THE DAILY RECORD-UNION.

WEDNESDAY.....APRIL 7, 1880.

Signal Corps Report—April 6, 1880.

TIME.	BAR	THR	HUM	WIND	RA'N	WEATH.
4:02 A. M.....	29.98	54	87	S. W. 6	....	Lt. R'n
7 A. M.....	30.08	54	93	S. E. 7	....	Cloudy
8:02 A. M.....	30.10	56	87	S. E. 8	....	Lt. R'n
2 P. M.....	30.15	65	68	S. 10	....	Cloudy
8:02 P. M.....	30.20	55	74	S. 5	.05	Clear

Max. ther., 65 degrees. Min. ther., 52 degrees.

ADVERTISEMENT MENTION.

Pioneers—Called meeting to-night.
Wanted—Situation by an American woman.
U. A. O. D.—Walhalla Grove to-night.
Lost—A registered letter.
Spiritualism—Mrs. Ada Foye, Thursday and Friday.
New class for ladies—J. L. Skinner.
Dissolution of Partnership—Harley & Lanchlan.
No. 14 won—A robe and cover.
Farm for sale—Carl Strobel.
F. and A. M.—Union Lodge to-night.

Auction.

Sherburn & Smith—10:30 to-day, 323 K street.

Business Advertisements.

Adams, McNeill & Co.—New overland goods.
J. Hyman, Jr.—Jeweller.
Western Hotel—William Land.
Pioneer Livery Stable—T. D. Scriver.
Haymond & Allen—Attorneys.
Cook's excursion to Europe—Thomas Cook & Son, New York.
Notice to creditors—Estate of S. A. Nott.
Bristol's Sarsaparilla—Blood purifier.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

LET IT BE SETTLED.—Matters have reached such a pass just now that the positive settlement of a much-vexed current question is greatly to be desired. Business is neglected, family ties are ruptured, reason totters, political problems are left to self-solution, the debris question dwindles to insignificant proportions, the Chinese situation is of lesser interest—the sole absorbing question is, can it be worked out from the 13, 15, 14 position? and that must be effectually and forever laid at rest, or this community will know no peace of mind. In this paper it has been asserted on high authority that it is impossible, and mathematical demonstration was made of the impossibility by a correspondent in the "Quiet Hour" on Saturday. But this did not prevent a well-known citizen, an accomplished mathematician, a Front-street wholesale merchant, one of the Board of Trade, a member of one of the largest grocery firms of the State, from walking into this office Monday, in all the dignity of conscious manhood, and declaring that his word and money was pledged to back the statement that on the train between Benicia and Sacramento, he and a group of cool-headed business men, who couldn't be "taken in," stood over a big Chinaman, a well-known habitue of the depot, and saw the Celestial mathematician four times in succession work out into horizontal lines the sequence of numbers from the positions claimed to be impossible of solution, and that there was no trick, turning of the box or palming of blocks about it. And now the Chinese must go. In this connection the 34 puzzle, it may be said, is raging. Desiring to lessen the likelihood of a new insane asylum being demanded, the solution is given herewith. The problem is to place the fifteen blocks, and one other numbered 16, in such order that the lines up and down, across and diagonally, will aggregate 34. It is done by placing the numbers from left to right in this order: 1, 15, 10, 8; 16, 2, 7, 9; 12, 6, 3, 13; 5, 11, 14, 4. The oddity of the thing is found in the reading of the numbers, which, beginning at the upper left hand corner, run by diagonals, central and at the corners, from 1 to 16 in regular order. And now the community awaits in breathless expectancy the next craze.

HOWARD BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATION.—At the meeting of the Board of Directors for March the reports made showed 268 persons had been assisted by 968 donations. There remained dependent upon the Society April 3d, 50 families, consisting of 13 infirm men, 53 women and 132 children—198 in all. There was received by the Treasurer from collections, $167 05; from funds in the bank, $500; from donations and other sources, $299 40. The disbursements for the month were $650 77. Balance in treasury April 1st, $521 86. Amount of bills audited at the meeting, $331 34; previously audited but unpaid, $124 33. Total audited indebtedness, $505 67. Donations were received as follows: From Mrs. E. B. Crocker, $50; also from the same lady, $25, being the proceeds of exhibiting her art gallery; collections at the polls, $36 80; $10, being half of a prize won at the Turner masquerade by four young ladies as "California Industry;" also $2 60, being collections made at said party by Miss Schuck as a seed girl; provisions from the Capital Hotel; crackers from Rapp & Co., and childrens' bonnets by Mrs. McKeon. Additional monthly subscriptions were also made by F. Birdsall and Booth & Co., each giving $10 a month for a year to meet the wants of the Association.

ATTORNEYS TO BE EXAMINED.—Senate Bill No. 118, introduced by Mr. Hittell, and which has been passed, approved and gone into effect, provides that all attorneys who have heretofore been admitted to practice in the Supreme Court may continue to practice in that and all other Courts of the State. No provision is made, however, which will permit attorneys to practice in the Superior Court who were never admitted to practice in the Supreme Court, even though they were entitled to do so in the County and District Courts, and makes it a contempt of Court for any attorney to attempt to do so until he has had an examination in open Court. Judges Denson and Clark say that the bill makes it necessary for them to examine each attorney who has not been admitted to practice in the Supreme Court, before he can be allowed to practice in the Superior Court, and that even then his examination and admission here will avail him nothing in the Superior Courts of other counties.

SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION.—The annual meeting of the Sunday School Union was held last evening at the Congregational Church. An address was made by Rev. I. E. Dwinell upon the importance of the attendance of the children at the services of the Church, the central thought being that the Sunday school is a part of the Church, and that it cannot accomplish the result desired unless from early youth it brings the children to the sanctuary. Following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Sparrow Smith; Vice-President, William Ingram, Jr.; Secretary, C. A. Maydwell; Treasurer, Miss Alice Griffeth; Executive Committee, together with the above-named officers, consists of Charles Denton, H. E. Parker, B. F. Pike, W. B. Maydell and Mr. Fisher. A collation was served by the ladies of the Congregational School to the members of the Union.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.—The Board of Supervisors was in session yesterday. A. Heilbron was allowed $34 for feeding county prisoners during March. The Board then proceeded to examine plans and specifications for a Hall of Records, submitted by W. H. Hamilton and N. D. Godell. No action on the matter was taken. On motion of Supervisor Beckley the Superintendent of Public Schools was allowed to withdraw his report and amend the boundaries of Elk Grove School District. The Surveyor was directed to make a survey of the Sheldon Grant road. The rates of licenses for bridges and ferries were established the same as last year. The lists of jurors for 1880 were filed.

POLICE COURT.—In the Police Court yesterday John Kelly was sentenced to 20 days imprisonment for being a healthy beggar, but was allowed to leave town. Wm. Burt, accused of petit larceny, was discharged. John Kidd was fined $12 50 for smoking opium. Daniel Smith, accused of being drunk, was discharged. The charge against S. Saloven, for petit larceny, was continued to the 8th. The charge against Mrs. E. Young, for disturbing the peace, was dismissed for want of prosecution. Mary Griffin was discharged on account of insanity.

ELECTION OF HEALTH OFFICER.—The newly appointed Board of Health has organized by electing W. A. Hughson, President, and Dr. George Pyburn, Secretary. At its last meeting H. A. Weaver was allowed $7 50 for printing, and M. S. Hammer $50 for drugs for the City Dispensary. Resolutions complimentary to William Young, the retiring Health Officer, were passed, after which the Board went into the election of his successor, which resulted in Frank T. Phillip being chosen.

EN ROUTE.—Sheriff Harkey, of Sutter county, passed here yesterday en route to Yuba City with a prisoner named George Stowe, whom he had brought from Roseburg, Oregon. The prisoner is charged with having stolen a horse in Sutter county more than a year ago. Deputy Sheriff Larkin, of Shasta county, passed through this city en route to San Quentin with Robert Arbuckle, who was sentenced for the killing of Anson Rupe.

THE SCHOOL-BOOK WAR.

What Action the Board of Education Last Night Took.

The City Board of Education met last night to act upon the proposition to select text-books for use in the public schools for the next four years. Notice had been given calling for bids for classes of books, and the bids were submitted and opened last week. There were present many agents of book houses. A full Board answered to roll call, President Griffitts presiding.

P. L. Hickman filed an application for appointment as Census Marshal.

Mr. Butler reported a course for the High School, as approved by the Principal of that school, and including the compulsory studies, and moved the adoption of the list.

Mr. McClatchy objected until bids of publishers are in, else the Board would be at the mercy of the book-makers.

It was explained that nearly all had been bid upon, and that but few of the remainder are used, and Mr. McClatchy withdrew his objections.

Mr. Hornblower said the list made several changes. He was opposed to any changes that would visit a cost upon the parents of pupils. Seventy-five per cent. of the school children are those of poor people, most of whom are endeavoring to build up homes here, and they are unable to bear any new tax. The Legislature had passed a bill on the subject, and it is to be signed by the Governor on Wednesday. The Supreme Court has now before it a case involving the right to adopt new books, and in view of these facts he urged that no change be made. The Board is Republican, and the party will be held responsible for the act of the Board, and he did not believe a good defense of the proposed change could be made. Bids had been put in with higher prices for books than they were sold for in San Jose, and that he declared to be unconscionable. Citizens had appealed to him to urge the Board to make no change.

Mr. McClatchy said that so far as the High School was concerned, the change would not affect pupils of the High School as to cost of books.

Mr. Hornblower withdrew objection so far as the High School is concerned.

The motion to adopt prevailed. Ayes—Butler, Lord, McClatchy, Griffitts, Knights, Wiemeyer. No—Hornblower.

The Building Committee reported against the claim of Cottier & Co. for royalty on their ventilation system for water-closets as put in at the Capital Grammar School grounds, because the system is no infringement of the Cottier system.

Mr. Cottier addressed the Board claiming an infringement.

The report was adopted.

Mr. Hornblower moved that the proposed adoption of text-books be postponed until the next meeting, because it was not clear that the Board had the right to make changes. Every Board that has done so has been sued, and the cases are now pending. The bill before the Governor affecting the question was held by the Governor until Wednesday because some one had asked the Governor to do so, that the Board might adopt new books at this meeting. He utterly opposed all such contemplated evasion of the will of the people expressed by their legislators. He read from the bill to show how changes are to be effected, fixing the time when, what notices are to be given, and what the notices are to contain. Lastly, he opposed the whole action as in effect visiting a new and unnecessary tax upon the people. At least he wanted time to give the people an opportunity to make their wishes known. Under the new bill there will be ample time in which to make changes deemed absolutely necessary. He reiterated that sets of books put in in the bids before the Board at $2 50 are sold in San Jose at $2 35, and books put in here at $1 25 are offered in Yolo at $1.

Mr. Wiemeyer seconded the motion, and said that he had consulted teachers and citizens, and they opposed changes now.

The motion prevailed. Ayes—Hornblower, Knights, Lord, Wiemeyer and McClatchy; noes—Butler, Stalker and Griffitts.

Superintendent Landes called up his resolution previously presented, and the same was adopted:

Resolved, That hereafter the monthly and term reports of scholarships, as prepared by the teachers, shall exhibit as nearly as practicable the real standing of pupils in each separate branch, independently of all others, and that while errors in spelling and composition may and should be noted in all written exercises, such errors shall be charged to spelling and composition only.

Superintendent Landes called attention to the rule requiring Principals to make secret reports to the Board regarding the competency of teachers, their submissiveness to the Principal, their compliance with regulations, etc. He said the rule should either be rescinded or strictly enforced. He moved a repeal of the rule.

The sentiment of the Board was in favor of repeal, but the matter, under the rules, had to lay over.

The Board then adjourned.

The list of studies now adopted by the Board for the entire School Department decreases the number of books to be used, in the aggregate, by eighteen volumes. The list of text-books adopted last night as the course for the High School, under the motion of Mr. Butler as stated, are—

Junior Grade—Thompson's Collegiate Algebra (change); Anderson's General History; Maury's Physical Geography; Swinton's English Grammar and Composition (change).

Middle Grade—Wentworth's Plane and Solid Geometry (change); Hooker's Natural Philosophy (change); Eliot and Storer's Elementary Manual of Chemistry (change); Underwood's American Literature; Young's Government Class Book (new book).

Senior Grade—Hart's Rhetoric; Shaw's English Literature; Gray's Lessons on Botany; Steele's Fourteen Weeks of Zoology; Brookes' Higher Arithmetic.

Classical Course (optional)—Allen & Greenough's Latin Grammar; Allen's Latin Reader; Hanson's Preparatory Latin Prose; Searnig's Virgil; Stewart's Eclogues and Georgics; Allen & Greenough's Latin Composition; Andrews' or Leverett's Lexicon (work of reference); Goodwin's Greek Grammar; Leighton's Greek Reader; Crosby's Anabasis; Owen's Iliad; Jones' Greek Composition; Liddell & Scott's Lexicon (work of reference).

Upon the adjournment of the Board there was manifested much disappointment among the publishers' agents over the postponement noted, and an examination of the new law was entered upon, when it was stated that under the following section the Board had by its action practically adopted the books now in use, and that the same must be used for four years more. The section referred to reads:

"Section 60. First— * * * Second—No change of text-books must be made at any other time than in the months of May or June of the year in which the change is made, and no change shall be made to take effect until the beginning of the school term commencing after the 30th day of June of that year."

The school term for the Sacramento schools begins in the first week in June. School continues then for some two months, when a long vacation is taken, and the session is resumed in October, thus giving the recess during the heated term. Under the reading of Section 60, as above given, it was claimed that the Sacramento Board cannot now make a change "to take effect at the beginning of the school term commencing after the 30th day of June of that year," and that as the school term begins in Sacramento before the 30th day of June, that therefore the period will never arrive when a change can be made effective. To this it was responded, however, that the Sacramento school term begins and ends according to resolution of the city Board of Education, and that it can, if a change is desirable, accommodate the term to the requirements of the law, until new books are adopted. Some figuring was also done, and it was stated, and Superintendent Landes gave it as the result of his calculations also, that under the bids now in new books will be cheaper, in the aggregate, to the people than those now in use, as the present prices aggregate more than those proposed under the recent competition. Generally, the school-book war may be said to be fairly opened, and it will probably rage with fury the remainder of the spring.

ASSESSMENT TO BE LEVIED.—It is learned from reliable authority that the Board of Trustees of the Sacramento City Railway Company are about to levy an assessment of $10 per share on the capital stock of that corporation. The assessment is for the purpose of raising, filling in, cobbling and otherwise improving that portion of their track on Third street from K to O, and on O street from Third to Tenth. The estimated cost of said improvement is from $8,000 to $10,000. The company has also just lost a lawsuit involving the sum of between $4,000 and $5,000, which sum has to be paid immediately.

LADIES desiring a substantial hose, having at the same time a handsome appearance and full finished in every particular, should see our fine heavy British hose, fancy striped, at 40 cents a pair. Weinstock & Lubin, proprietors of the Mechanics' Store. *

THOSE $3 25 Curacoa kid, high heel, side-button boots for ladies, at the Red House, are beauties. *

FOR WHOOPING COUGH.—Nothing equals Chesley's Rock and Rye. *

DR. LYON'S TOOTH TABLETS.—Indispensable to every lady's toilet. *

ELECTION OF POLICE OFFICERS.

The "Ins" and the "Outs"—Protests and a Probable Contest.

The excitement which has existed for some time past over the looked-for appointment of members of the police force of this city culminated last evening. The Board of Commissioners at its last meeting adjourned subject to the call of the majority, for the avowed purpose of considering a motion to elect the force but for one year. At that meeting the City Hall was filled with curious and interested spectators, and this would have made any action at that time embarrassing to the Commissioners, where there were so many jealous applicants.

The Commissioners yesterday afternoon, seemingly without any previous consultation, met, and resorted to the Water Works building and held the election in the room of the Board of Trustees, no one but members of the Board being present.

Balloting commenced at 2 P. M., and it was nearly 5 o'clock before the entire number of officers could be chosen. It is stated that more than fifty names were placed in nomination, and that the expectations of neither Commissioner were fully realized.

The officers elected were Frank Rider, O. C. Jackson, Jerry M. Woods, R. F. Frazee of the old force, and Frank Fredericks, Frank Smith, J. J. Carroll, J. L. Atwood, John Campbell, Tim Lee and Walter B. Ferral, as new members. Eight of these are understood to be Republicans, three as Democrats, and none as Workingmen.

The result was quickly known on the streets, and after dinner was the subject of discussion among many groups that were gathered on the corners, some commending, others condemning, but all somewhat surprised at the choice or defeat of some particular individual. The members of the Workingmen's party, many of whom were applicants for positions, held mass meetings, of four or five attendants each, on J and K streets, all the way from Front to Seventh, and were open in expressions of disgust and disappointment at not getting expected appointments.

The members of the police force who were discontinued by the election of their successors held a consultation and sought the legal advice of Creed Haymond. Acting under his counsel they determined to take some legal action to prevent their removal, and a further consultation with Creed Haymond, C. T. Jones and Attorney-General Hart will be held to-day. Officers Wing, Dolan and Valentine, who were at the police office at change of watch last night, when asked by Chief Karcher to return their stars, first inquired if charges had been made against them, and upon receiving a negative answer, complied with the order under formal protests. The point upon which they propose to contest their removal is that the Board of Commissioners have no right to discharge an officer except for some good cause, and then not until he has been given an open trial.

The Act in regard to the election of police officers is entitled "An Act amendatory of and supplemental to an Act approved April 25, 1863, entitled an Act to incorporated the city of Sacramento," and was approved March 6, 1872. It reads as follows: "From and after the 1st day of April, 1872, there shall be in said city a Board of Police Commissioners, which Board shall consist of the President of the Board of Trustees, the Chief of Police, and the Police Judge. Any two of said Police Commissioners shall be a quorum to transact business. The said Board are hereby authorized, immediately upon entering upon the duties of said office, to appoint a permanent police force for said city, which they shall equip and uniform under such rules and regulations as they may from time to time prescribe. The Board shall have the power to remove any member of the Police Department for the violation of any rules and regulations which they may make and promulgate to the said Police Department, or for other good cause, but only on written charges preferred against and served upon him, and upon a public trial and conviction by said Commissioners. The said police force shall consist of a Captain of Police and such number of policemen as the Police Commissioners may deem necessary for the protection and good government of the city."

The new officers assembled at the police office at 10 o'clock last night and received formal instructions. A detail of officers was made for the night, and the entire force were notified to appear at 2 o'clock this afternoon, when regular duty will be assigned to them and beats established. For the present no changes are to be made among the special officers, who will continue to act until some further action is taken. It is not definitely known what detail will be made, but it is understood that Tim Lee will be Bailiff of the Court and Walter B. Ferral one of the keepers of the prison.

HUMORS OF THE ASSEMBLY.

The Solons of the Assembly occasionally come down from the pedestal of dignity upon which they are placed by their representative character, especially when the laws to be considered are not of a very inspiring nature. Last evening in the Assembly, on roll call, there was a slim attendance, and the Speaker remarked that a motion to fine members for non-attendance would be in order. The first bill on the second reading file was a law to prevent hogs running at large, and the new reading Clerk jocularly remarked, under the general free-and-easy style which pervaded the atmosphere, that it was all in the family. Of course he was promptly rapped to order by the Speaker.

When the bill was read, Mr. Tyler gravely rose and said he wished to suggest an amendment, but would not insert it if the author would not accept it. He noticed upon a close examination of the bill that it read "unless the owner should come forward and claim them." He thought it would perhaps be better to insert after the word "forward" the words "sideways or backwards," but afterwards withdrew this.

Mr. Braunhart wished to insert after "hogs" the words "or persons ineligible to citizenship."

Mr. Sweetland wished to insert after "hogs" the word "geese."

Mr. Tyler—You mean "wild geese."

Mr. Sweetland—No, sir.

Mr. Tyler—I insist, Mr. Speaker, that the amendment shall not prevail. I warn the House, if passed, it will kill the bill.

In vain Mr. Sweetland protested that he was in earnest, and said that in many localities geese were a greater nuisance than hogs. His amendment was voted down and the bill passed to third reading.

ART NOTES.—Charles D. Robinson, the well-known artist, is visiting the city. His marine painting, "Crossing the Bay in a Storm," has been completed, and has been placed for inspection in the Crocker Art Gallery. The painting was noticed at length in the RECORD-UNION some time ago. The finished work is pronounced to be Mr. Robinson's greatest work. It is understood that the painting has been sold, but the purchaser's name is not given....An art sale has been effected here which is spoken of as the largest art sale yet made in this city. It consisted of the transfer from the studio of Norton Bush to the possession of H. G. Smith of three paintings from the easel of Mr. Bush, being "The Andes of Ecuador," "Sunrise on the San Juan," and "The Highlands of the Hudson." The price paid for these works is not made public.

ANNUAL MEETING.—The Congregational Society of this city held its annual meeting on Monday evening, when the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: A. C. Sweetzer, Moderator; Sparrow Smith, Secretary; Samuel Jelly, Treasurer; Trustees—Enoch Jacobs, C. P. Corliss, Charles Gardner, Samuel Jelly, O. P. Goodhue, R. W. Lewis, C. M. Hartwell. Reports submitted showed the Society to be in a prosperous condition—all debts paid and a balance in the treasury.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.—At a meeting held by the Capital City Minstrel and Social Club Tuesday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: President, Geo. Kohler; Vice-President, John Robson; Treasurer, Fred. Stober; Financial Secretary, Jas. F. Doody; Recording Secretary, T. F. Gleeson; Stage Manager, H. A. Kidder; Musical Director, R. T. Cohn; Propertyman, F. N. Kidder; Sergeant-at-Arms, Chas. Carrol.

FREIGHT MOVEMENTS.—There were forwarded to the East yesterday: One car load of salmon, 1 of canned goods, 1 of wool and 1 of hides. There were received here: Five car loads of flour, 1 of wood, 1 of oil, 1 of merchandise, 1 of sundries, 1 of wine, 1 of coal and 1 of corn.

THE WEATHER.—The rainfall of Tuesday, according to Mr. Gerrish's gauge, was but .059 of an inch, making the total for the month 2.147; for the season, 13.092 inches. In 1879 to date 14.457 inches fell; in 1878, 21.720; in 1877, 7.990; in 1876, 25.030 inches.

CASES OF LADIES' STRAW HATS, at 40, 45 and 50 cents; cases misses' straw hats, at 40, 45 and 50 cents; cases children's sailor hats, at 50, 60, 70, 75 cents to $1 90. Untrimmed hats—We have new and desirable styles at our usual low prices. Remember that we do not advertise an article which we have not on hand, nor at a price we do not intend to sell at. Red House. *

DIABOLICAL OUTRAGE.

Fiendish Action of a Divorced Husband.

Last evening G. A. Boeckhoff, who keeps a dyeing establishment on K street, between Fifth and Sixth, while intoxicated went to the house of his son Henry, in the alley between Fifth, Sixth, L and M streets, and committed a most brutal and diabolical outrage by throwing vitriol upon his wife, his son Peter and Rodolphine Boeckhoff, the wife of Henry. For some time past the family have been living at that place, having left the house of the old man because of his cruel treatment of his wife, Adeline Boeckhoff, who is 58 years old. They had been married thirty-eight years, but it is alleged that latterly he had grown so cruel and brutal in his treatment of her that she left him and applied for a divorce, which was granted just one week ago. At the time it was granted he threatened, according to his wife's statement, that he would "make a sorry case" for them. Last night about 7 o'clock he went to the house and unsuccessfully tried to persuade members of the family to drink a liquid which he had in a bottle, at the same time pretending to do so himself. He then went away and returned about 10 o'clock and went to the rear door. His son Peter, who is about 20 years old, went to the door and ordered him to go away, and the two women also tried to keep him from entering. He then drew a large bottle of vitrol from his coat pocket and poured a portion of the contents on the head of his son and threw the remainder upon the women. Alarmed by their screams he fled to his place of business, where he was followed, but seeing officers searching for him, he went down Fifth street for several blocks to a beer saloon, in which he was arrested by officers Lee, Frazee and Woods, who took him to the city jail. The vitriol burned his son badly on the head, but no serious result is likely to follow. Both arms of his daughter-in-law were blistered from wrist to shoulder, but the injuries inflicted on the old lady were the most serious. Her face and eyes are one mass of blisters, and the left eye will probably be destroyed. The burns extended down her breast, and may prove fatal.

BRIEF REFERENCE.

The Pinafore Base Ball Club has organized and elected the following officers: Michael McCarthy, Captain; Charley Martin, Treasurer; George McCarthy, Secretary; Willie Haldron, Propertyman. The other members of the club are: Willie Halan, James Halan, John Leddy, Dan. Daly and Kela Sombard. The Amateur Base Ball Club has organized by electing W. Triplett as Captain, J. Triplett as Secretary, A. Christopher as Treasurer and N. Christopher as Propertyman. The other members of the club are: M. Peppers, W. Peck, G. Slaughter, C. Gibson and F. Johnson.

At the weekly shoot of "A" Company the first-class medal was won by Corporal Robbins, with a score of 40, and the second-class medal by private McDonald, with a score of 37. At the 500-yard range Lieutenant Stevens made a score of 37.

At Clarksville, Sunday morning, a Sacramentan named Langusford was thrown from his horse. He was somewhat severely injured, but not to such an extent but that he will be all right in a few days, says a Clarksville correspondent.

There are undelivered messages at the Western Union Telegraph Office for Jack Creighton, Dr. H. J. Huntington and J. C. Ball.

Nick Dole has been appointed Deputy County Assessor, and his especial duty will be to collect poll taxes from the Chinese.

A leap year party is to be held at Courtland on the 16th inst., by the young ladies of that place.

NOTARIES PUBLIC.—Governor Perkins yesterday appointed Notaries Public as follows: John P. Eardly of Monterey county, to reside at Salinas City; John A. Walley of Humboldt county, to reside at Eureka, and N. F. Sanford of Calaveras county, to reside at Campo Seco.

ARRESTS.—The arrests of yesterday were Thomas Haggerty and John Kelly, safe keeping, by special Brissell; Ah Tom, drawing deadly weapon, by officer Valentine; and G. A. Bockchoff, by officers Lee, Frazee and Woods.

AUCTION.—At No. 323 K street, at 10:30 to-day, Sherburn & Smith will sell at auction a very large consignment of household goods, all of which will positively be sold; also, 20 hives of Italian bees.

GOVERNOR'S RECEPTION.—Governor Perkins and wife will hold a reception at the Pavilion this evening. The invitations place the hour at 9 o'clock.

THE COURTS.

SUPERIOR COURT.

CLARK, Judge.

TUESDAY, April 6th.

Clarke & Cox vs. John B. Hall—Report of sale confirmed.

C. Waterhouse vs. D. F. Scoggins—Judgment for plaintiff as prayed for.

L. V. Orth vs. M. M. Drew—Case submitted.

C. W. Siddall vs. John Rocheford—Submitted.

Dodge, Russ & Co. vs. J. W. Orth et al.—Judgment for plaintiff for $422 and costs; stay of execution for twenty days.

Estate of David Cross, deceased—Decree filed setting apart homestead.

Estate of H. H. Rois, deceased—Decree of final discharge.

DENSON, Judge.

Levee District No. 1 vs. S. L. Rogers—Previous judgment vacated and cause returned to the trial calendar.

TRIAL CALENDAR SUPERIOR COURT.

[Causes set for April.]

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 7TH.

90—Mesick and Poorman vs. Flint.
16,664—W. J. Milgate vs. G. W. Hammer and Bell.

THURSDAY, APRIL 8TH.

14,987—C. Luce vs. Zeile.
16,667—C. J. Zimwalds vs. W. L. Pritchard.

FRIDAY, APRIL 9TH.

80—L. C. Chandler vs. People's Bank.
70—Tiderman vs. California Carriage Manufacturing Company.
4180—The People vs. J. Regan tax case).

TUESDAY, APRIL 13TH.

86—J. Kreutzberger vs. L. Kreutzberger.
16,093—J. C. Decker vs. J. M. Upham.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 14TH.

159—P. Bossi vs. M. Arata.
133—L. Duck vs. Mrs. J. C. Goods.

THURSDAY, APRIL 15TH.

112—H. Taylor vs. G. J. Cross.
16,427—L. S. Taylor vs. D. Landers et al.

FRIDAY, APRIL 16TH.

99—B. W. Caryll vs. N. T. Gould.
122—J. I. Felter vs. F. Swift.

SATURDAY, APRIL 17TH.

16,227—Ah Kee vs. Ah Bong.

TUESDAY, APRIL 20TH.

16,631—Germania Building and Loan Association vs. William Galt.
47—F. W. Fletcher et al. vs. Sam. E. Harvey.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 21ST.

42—Mechanics' Mill Company vs. R. Preston.
16,057—A. M. Sherman et al. vs. L. C. Chandler.

FRIDAY, APRIL 23D.

16,677—P. C. Scott vs. The Sierra Flume and Lumber Company.
16,669—H. S. Beals, administrator, vs. W. O. Davis.

TUESDAY, APRIL 27TH.

118—Margaret Poorman vs. L. C. Chandler.

SAN FRANCISCO MONEY MARKET.—Money is still plentiful at all the banks, and lenders are hoping for some improvement, now that confidence in business circles has been partially restored. The rates continue unchanged, namely: 5 per cent. for call loans against United States bonds, 8@9 per cent. for regular commercial paper, and 8@10 per cent. on inside city property, the lenders guaranteeing the mortgage tax. Drafts on New York are drawn at 25c for mail and 30c premium per $100 for telegraphic, with concessions on large amounts. Exchange on London is very firm at 49½d for bankers' bills, and 49¾d for commercial bills. Refined silver is steady at 11 per cent. discount. Mexican dollars are nominal at 91 buying and 91½ selling.—[San Francisco Bulletin, April 6th.

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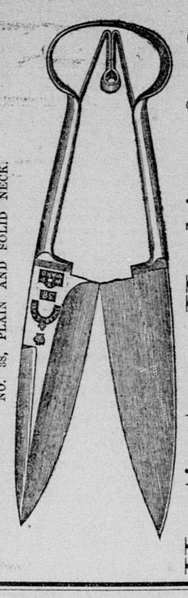

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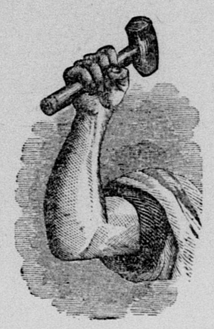

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