ORIGINAL DEFECTIVE

THE DAILY RECORD-UNION.

TUESDAY.....APRIL 13, 1880.

Signal Corps Report—April 12, 1880.

TIME.	BAR	THR	HUM	WIND	RA'N	WEATH.
:02 A. M....	30.07	52	73	S. W. 3	....	Clear
7 A. M.....	30.07	54	74	S. E. 5	....	Cloudy
8:02 A. M....	30.06	54	80	S. E. 3	....	LtRain
2 P. M.....	29.95	62	46	S. 16	....	Fair
8:02 P. M....	29.97	49	71	S. W. 18	.02	Clear

Max. ther., 63 degrees. Min. ther., 49 degrees.

ADVERTISEMENT MENTION.

St. Paul's Church—Annual picnic.

Union Lodge, F. and A. M., to-night.

Protestant Orphan Asylum Association—Annual meeting.

British M. B. and S. S. to-night.

Young man wants employment.

Situation as chambermaid desired.

Employment at housework desired.

Brighton Vine-Growers' Association—Assessment levied.

Dr. Speer's lectures.

Auction Sale.

M. J. Simmons & Co.

Business Advertisements.

S. Lipman & Co.—Kid gloves.

Union Insurance Company, San Francisco.

Furnished rooms.

Oriental tonic.

Machinery—C. Strobel.

Friend & Terry Lumber Company.

Houston's employment office.

Electric therapeutic baths.

Pike & Young—Carriage makers.

Capital Ale Vaults.

Red House—New announcement.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

BOARD OF CITY TRUSTEES.

The Board of City Trustees met yesterday with all the members present.

John Cunningham, chief engineer of the water works, reported that during last week 3,667,000 gallons of water were pumped and 26 cords of wood consumed.

F. T. Phillips, at the request of the Board of Health, was appointed Health Officer.

A demand having been made by P. H. Coggins, Justice of the Peace, for an allowance for office rent, Mayor Turner reported that attorneys differed in opinion on the construction of the law, some thinking that for the present the law was not applicable to Sacramento. The Board finally declined to pay any salary or office rent to Justices of the Peace.

The ordinance in regard to the duty of the Poundmaster was amended so as to include the entire city in the operations of the law.

Bids for sprinkling the streets for the ensuing season, commencing April 30th, and ending November 1, 1880, were opened and contracts awarded as follows: District No. 1 to John Wall, for $1,780; District No. 2, to Thomas Hannon, at $1,425; District No. 3, to A. Meiss, at $1,591; District No. 4, to Joseph Burns, at $1,569; Districts Nos. 5 and 6, to William Hillebrand, at $1,245; District No. 7, to Arthur James, at $520; District No. 8, to M. Gorman, at $673. Twenty-one bids were received in all.

After allowing the following bills the Board adjourned: Fountain Bros., $24; E. Gunn, $40; E. Regan, $151; Joseph Burns, $16 25; N. T. Gould, $3; James Tinney, $2 70; Owen Ward, $3; S. S. McEwen, $16; L. L. Lewis & Co., $72 50; M. Daly, $26 25; William Buchard, $16; E. R. Knox, $30; Thos. Burns, $6; J. Keiper, $5; James Lynch, $7; Williamson & Co., $13 50; Waterhouse & Lester, $14 25; Capital Gas Co., $606 45; R. S. Jones, $1 25; Phil. Herzog, $35 54; H. A. Weaver, $20; P. F. Dolan, $100; RECORD-UNION, $8 75; Geo. Schroth, $23; Yee Bean, $6; Geo. A. Putnam, $16 70; Water Works, $4; J. W. Watt, $36 50; Huntington, Hopkins & Co., $14 30; P. Potter, $4; *Daily Bee*, $28 09.

CITY JUSTICES OF THE PEACE.—Senate Bill No. 118, which has passed and become a law, provides that in each city of more than 20,000 and less than 30,000 inhabitants there shall be elected two Justices of the Peace, who shall pay all fees which they receive into the city treasury. It also says that every Justice of the Peace shall receive a salary of $2,000 per annum, and also an allowance for office rent, and that all such officers already elected shall hold office for one year after the 1st of January next succeeding their election. According to this law Sacramento will be entitled to only two such officers after this year, though there are now three. It is claimed by some attorneys that each of them will be entitled to a salary this year, and by others that no salaries can be paid to them this year, or until there are but two officers. Another attorney expresses an opinion that the Justices must turn over fees to the city treasury, but that the law does not say that the salaries mentioned are to be paid by the city. In order to settle the matter, Justice P. H. Coggins recently made a demand upon the Board of Trustees for an allowance for office rent. The matter was referred to Mayor Turner, and he yesterday reported that attorneys disagreed in opinions as to whether the city would have to pay the salaries this year. The bill for office rent was unanimously rejected. Justice Coggins then asked the Board to make a test case, involving all the points, so it could be decided upon by the Superior Court. The Board, however, refused to do this, and the Justices will not draw any pay unless they can sue the city and get a decision in their favor.

MERCHANDISE REPORT. — The following freight for Sacramento passed Ogden April 9th and 10th: Lindley & Co., 20 half barrels, 175 kegs syrup, 20 bales tobacco; H. Grebble, 1 barrel maple sugar; W. D. Comstock, 3 boxes chairs, 1 box veneers, 1 case, 1 bundle hardware; R. Stone & Co., 2 boxes hardware; J. Kearth, 2 cases shoes; W. F. Peterson, 5 cases confectionery; Weinstock & Lubin, 6 cases boots, 1 box shirts, 2 boxes hats, 3 boxes dry goods; H. Eckhardt, 3 boxes fire arms; Baker & Hamilton, 1 box circulars; Adams, McNeill & Co., 100 boxes, 400 half boxes candles, 2 crates pepper; Billingsly & Co., 15 bales baskets; H. C. Kirk & Co., 3 bales drugs; C. H. Gilman, 2 cases boots and shoes; S. Nathan, 1 box shirts; Holman, Stanton & Co., 25 boxes scythes; Huntington, Hopkins & Co., 6 bundles steel; 2 bundles car springs; Whittier, Fuller & Co., 2 barrels paint; H. F. Vehmeyer, 10 bundles broom-handles: Central Pacific Railroad Co., 1 bale hemp; Charles Taylor, 1 box boots.

JURY LIST.—The following list of fifty trial jurors, returnable April 27th, to serve during the April term, was drawn in the Superior Court yesterday: W. M. Petrie, Patrick McLaughlin, G. A. Basler, Joseph Perazzo, P. W. Burnett, B. F. Alexander, James Sayre, Ed. Franks, C. W. Rapp, J. H. Ferris, Byron McCreary, Rudolph Orliff, G. W. Hancock, Peter Bush, L. Zoller, Cornelius Bagnall, H. D. Rode, Fred. Mier, S. B. Cooley, Fred. Trask, S. M. Prothero, N. J. Brundage, Joseph Ough, Robert Finch, Chas. A. Blodgett, Sidney Smith, Addison Sage, Morris Toomey, Fred. Cox, Michael Dawes, Thos. Lohring, J. D. Smith, J. L. Skinner, R. B. Powell, James Connell, Jas. Farris, John Chatterton, B. F. Bates, Wm. F. Borchers, C. M. Prodger, Frederick Gehring, Henry McCann, O. R. Runyon, A. A. Redington, Patrick Dorian, G. W. Fountain, James Anderson, L. H. Glide, Jas. Goban, John Donovan.

POLICE COURT.—In the Police Court yesterday Ed. O'Neil was fined $12 50 for disturbing the peace, and Mrs. Johnnie Berdell and Edward Gaines, accused of the same offense, were discharged; the cases of D. Howell, for being drunk, John Hodder, for disturbing the peace, and Ah Sing and Ah Chow, defaulting witnesses, were continued until this morning; John Scott, accused of being drunk, was discharged; J. T. Stolls' case of violating the fire ordinance was continued to the 15th, G. A. Boekhoff, for felony, continued to the 20th, and Ah Bu, for battery, continued to this morning.

MUST BE EXAMINED.—The Clerk of the Superior Court yesterday was ordered by Judges Denson and Clark to prepare a list of Sacramento attorneys who have been admitted to practice in the Supreme Court. No others will be permitted to practice in the Superior Courts until after examination in open Court.

FREIGHT MOVEMENTS.—There were forwarded to the East yesterday 1 car load of lumber, 2 of coffee, 1 of salmon and 1 of merchandise. There were received here 16 car loads of wood, 1 of beer, 3 of merchandise, 1 of orange trees, 1 of oranges, 4 of cattle, 1 of coal, 2 of corn and 2 of sundries.

REWARD:—Governor Perkins has offered $500 reward for the arrest and conviction of the murderer or murderers of C. P. Severance, who is believed to have been murdered in Sancelito township, Marin county, about April 2d.

COMMISSIONER OF DEEDS.—Governor Perkins has appointed John E. Beall a Commissioner of Deeds for California, to reside at Washington, D. C.

THE DEATH OF JUDGE GARTER.

Resolutions Adopted by the Shasta County Bar.

The body of the late Judge Garter has been brought to this city, and is now in the vault at the City Cemetery. At Shasta on the 10th instant the Bar of Shasta county held a meeting, and subsequently to the Superior Court of that county, Hon. Aaron Bell presiding, a committee presented resolutions passed at the Bar meeting expressive of the feelings of respect of the members of the Bar toward their old and esteemed townsman, Judge Garter. The resolutions read as follows:

To the Honorable Superior Court of Shasta County, California: May it please the Court, the members of the Shasta Bar, sensible of the loss they and the Commonwealth have sustained, have passed the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the members of this Bar are deeply impressed with the great loss which they and this community have sustained in the death of the Hon. Ephraim Garter, our late associate.

Resolved, That as a California Pioneer, at the Bar, in the Senate, and on the Bench, he was a strong, marked and true man, a wise and skillful practitioner, a faithful and influential legislator, and a learned and able jurist.

Resolved, That the integrity of his mind, his love of justice, his devotion to his profession, and the distinguished ability with which he discharged the duties of every relation of life, have imbued all with sentiments of respect and admiration. We are inspired by his example; we mourn his loss; we cherish his memory.

Resolved, That these resolutions be presented to the Superior Court of Shasta county, with a request that they be spread upon its minutes on a mourning page, and a copy transmitted to the family of the deceased, as an expression of our sincere sympathy in this their bereavement and deep affliction.

Signed by Clay W. Taylor, A. R. Andrews, Francis Carr, J. O. Neal, members of the Bar of Shasta county.

Eloquent tributes were paid to the memory of the deceased by Messrs. Taylor and Andrews, after which the Court ordered that the resolutions be spread upon its minutes, and that, out of respect to deceased, the Court should be adjourned till Monday, April 12th.

The deceased was the father of Charles A. Garter, of Red Bluff, well known in Sacramento, and of Mrs. Felix Tracy, of this city.

BILLS SIGNED.

Governor Perkins up to 5 P. M. yesterday had signed and certified to the Secretary of State these additional bills, making 104 in all:

Senate Bill No. 394—To amend an Act entitled an Act for increasing the law library of the corporation known as the San Francisco Law Library, and to secure the use of the same to the Courts held at San Francisco, the bar, the city and county government, and the people of the city and county of San Francisco, approved March 9, 1870. Chapter 53.

Senate Bill No. 336—To provide for the erection of a building for the use of the Normal School. Chapter 52.

Senate Bill No. 528—To amend Section 3714 of an Act entitled an Act to establish a Political Code, approved March 12, 1872, relating to revenue. Chapter 54.

Senate Bill No. 555—Making an appropriation for the State Printing Office for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1880. Chapter 54.

Senate Bill No. 63—To provide for the speedy completion of the Branch State Prison at Folsom. Chapter 50.

Senate Bill No. 96—To amend Sections 1 and 3 of an Act entitled an Act giving a lien to loggers and laborers employed in logging camps upon the logs cut and hauled by the persons who employ them, approved March 30, 1878. Chapter 49.

Senate Bill No. 218—To prohibit the issuance of licenses to aliens not eligible to become electors of the State of California. Chapter 51.

Senate Bill No. 227—To amend Section 2221 of the Political Code, relating to transportation of insane persons to asylums. Chapter 53.

Senate Bill No. 285—To amend Sections 763 and 939 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to proceedings in partition and appeals therefrom. Chapter 55.

THE IRISH RELIEF FUND.—The Irish Relief Committee, having finished its collections, is desirous that parties having tickets or subscriptions to account for will call upon James McGuire. The gentlemen having charge of the affair are very anxious to be relieved from duty, and call upon all parties to make final returns. The following subscriptions have been received since the last report: Mrs. Mary Welsh, $11 25; N. P. Gillman, $2 50; Hugh Duffy, $10; D. E. Woods, $2 50; James Heren, $2 50; W. J. O'Brine, $2 50; John Burke, $2 50; J. P. White, $2 50; Edward Glospie, $2 50; P. Hogan, $2; M. Burnes, $1 50; W. J. Cavanaugh, $1; M. Tetherson, $1; John Burnes, $1; P. Cronan, $1; P. J. Brown, $1; Thomas Rose, $1; John O'Connell, $1; Harry O'Keefe, $1; Peter Mitchell, $1; John Hughes, $1; P. McDonald, $1; Robert O. Mallohe, $1; Chas. Ryne, $1. Mr. McGuire has received the following: "Mansion House Fund for the relief of distress in Ireland. Dublin, March 13, 1880.—James McGuire, Esq., Treasurer Irish Relief Committee, Sacramento—Dear Sir: I am directed by the Lord Mayor to acknowledge your favor of the 21st ultimo, covering draft for £306 (three hundred and six pounds) sterling, to above fund; also to convey to you, and through you to the citizens of Sacramento, the warmest thanks of this committee for their liberal contributions. I now beg to inclose official receipt. Yours faithfully, W. H. WRIGHT, Assistant Secretary."

INCORPORATIONS.—Articles of incorporation were filed in the Secretary of State's office yesterday of the Grangeville and Antioch Railroad Company—to operate a railroad from a point between the mouth of the San Joaquin river known as Moore's Landing to Graysonville, in Stanislaus county, being 35 miles. Principal place of business, Grangeville, Tulare county; Directors—A. Bradley, J. J. Doyle, F. Wyruck, J. L. Sullivan, W. H. Worsinck, G. H. Hackett and H. H. Brown; capital stock, $250,000; shares, 2,500, of $100 each. For each mile there has been subscribed $1,000.... Also, articles of the San Francisco and Northern Railway Company—to operate a railway line from San Francisco, by way of Saucelito, to "The Junction," near San Rafael, 17 miles; also, from San Francisco, by way of San Quentin and San Rafael, to Duncan's Mills, Sonoma county, 80 miles. Place of business, San Francisco; Directors—G. Homan, William Steel, J. W. Coleman, Thomas Brown, K. Van Oterendorp; capital stock, $600,000; 16,000 shares, $100 each; amount subscribed, 16,980 shares.... Also, of the Woodland Water Company—to supply Woodland with water. Directors—A. D. Porter, James Viers, R. H. Beamer, Reuben Fritz, G. W. Myrick; capital stock, $20,000, in 200 shares, of $100 each; stock actually subscribed, $12,000.

RESULT OF THE MATCH.—The result of the shooting by the Forester Club at its recent match was (10 single rises 21 yards and 80 yards boundary): W. E. Gerber, 10; James Parrott, 10; W. B. Hamilton, 10; J. M. Hotz, 9; W. B. Scott, 9; J. L. Zuver, 9; Wm. Verity, 8; J. W. Todd, 8; Wm. Kimber, 8; J. Ankener, 8; H. Jones, 6; J. E. Kane, 6; J. D. Young, 6; M. F. Odell, 5; A. A. Cook, 5; H. Eckhart, 4; J. J. Bauer, 2. Ties, 3 pair doubles, 18 yards rise: Gerber, 6; Parrott, 6; Hamilton, 5. The second tie stood, Gerber, 5; Parrott, 5; and the third tie resulted in the same way. The men started in again, but all the good birds, it was found, had given out. Gerber says he and Parrott have agreed to carry the first club medal two weeks each and call the match even. The ties on the 9's for the second club medal were shot off at 30 yards rise, but the result did not determine possession of the medal. Hotz killed 4, Scott 3 and Zuber 3, when the birds were all gone and the shooting had to cease.

A SLANDER ON TEACHERS.—A reporter the other day found thirteen school-boys playing about a pond of water in the upper part of the city, and informed them that it was eleven minutes after 1 o'clock, whereat one urchin cried, "Boys, school's tuk in long ago—run!" And away scampered twelve of them. One lingered and moved but slowly toward the temple of wisdom, a block away. "Why don't you hurry up, my lad?" he was asked. "Oh, what's use, ketch gowdy anyhow." "Why, no," replied the man of news; "your safety lies in the fact there's too many of you tardy to be whipped." But the wise boy gave answer thus: "Don't you fret yerself, mister, our teacher's whaled fourteen in one day 'fore now, an' there's only thirteen of us," and then he lounged off toward the foundation-stone of the Republic, and the plumbago corporal made a note about the unlucky number thirteen.

SECOND ANNUAL PICNIC.—The second annual picnic of St. Paul's Episcopal Church will be held at Natoma Grove, Wednesday, May 5th. Their former picnic was a very enjoyable one, and this will doubtless be equally pleasant.

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, Sacramento, April 12, 1880.—In regard to rumors that I was one of five, or any other number of men, to subscribe one hundred ($100) dollars, or any other sum, to drive Mrs. Fitzgerald out of San Jose, Santa Clara county, Cal., is an absolute falsehood. DANIEL FRINK.*

THE best appetizer out—Rock and Rye. Geo. W. Chesley, agent. *

BRIEF REFERENCE.

Mrs. Lizzie Duffy, an insane woman, who has been confined in the city prison for nearly a week, has been examined by the Commissioners in Lunacy, and a commitment was yesterday issued. She will be taken to Napa to-day by Deputy Sheriff Horn.

Officers Smith and Campbell yesterday arrested a man named P. W. Crowley and two Chinamen, who were fighting at Tenth and J streets. Each of the bellizerents accused the other of an attempt at robbery.

A horse ran away with a buggy yesterday on Third street, and striking a cable which was being used to haul a stationary engine along the street, upset the buggy and threw the driver out but doing no damage.

A large stationary engine was hauled from the railroad shops yesterday to the building at Sixth and L streets, to be used in the School of Technology which will soon be established there.

The friends of Charles T. Barton gave him a serenade and surprise party at the residence of George F. Bronner, at Fifteenth and L streets, last evening.

Deputy Sheriff Cavanaugh, of Carson, Nev., passed through the city yesterday, en route to Stockton with an insane man named Christopher Spratt.

In a match game of base ball Sunday between the American River Boys and the Modocs, the former won by a score of 11 to 8.

The Stars, of Florin, were defeated by the Gyroscutus, of Sacramento, Sunday, in a game of ball, by a score of 19 to 17.

Wilbur F. George was yesterday by the Superior Judges appointed Court Commissioner of Sacramento county.

G Company, First Artillery regiment, had an inspection and drill in full uniform at their armory last evening.

There is a telegram at the Western Union Office for J. M. Dubley.

Two cars of immigrants will arrive this afternoon.

A "HOGGING" FARO GAME. — A man named Charles Croley, from Rocklin, reported to Chief Karcher yesterday afternoon that he had been robbed in a "hogging" faro game in a room over the restaurant near the corner of K and Third streets. He stated that he was persuaded to play by one George Anderson, whom he had known at Rocklin. Officer Ferral and special officer Coffey soon afterwards arrested Anderson and another young man named Harry Ketchum, whom Croley identified as the men who had robbed him in the game. Ketchum denies having had anything to do with the game. If the oath of the victim can prevail against the oaths of the victimizers, there may be a conviction.

COURSE OF LECTURES.—A course of lectures on health and the manner of preserving it will be delivered at Turner Hall, commencing this evening at 8 o'clock. The first lecture will be on "The Laws Governing Health," and will be free to all. The second lecture is for ladies only and will be delivered on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and the third lecture is for men only, and will be delivered at 8 o'clock next Thursday evening. An admission fee of 25 cents will be charged to the last lecture. The lectures are under the management of Dr. Speer & Co. of San Francisco.

THE WEATHER.—The weather was changeable yesterday. In the morning a few gusts of wind and rain came, and in the afternoon the wind from the south was cold and damp. At midnight the wind had fallen and the sky was clear, though the barometer was falling. On the mountains a light snow was coming down, and there were indications of an approaching storm. The Sacramento rose four inches yesterday, and at midnight marked 19 feet 8 inches, which was the hight attained recently after the heavy rains.

ARRESTS.—The arrests of yesterday were Ah Ling and Ah Chong, defaulting witnesses, by officer Lee; Bill Sprout, for burglary, by specials officers Martin and Coffey; P. W. Crowley, battery, by officer Smith; Ah Pawn and John Doe, disturbing the peace, by officer Smith; George Anderson and Harry Ketchum, gaming, by officer Ferral and special officer Coffey.

MORE BASE BALL.—The Gem, or Thirteen-Fifteen-Fourteen Base Ball Club, was organized last evening, and elected the following officers: President, G. Megown; Treasurer, F. Johnston; Secretary, W. Bryan; Captain, W. Gormeley. This Club says that it is ready to receive challenges from any junior Club of the city or vicinity.

AUCTION SALE.—To-morrow M. J. Simmons & Co. will sell at auction bureaus, tables, mattresses, chairs, other furniture, carpets, 1,000 pounds of hams and shoulders and a burglar-proof safe.

EUROPEAN GLEANINGS.

Lyons is turning out an unusual large quantity of silks from the looms to meet the demands of the spring trade.

The President of the French Republic gets a salary of $500 a day, the Czar $25,000, the Sultan $18,000, the King of Italy $6,000, and Hayes about $150.

Paris society is said to have deteriorated considerably under the Presidential Court at the Elysee, which is chiefly frequented by very rich Americans and loud English people.

A school of archæology has been attached to the Royal University at Rome, and ex-Minister Bonghi, a very learned man in antiquities, has been appointed to direct it.

An instrument called the polyscope has just been invented by a Frenchman to illuminate the interior of the human body for its more thorough inspection with the microscope.

It is a curious fact that the Chinese do not settle in Europe. Labor is too cheap and poorly remunerated to enable them to live there; besides the Governments are strictly opposed to their coming.

The Pope walks in the Vatican gardens during sunny days, and when the weather is unfavorable, in the palace library; but he has not set foot outside of the Vatican precincts since he was elected Pope, in March, 1878.

The "Pirates of Penzance" is to be brought out for the first time in London at Easter, when the fashionable season of amusement opens. Messrs. Gilbert and Sullivan are now on their way thither to superintend the execution of their charming little opera.

POPULATION OF AFRICA.

Accurate statistics of the population of Africa, and especially of the interior portions of the continent, are, of course, not yet obtainable, and it will probably be many years before several of the populous districts now known will be sufficiently accessible for a thorough census; but much important information has been gathered about the distribution of the inhabitants and the density of the population in the different parts of the country. In the region of the great lakes, for example, there are countries as thickly settled as many of the States of Europe — relatively small areas, which, according to Stanley, possess millions of inhabitants. Behna states that the negro regions are by far the most populous, while the desert parts represent the other extreme. M. A. Rabaud, in a paper published in the "Bulletin of the Marseilles Geographical Society," gives the following as the population of the different subdivisions of the continent: In the Soudan, the population is estimated at 80,000,000, or about fifty-three per square mile; the town of Bida, on the Niger, contains 80,000 inhabitants. The population of East Africa is estimated at 30,000,000, and that of Equatorial Africa at about 40,000,000. One of the latest authorities divides the population as follows among the great families into which ethnologists have separated the peoples: Negroes, 130,000,000; Hamites, 20,000,000; Bantus, 13,000,000; Foolahs, 8,000,000; Nubians, 1,500,000; Hottentots, 50,000. This would give a total population of 172,550,000. These figures are, of course, only approximate, and both German and English geographers think them too low, the former estimating the population at 200,000,000.—[Popular Science Monthly.

PERSONS exposed to cold or wet during the day should bathe their feet in hot water at night, which will prevent any ill effects. So easy a remedy should not be neglected.

J. F. CUTTER'S OLD BOURBON.—This celebrated Whisky is for sale by all first-class druggists and grocers. Trade mark—Star within a Shield. *

CITY LICENSES AND WATER RATES, now due.—Pay on or before the 16th inst., and save costs. *

BEWARE of all imitations in Rock & Rye. Geo. W. Chesley, sole agent. *

COMMERCIAL.

San Francisco Produce Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 12th—1 P. M.

FLOUR—We quote the various brands as follows: Best City Extras, $6 37½; Bakers' Extra, $5 62½@5 87½; Superfine, $4@4 25; interior Extra, $5 25@5 62½; interior Superfine, $3 75@4; Oregon Extra, $4 75@5 25; choice do, $5 37½@5 75; Oregon Superfine, $3 25@3 62½; Walla Walla Extra, $5 37½@5 75 ₩ bbl. Purchasers of round lots can obtain concessions on the above rates.

WHEAT—There is no improvement to note in the situation. All absence of an export demand necessarily weakens the market, and millers seem ready to pick up choice lots at reduced rates. We hear of sales not reported last week of 12,000 ctls choice Prora, and 4,000 do choice milling, but were unable to obtain particulars. For a round lot of choice No. 2, the best offer on 'Change this morning was $1 65 ₩ ctl. The only sale reported to day was 1,300 ctls good milling at $1 80 ₩ ctl. European advices indicate no material change. We quote No. 1 at $1 80@1 82½; No. 2, $1 75@1 77½ ₩ ctl.

BARLEY—Business is very slow. Only one small sale was made to day, being 400 ctls bay feed at 82½c ₩ ctl. We quote brewing at 87@97½c; feed, 77½@82½c; Chevalier, $1 50@1 75 for choice bay, and $1@1 25 for coast.

OATS—Are in quiet demand. Sales of 300 sks very good Humboldt feed at $1 50; 150 do Washington Territory at $1 40 ₩ ctl. We quote: Humboldt, $1 15@1 35; Coast, $1@1 25; Oregon and Washington Territory, $1 20@1 40; Surprise, $1 50@1 60 ₩ ctl.

HAY—No sales reported to-day. Cargo lots on the wharf range from $8 to $13 50 ₩ ton.

BUTTER—Supplies are coming in freely, and although there is a good active trade for local and shipping purposes, we notice quite an accumulation of stocks at the various depots. The range for good to choice is 18@20c ₩ lb, the latter figure for fancy dairies; inferior to ordinary, 16@17c, inside rate for mixed lots from country buyers. New Keg is quotable at 19@20c ₩ lb.

EGGS—Market weak and lower. Very few sales at 19c to-day, the bulk of business being at 17½c to 18c ₩ dozen for fresh laid California. Eastern are nominally quotable at the same price, though some consignments are limited to a higher figure.

CHEESE—We quote California, 12½@13½c ₩ lb. No Eastern in market.

WOOL—Business last week in Boston is reported to have been quite dull. Holders were anxious to realize, though not disposed to make concessions. Sales of new spring clip California were made in that market at 40c, and fall at 22½c to 27½c ₩ lb. In New York on Saturday, fall California sold at 25c. Australian arrived in large quantities at the close of the week at more than one Eastern port, thus giving manufacturers a greater area in which to operate. The market here shows no activity of consequence, and we quote nominally at 27@30c for burry and 30@32c ₩ lb for free southern.

Eastern and Foreign Markets.

NEW YORK, April 12th.

BREADSTUFFS—Flour is dull and Wheat is unsettled, latter at $1 30@1 37.

HIDES—California are dull and heavy at 23@24c.

WOOL—California is dull at 18@22c for fall burry, and 24@33c for clean fall; spring burry, 20@25c; clean spring, 33@40; pulled, 40@50c.

GROCERIES—Rio Coffees were dull and steady. Refined Sugars were only in moderate demand. Hards, ¼c lower; softs, ¼c higher, were changed. Teas were quiet, and concessions would have been necessary to realize.

HARDWARE AND METALS—Pig iron was very dull, prices tending lower; sales of No. 1 X, $34. Manufactured Iron was irregular and lower. Pig Lead was in fair demand and steady at 5¼c. Tin Plates were dull and lower. Hardware was dull in all branches, but prices generally were well maintained. Nails were dull and irregular.

BOSTON, April 12th.

WOOL—Sales last week were 1,447,000 lbs, mostly foreign. The market the past week was the dullest for several months, and there is some uneasiness on the part of holders about realizing, although manufacturers would find it difficult to purchase any desirable lots at much, if any, concession. There was a very limited business in domestic fleeces. Manufacturers are holding back, but there appears no weakness in the market. The first lot of new spring clip, California, has arrived, and is held at 40c.

PHILADELPHIA, April 12th.

WOOL—Dull; Oregon and California, 35@40c.

CHICAGO, April 12th.

WHEAT—$1 14 for May.
BACON—$6 40 for short rib sides.
PORK—$10 27½ for May.
LARD—$7 for May.

LIVERPOOL, April 12th.

WHEAT—Good to choice California, 10s 8d to 11s 2d; spot lots and floating cargoes are quiet and steady; cargoes on passage for shipment are rather easier at 51s 3d for those just shipped and 50s 6d for those nearly due; French country markets are dull.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK SALES.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 12, 1880.

MORNING SESSION.

880 Ophir	9⅞@10	190 Exchequer	2 20@2 15
710 Mexican	9⅞@9⅞	330 Overman	1 3 w1 25
27 G. & C	4 45@4 45	3 0 Justice	1 22@1 30
6 0 Best & B	8⅛@9⅛	1370 Union Con	25@2⅛
210 California	2 65@2 70	30 Alta	2 60@2 55
130 Savage	3 80@3 77	510 Julia	1 05@1 10
175 Con Va	2 80	125 Caledonia	80@75c
15 Chollar	4 90@4 80	220 Silver Hill	15c
110 Potosi	2 90	140 Lady Wash	15c
5 H. & N	4 75	600 Andes	85@80c
480 C Point	1 65@1 55	50 Occidental	1 50
32½ Y. Jacket	6½@6⅛	615 Scorpion	2 53@2 25
740 Imperial	33c	580 Bullion	1 75@1 65
100 Alpha	6	250 C. Dorado	1 40
830 Belcher	2½@2 15	75 G. Gate	75c
20 Confidence	4	130 Flowery	15c
745 S. Nevada	14@14⅛	510 N. Bonanza	20c
100 Utah	8⅛	300 Mackey	10c
200 Bullion	2 85		

AFTERNOON SESSION.

500 Ray & Ely	35@30c	950 Goodshaw	30@25c
10 Eureka Con	19	360 Summit	1 15
400 Belmont	5c	40 Bulwer	67
200 Belle	17½@17	200 M. Belle	10c
70 Gila	30c	900 Concordia	2c
375 Manhattan	1	100 Belvidere	2 90
120 Metallic	1½@1	650 Champion	90@85c
1 8 Prize	8.00@9 c	245 El Cehawk	7 c
1050 Argenta	50c	175 Booker	50c
700 Navajo	35c	50 S. Bodie	2c
75 Belle Isle	60@65c	650 Q Bee	35c@4 c
170 Day	1	70 Mono	71@67½
300 Paradise	50c	105 Con Pacific	2 30@2 25
1555 Albion	60@55c	100 Universe	2 c
50 R del Mont	1 35	300 S. Bulwer	5c
55 Wales	3	270 Addenda	90@85c
1100 N Belle Isle	20c	630 N. Noonday	51@6
250 M. Potosi	1 90@1 30	200 Orient	11c
150 E. Mt. Diablo	60@65c	70 Noonday	4 6
2 0 Holmes	90c	160 Mammoth	2½
105 Bodie	8@6⅞	200 Boston	1 10
2-5 Bechtel	1 75@1 65	80 Oro	5½
30 McClinton	70c	249 White	50
535 Tioga	2	1 0 G. Queen	1 10
100 Red Cloud	40c	70 C. B. Hill	21@22
20 Bulwer	6	50 Rio Del M	1½
010 Syndicate	1 40@1 50		

THE COURTS.

SUPERIOR COURT.

CLARK, Judge.

MONDAY, April 12, 1880.

T. A. Snider vs. Joseph Melvin—Change of venue granted and transferred to Yolo county.

Estate of Frank McNamee, deceased—Hearing of return of sale of real and personal property and petition for order of confirmation granted.

John Neil vs. His Creditors—Demurrer sustained, petition amended and Stieff appointed assignee.

Estate of Jane Van Trees, insane—Appointment of guardian Hearing continued to April 14th.

Estate of E. P. Collins, deceased—Hearing of citation continued till next Monday.

James W. Martin vs E. V. Wiley et al.—Demurrer overruled. Ten days to answer.

Estate of T. S. Bever, deceased—Settlement of final account and setting property aside for use of family.

H. G. Smith vs. S. Poorman—Five days allowed to file copy of account.

Elvie Culver vs. F. Hoxie—Demurrer overruled. Ten days to answer.

Estate of Richard Stuart, deceased—Petition for confirmation granted.

Agnes Bailey vs. J. D. Bailey—Demurrer overruled. Forty days to answer.

Feronica vs. W. C. Farnsworth—Plaintiff's motion to set aside judgment and retax cost bill denied. Ten days stay of execution.

Estate of Hugh Byrne, deceased—Petition for distribution of estate granted.

Ellen Lowell vs. John Lowell—Hearing of motion for custody of minor child continued to Monday next.

Samuel Nathan vs. H. T. Holmes & Co—Demurrer withdrawn. Ten days to file answer.

Mebius & Co. vs. H. T. Holmes & Co.—Same action.

James Lansing vs. Sacramento County—Motion for judgment on pleadings continued to Monday next.

Fox & Strutz vs. Barney Clark—Default of defendant entered. Judgment as prayed for.

Estate of George Curtis, deceased—Decree establishing notice to creditors

S. W. Butler vs. Antoine Ricord—Answer of W. H. Hoyt withdrawn.

Bartholomew Corbett, insane—Annual account of guardian approved and confirmed.

The People vs. J. Regan—Case submitted on pleadings.

DENSON, Judge.

Peter Weyrick vs. J. M. Keller & Co.—Motion to settle statement or bill of exceptions.

Warren Heaton vs. Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company—Demurrer to intervention of E. M. Martin and E. Greer.

Estate of E. G. Jefferis, deceased—Petition of Public Administrator for letters set for hearing April 26th.

THE REASON OF BIRDS.

May I tell you a few facts to prove that birds can be, like their human friends, both reasonable and unreasonable? 1. Several years ago a pair of my canaries built. While the hen was sitting the weather became intensely hot. She drooped, and I began to fear that she would not be strong enough to hatch the eggs. I watched the birds closely, and soon found that the cock was a devoted nurse. He bathed in the fresh cold water I supplied every morning, then went to the edge of the nest and the Hen buried her head in his breast and was refreshed. Without hands and without a sponge, what more could he have done? 2. The following spring the same bird was hanging in a window with three other canaries, each in a separate cage. I was sitting in the room, and heard my little favorite give a peculiar cry. I looked up and saw all the birds crouching on their perches, paralyzed with fright. On going to the window to ascertain the cause of their terror, I saw a large balloon passing over the end of the street. The birds did not move till it was out of sight, when they all gave a chirp of relief. The balloon was only within sight of the bird who gave the alarm, and I have no doubt he mistook it for a bird of prey. 3. I have a green and a yellow canary hanging side by side. They are treated exactly alike, and are warm friends. One has often refused to partake of some delicacy till the other was supplied with it. One day I had five blossoms of dandelion; I gave three to the green bird, two to the yellow one. The latter flew about his cage, singing in a shrill voice, and showed unmistakable signs of anger. Guessing the cause, I took away one of the three flowers, when both birds settled down quietly to enjoy their feast.—[London Spectator.

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ANALYSIS.

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