enzineer Schussler of the Spring Valley Water Works had intended to utilize the Lobos Creek supply for the two highest points in the city, Latayette Park and Clay-street Hill, where two small reservoirs were placed. In order to lift this water to the height of four hundred feet it was necessary to have machinery of different pattern, and Mr. Schussler had plans drawn by the Union Iron Works. These were accepted and one month ago started. The new engine consists of a high-presence cylinder twenty-two inches in diameter by forty-four inches stroke, and a low-pressure cylinder twenty-two inches diameter by forty-four inches stroke. Both engines are connected with plunger-pumps that are worked by the piston-rods of each engine. The pumps are double-acting force and lift pumps, having compound valves. The engines make twenty-five revolutions a minute and the pumps the same. The workmanship of the machinery is first-class, and the solid columns of water are forced to the great height apparently without effort.

In semall building adjoining the pumping machinery the reporter discovered another ouriosity in the way of a boiler that is to supply steam for the new pumping engines. This new departure looks like anything but a boiler. The principal thing that attracted attention was a vertical central cylinder of wrought iron %-inch thick, 3 feet diameter and 16 feet high. Inserted were over 300 short tubes, 30 inches long, that radiated in every direction from the main shell. These tubes are closed at the outer end. Around the shell is built as olld wall of masonry of circular form, while two fire-doors are placed near the bottom. The fire is built and every particle of fiame reaches the outer surfaces of both shell and the

EASTER SUNDAY.

Churches Beautifully Decorated - Additional Services.

The churches throughout the city will to-day be decorated in a manner befitting the celebration of the greatest day of the Christian Passover. The services also will be grand and solemn to a degree in some churches, far beyond anything rendered there before. The congregations will no doubt be excessively large. In yesterday's ALTA a list of services to be held in the principal churches of the city was published. The following, which came too late for publication yesterday, are given St. John's Presbyterian Church, Post street, be

St. John's Presbyterian Church, Post street, between Mason and Tsylor streets. Services at 11 A. M. Organ voluntary, "Christ Our Passoner," L. P. Wheat; hymn, "Angeles Roll the Rock Away," "The Magdalene," Warren; hymn, "The Lorc's Risen:" hymn, "I Know That My Redeerler Lives;" organ poethide. Choir—Miss Stewart, parano, Mrs. H. Clark, alto; G. Bremner, tenor; Robert Rleir, basso; George H. Little, organist. Central Church, Mission street. The approaching Easter season promises to be more than usually interesting at this church. The service selected, "Immanuel Victorious," is fresh and striking. The selected readings have been entrusted to several members of the school. Nearly all the musical numbers are new and singularly snitable to the Savior's victory. The service will be rendered by the school this evening at 7:30.

At the Howard-street Methodist Episcopal Church, between Second and Third streets, the Sabbath school will hold its thirty-sixth anniversary. An unusually interesting literary programme will be presented by the members of the Sunday school, in the auditorium of the edifice, in the evening, at 7:30 o'clock. The church is handsomely decorated with flowers, shrubs, etc.

We earnestly recommend our fellow citizens of the State of California to vote for the Constitu-tional amendments, numbers I and II, relating to our courts, which are to be submitted to our prople on Tuesday next.

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Crimes' Consequences.

The following sentences were imposed yesterday by Judge Toohy:

James Hamilton, convicted of burglary in the first degree, for having broken into J. W. Cameron's store, No. 449 Jessie street, on the 2d of last June, was sentenced to three years at San Quentin.

tin.

William Reily, for committing the same crime in breaking into L. Hinkle's store, corner of Scott and Devisadero streets on the 15th of last month, was relegated to the same institution for two years; and for burglariously entering Nicholas Sweeney's tailoring establishment, No. 113 Second street. James Smith was given a three years' engagement in the Relegy quarties. James Hennessy pleaded guilty to burglary and bis sentence was set for the 16th of this month.

Felton's Side.

Taking testimony for Charles N. Felton's side of the case in the Sullivan-Felton Congressional contest was begun yesterday at the office of Horace G. Platt, attorney for Mr. Felton, 402 California street. John Lord Love, formerly Election Commissioner, deposed that there was no irregularity in the ballots of the Forty-seventh and Forty-eighth Districts.

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Wm. Steinman, of the Labor party, said he had been led to believe that Sallivan had paid \$1,500 to his party, as \$2,000 had been spent in publishing a political lampooning sheet.

John Hogan said be had received \$15 from Sullivan and Wm. Gearing said he had got \$5 from the same person.

A Hopeful Sign.

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At a meeting of the Italian Chamber of Commerce, held at 506 Battery street yesterday, communications were received from Italy, asking that samples of California canned fruits and canned salmon, and also matches, be forwarded to Italy for exhibition in the Commercial Museums of Milan and Turin. The split-wood match is as yet unknown in Italy.

Spring Style Hats.

M. Meussdorffer's Spring style of dress and business hats are now ready. They are, as usual, "the" style of the season, the most dressy, lightest and nobbiest. Call at northwest corner Montgomery and Bush streets; branch 404 Kearny street.

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CHARTER ELECTION.

Address to Voters by the Business Men's Committee.

AN UNANSWERABLE ARGUMENT.

Prominent Business Men Call Attention to the Advan tages Offered by the New Charter, and Ask All Citizens to Vote for It.

The Business Men's Committee have issued an ddress to the yoters of this city in the following form: REASONS WHY EVERY CITIZEN SHOULD VOTE FOR THE

It contains a concise and complete form of government. It provides for the necessities of a growing and prosperous city.

Under it the Mayor will be in reality, as well as in name, the head of the city government. Instead of having his power crippled by the interference of cother departments, he will have a direct supervision of all the departments of the municipal government

having his power crippled by the interference of other departments, he will have a direct supervision of all the departments of the municipal government and will be responsible for their inefficiency. It provides for a prudent and economical administration of the city government.

It makes the "dollar limit" for the ordinary municipal expenses, of binding and absolute force; at the same time it gives to the city, whenever the voters shall so desire, an opportunity to expend as much money as they may desire for public imprevements. Under these provisions the city will be able whenever it shall so desire, to have its public parks, its public buildings and its streets made ornaments rather than objects of disgrace.

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By its provisions the Auditor is clothed with greater power of control over the disbursement of money than he has hitherto exercised.

Restrictions upon official stealing are increased and official honesty will be secured.

It gives an opportunity for the development of our public squares and parks. It furnishes the machinery by which the New City Hall may be completed and made an ornament instead of the unsightly pile it now presents.

It provides for a system of sewerage and drainage by which the health of the people will be preserved. It will give the means of having the public streets improved and made thoroughfares for the enjoyment of all who have occasion to use them. By these improvements it will give employment to thousands of skilled and unskilled laborers in addition to those now employed in building up the city.

It provides for a more efficient fire department than has hitherto been enjoyed by the city.

It provides for a dapting the number of police to the wants and growth of the city.

It provides for a more efficient administration of the school department and for the appropriation of the school department and for the appropriation of the school money to educational purposes, instead of private jobbery.

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We call the attention of the citizens of San Francisco to the fact, that during the last seven years there has been raised for revenue an average of nearly five millions of dollars per annum, and we also call attention to the fact that for the thirty-five millions of dollars that have thus been contributed by the citizens for its city government, we have today absolutely nothing to show, except the additional growth which naturally come to the trees and plants in the Golden Gate Park. Our public streets, instead of having been improved, have become (dilapldated. Our public sewers are wholly without system, and are in a state of decay which has been productive or vastly increased mortality during each succeeding year. Our school-houses and other public buildings have become objects of disgrace, by reason of the ravages of time. Our City Hall, instead of having been completed, as it should have been, has be ome a mere unsightly blotch upon the square where it stands.

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We believe that the citizens at large are awake to this condition of things, and are ready for a change. San Francisco is now entering upon an era of great prosperity. A brilliant future is just before us. This city is beginning to feel the spirit of development and progress that has been so manifest in other cities of the United States within the last few years. The great number of people from the East that are rapidly becoming citizens with us bring with them the enterprise and progressiveness which they have been accustomed to witness in the cities from which they have come. San Francisco has within it the capability of becoming one of the chief cities of the world, but it is hampered and held in restraint from development and growth by reason of the restrictions of its laws, and the absence of all opportunity for such development. It is bound up in the clothes which were placed upon it when it was a child. What was sufficient thirty years ago is insufficient now. We have grown as a city during these thirty years, and our wants and desires have grown with such growth.

A body of intelligent, industrious and careful men, selected by the citizens of this city for that purpose, have prepared a new charter for the city which is in accordance with its growth and with its wants and desires. We have examined it with care, and we unhesitatingly pronounce it to be worthy of adoption, and believe that with its adoption this city will enter

scirces. We have examined it with care, and we unhesitatingly pronounce it to be worthy of adoption, and believe that with its adoption this city will enter upon an era of progress and that its citizens will enjoy a good government; and we most cordially and earnestly ask you to give it your support by voting for its adoption on Tuesday, the 12th day of the present month.

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Henry Elckhoff,
Thos. F. Barry. A. A. Watkins, J. J. O'Brien,

Habeas Corpus Writs.

A writ of bases corpus, returnable to-morrow, has been issued by Judge Wallace, in the case of J. S. 'Wheeler, who, the petition sets forth, was tried in the Police Court on April 1, 1887, for an alleged offense, and sentenced to a term in the House of Correction. It is further alleged that the conviction and sentence were founded on facts over which the Police Court had no jurisdiction. Wheeler was convicted of practicing the half-interest swindle.

William Hellier has brought suit significant william Mills for a dissolution of partnership and an accounting. The parties were engaged in the business of horse-dealing, and in February last separated by mutual consent. Plaintiff alleges that defendant has appropriated to his own use \$2,000 of the receipts and profits of the business.

Didn't Carry the Wheat.

The attention of Judge Ross in the United States Circuit Court was occupied yesterday by the suit of Wells, Fargo & Co. vs. The Oregon Navigatign and Railway Company. The plaintiff sues to recover \$11,263 damages, alleged to have resulted from the refusal of the defendants to carry a certain quantity of wheat from Washington Territory to this city. He Got the Worst of It.

Early yesterday morning at the corner of Market and Valencia streets, Frank Bonner had an altercation with an unknown person. That Bonner came out second best is evident by the fact that when taken to the Central Station he was so badly cut up as to need the services of the City Physician

A Lacerated Hand. P. Tully, an employee of the San Francisco
Tool Company, while working at a drill yesterday
lacerated his left hand. He was taken to the Receiving Hospital and had his little finger amputated.

Metaphysical Lectures.

Mrs. Mary H. Plunkett, President of the Hopkins College of Christian Science, in Chicago, is at the Palace Hotel, where she will be glad to receive any who are interested in the subject of Mental Healing She will also give information concerning the course of lectures to be given by Mrs. Emma Hopkins, be ginning April 18th. Mrs. Plunkett is accompanied by Mrs. Mabel McCoy, a graduate of this school, and an able healer, who will receive patients for treat-

THE EARLY CHURCH.

Interesting Lecture Delivered by Pro-fessor Boyard.

Professor F. D. Bovard last evening delivered a lecture on the "History of the Early Church" at the Central Methodist Episcopal Church. This is the second lecture of a series given under the auspices of the Cantral Chautanqua Circle. Dr. Bovard gave a historically accurate account of the struggles and teachings of the early Fathers of the Mission that divided the Church of the heathen philosopher, who attampted to reason away the Mission that divided the Church of the heather philosopher, who attempted to reason away the simple faith of the Fathers. The early period the Church reached to the year 311. During the time it underwent many and severe persecution It, however, furnished what Rome with its love to power and Greece with its individuality connever do. It introduced a more conservative element into society, and prevented a relapse in barbariem. Hardly a third of a century he elapsed, after the death of the greater part of the Apostles, before the Christians had spread throug out Asia Minor, Greece, Italy and the North Africa. During the reign of Domitian, Chritians were punished as traitors, but Trais Africa. During the reign of Domitian, tians were punished as traitors, but moderated this persecution, which was, ho legalized by Hadrian, Antonius and Pin carried to the highest pitch of brutali Marcus Aurelius. The second general perse took place under Cicoletian, at the conclus which the State had become Christian. anthors who most invelgled against Chris in the second and third centuries were Cels Porphyry. The Christian apologists, whose champions were Justin, Martyr, Tartullia Corigen, put an end to the false accusations by these authors. The Church also about time directed its teachings against the hwhich had crept into its ranks, of which the was Gnosticism. There were also Arians, tanists, Nestorians, Pelagians and other held tenets not in accordance with true Ch doctrines. The second period of Christian tanists, Nestorians, Pelagians and others, wheld tenets not in accordance with true Christidoctrines. The second period of Christianity tended from Constantine to Luther. During tiperiod a great change had occurred. Judaiem h died out and Christianity came to the front a was carried into extreme eastern and wester countries. Under the influence of Constantithe church became more and more united unthe Bishop of Rome held an almost universway.

EQUAL RIGHTS.

Oh. "Justice," Where is Thy Sting? An Inquiring Taxpayer.

The following communication has been filed with the Supervisors:

with the Supervisors:

San Francisco, April 9, 1887.

To his Honor the Mayor and the Honorable Board of Supervisors—Gentlemen: In justice to all who have expended money and have ever received permits from former Boards of Supervisors, we who have been compelled to remove signs, banners and poles in front of our establishments by the police through your orders, ask of your Honorable Board if the banners and transparencies on every corner and on every street are to be allowed to remain standing simply on account of the owners patronizing the Electric Light Company of this city, and no complaints made: Why is this: Because the electric gas or light company is a corporation and stock company, has it more rights than ordinary citizens or places of business: We pay a license and are taxpayers, and are as good citizens as they, and deserve equal rights. We ask of you please to take notice of this.

With consent of a number of business meu of this city and county, I subscribe myself.

An Insane Housekeeper.

Josephine Rueble, a native of France, 33 years of sge and a housekeeper by occupation, has been committed to the Asylum for the Insane. She swears at the ladies in the house and otherwise frighters the investor. rightens the inmates.

The quarantined steamer Peking will probably be permitted to dock to-day, but with a view to a proper observance of the Sabbath, the landing of the Chinese passengers will be deferred until to-

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road Company to replace the Garden City that is used entirely as a freight boat, and to permit the overhauling of the two regular steamers, Newark and Bay City. As the steamer is intended for reg-

coasters, being stiff, strong, easy to handle and economical in fuel.

the dangerous bar.

A short walk beyond the deserted works of the Selby Smelting Company brought the reporter to the shelter of Black Point. Here the long buildings of the Pioneer Woolen Mills were swarming mith oney operators and noisy with the hum of machinery. He was tempted to enter at many a doorway and to examine the different operations, but the ominous sign "No Admittance," forbade this indulgence of his curiosity. Just beyond the Pioneer Mills, however, stands the pumping-house of the Spring Valley Water Works, and there being no warning signs, the reporter entered. of the Spring Valley Water Works, and there being no warning signs, the reporter entered. He found, in sharp contrast, the old machinery that was put up twenty-eight years ago, lying idle, while in its new quarters was the new machinery at work scarcely a month. Nothing could be more radically different than the two systems. The old works were designed for the San Francisco City Water Company that first introduced water into this city in September, 1859. The supply came from Lobos Creek, and was brought by a finme around the shore line to the foot of Battery street. The next move was to provide permanent reservoirs, which were located at the corner of Francisco and Chestnut streets, 145 feet above sea level, the other at the corner of at the corner of Francisco and Chestnut streets, 145 feet above sea level, the other at the corner of Hyde and Greenwich streets, 350 feet high. The daily flow of the flume was 2,000,000 gallons, and this was forced by four double-acting pumps to each reservoir. The pump for the lower was 7 feet long by 14 inches diameter; those for the upper reservoir were 12 inches diameter by 6 feet stroke. The engine came to this coast in 1850 in the pioneer steamer McKim that made trips to Sacramento for several months, until she was bought