THE DAILY RECORD-UNION.

TUESDAY.....JUNE 29, 1880.

Signal Corps Report—June 27, 1880.

TIME.	BAR	THR	HUM	WIND	RA'N	WEATH.
4:02 A. M....	29.92	54	87	S. 8	....	Clear
7 A. M.....	29.95	63	67	S. 12	....	Clear
8:02 A. M.....	29.96	65	63	S. 10	....	Clear
2 P. M.....	29.93	79	47	S. 8	....	Clear
8:02 P. M.....	29.92	64	63	S. 10	....	Clear

Max. ther., 79 degrees. Min. ther., 53 degrees.

Weather Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, June 27th.—For Pacific coast region: Clear or partly cloudy weather.

ADVERTISEMENT MENTION.

Sacramento Royal Arch Chapter to-night.
Wanted—Widow lady wants care of children.
Midsummer Singing Class—Ladies and gentlemen.
Piano for sale, by George D. Allmond.
A. O. U. W.—Sacramento Lodge, to-night.
Republican rally—Second Ward, to-night.
Democratic Fourth Ward meeting, Wednesday night.
Notice—"Gentle Hints"—Assessor's warning.
Imp. O. R. M.—Wednesday evening.
Lost—Saddle, bridle and blanket.

Auctions.

Bell & Co. sell residence, Fourteenth and O streets.
Bell & Co. sell oil paintings this evening.

Business Advertisements.

Sozodont prevents teeth from decay.
Murray & Lanman's Florida water.
W. B. Miller, watchmaker and jeweller.
C. Schaefer, cooper—General work.
Dr. Hatch—Office 84 J street.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

BOARD OF CITY TRUSTEES.

At the meeting of the Board of City Trustees yesterday forenoon business was transacted as follows:

John A. Cunningham, Chief Engineer of the Water Works, reported that during the past week the works had been running 168 hours; the total number of gallons of water pumped was 18,410,050, and the amount of fuel consumed in pumping the same was 1,622 cubic feet of gas coke.

GIFT BY MRS. E. B. CROCKER.

A deed of gift of certain ground adjoining the city cemetery, as an addition thereto, was received from Mrs. E. B. Crocker, and the following order was passed: "That the deed of gift tendered by Mrs. E. B. Crocker be accepted, and the thanks of this Board, on behalf of the people of Sacramento, be tendered to her; also that the Clerk of this Board be and he is hereby instructed to have said deed properly recorded."

GENERAL MATTERS.

A communication was received from J. R. Wilkinson, Resident Engineer of the Central Pacific Railroad Company, to the effect that the company intended building a new freight depot on Front street, and requesting permission to change the grade of the blocks between K and L streets on the west side. Referred to the Street Commissioner.

On motion, the Clerk of the Board was directed to transfer the sum of $3,000 from the special water works fund to the water works fund.

A petition was received signed by property-owners in the alley between O and P, Eighth and Tenth streets, protesting against the construction of a pipe sewer in said alley at present. Ordered on file.

BILLS ALLOWED.

The following bills were allowed: Huntington, Hopkins & Co., $12; A. Silvey, $8; J. C. Scroggs, $8; H. Latham, $12; G. Lachenmaier, $12; R. Johnson, $8; L. Wait, $14; Joseph Peters, $22; Carter Jackson, $3; P. McHale, 75 cents; Thomas J. Ballou, $4 50; A. M. Smith, $8 25; Sacramento Ice Company, $5 48; E. R. Knox (for laborers), $72 50; George Higgs, $6; William Turton, $99 21; Baker & Hamilton, $51 25; John Mullens, $78; George Saal, $1; M. Daley, $15; Thomas Cotter, $12; Robert Melloa, $1; C. E. Spencer, $3 90; W. H. Hoyt, $3 36; Robert Philip, $10; J. T. Barron, $4; Lee Young, $5; Ben. Bullard, Jr., $3; Central Pacific Railroad Company, $3,500; Paul Odermott, $5; J. D. Lord, $8 21; A. M. Smith, $19 46; J. W. Watt (for laborers), $29; James McGuire, $12; George T. Bush, $25 34; steamer Julia, $3; Holbrook, Merrill & Co., $1 05; C. Burns, $8; C. H. Simpkins, $72.

CHANGE OF FRONT-STREET GRADE.—The following is the communication of J. R. Wilkinson, Resident Engineer of the Central Pacific Railroad, to the Board of City Trustees yesterday in relation to a change in the grade of Front street, in connection with the construction of the new freight depot: "It is the intention of the Central Pacific Railroad Company to build a new freight depot on Front street, and make material improvements to the tracks pertaining thereto. The buildings will be placed on the west line of the street, and be 50 feet in width, extending from the north line of K street to about 100 feet north of the north line of J street, with the intention of a further extension to the south line of I street when required. To accommodate trucks, and facilitate the handling of merchandise, it will be necessary to change the grade of the two blocks between K and I streets, on the west side. Mr. Bassett and myself have looked over the matter carefully, and find that this can be accomplished without changing the grade on the east side or detriment to the property. We would propose to put in cesspools in the center of the street and midway between I and J, and J and K streets, with proper drains to the river. We would make a grade of six inches each way from the street crossings to the center of the blocks. The railroad company will put in a proper pavement on the west side to the center of the street and construct the cesspools and drains. They would ask the cooperation of your honorable Board and the property owners on the east side in making the pavement conform to the proposed grade. Will your honorable Board take such action in the matter as you deem proper at your earliest possible convenience, and oblige, yours respectfully, J. R. WILKINSON, Resident Engineer Central Pacific Railroad Company."

CRIMINAL CASES TO-DAY.—The protracted trial in the case of the People vs. William Williams has made a flush in the criminal calendar of the Superior Court. The cases regularly assigned for to-day are the People vs. Wilkinson, for grand larceny; the People vs. Mrs. Hamilton, for shooting Nellie Winklepleck; and the People vs. Gracie St. John Clemence, for embezzlement. But before these can be reached cases already passed on the calendar will be called, as follows: The People vs. Ah Nip et al., five cases, for perjury; the People vs. Ah Lung, for burglary; and the People vs. Frances Scott, for grand larceny. The probabilities are that when the jury is called to-day the first case tried will be that against Ah Lung, and as the June session is almost expired, most of the other cases will have to go over till July.

POLICE COURT.—In the Police Court yesterday A. Plant was convicted of the petit larceny of $5 from Mr. Bingay, and was fined $30 and costs, and in default of payment was sent to the County Jail. Charles Dale, who while drunk threatened to mash Chief Karcher and make it necessary for an extra election to fill the vacancy so occasioned in the office of Chief of Police, was fined $3 50 and admonished not to carry his threat into execution, which he has concluded not to do since becoming sober. The case of John McKearn was continued until to-day. Stonewall Jackson, for being drunk, was, owing to his military reputation, let off with a fine of only $1 and costs. Henry Zwicker, for embezzlement, was examined, and his case was taken under advisement by the Court.

SOCIETY ELECTIONS.—At a meeting of California Lodge, No. 1580, K. of H., held last evening, officers for the ensuing term were elected as follows: Dictator, G. A. Scott; Vice-Dictator, J. M. Henderson; Assistant Dictator, H. D. Gamble; Reporter, P. L. Hickman; Financial Secretary, H. Bennett; Treasurer, Samuel Jelly; Guide, J. M. Tenbrook; Chaplain, N. S. Nichols; Guardian, Geo. F. Bronner; Sentinel, Frank Swift; Medical Examiner, George Pyburn; Organist, John F. Cooper.....At a regular meeting of Sacramento Lodge, No. 11, K. of P., held last evening, the following officers were elected: C. C., J. H. Johnston; V. C., J. F. Lucas; Prelate, J. J. Fitzgerald.

FOR SAN QUENTIN.—Sheriff Heilbron went to San Quentin yesterday with Ralph Johnson, who was on Saturday sentenced to serve eighteen months in the State Prison for burglary, and Frank Miller, who goes for two and a half years for the same offense.

"WE HAVE GOT THEM," and those who call early will secure the bargains. Lawn piques, 7½ cents per yard; 12-4 Marsailles quilts, $1 75 (worth $3 50.) Job lots in ladies', misses' and children's hosiery (extra value), at 10, 12½, 15 and 20 cents per pair—to see them is to buy them. Ask to see Royal Rugby towels, at 25 cents (worth 50 cents), at the Red House. *

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The regular meeting of the Board of Education was held last evening at the Superintendent's office. Present—Messrs. Griffitts, Butler, Hornblower, Lord, Tracy and Weimeyer. Minutes of last regular meeting and subsequent extra meetings were read and approved.

Mr. Hornblower, from the committee appointed to find a proper building in which to hold an additional school at some point in the southeastern portion of the city, reported that a new two-story building at Twentieth and O streets is under consideration for the object, and the owner, who was not in this city, has been written to upon the subject.

The following bills were received and ordered paid: John Ryan, $5 40; Jas. Parks, $10 50; C. H. Krebs, $19 40; RECORD-UNION, $2 50; Foster, Billingsley & Co., $2 75; John Ryan, $5 40; C. H. Stevens & Co., $5 83; D. S. Jackson, $8 25; Charles Schmitt & Co., $3 50; James McAninch, $6; F. L. Landes, for sundries, $3 90; Capital Gas Company, $5 25; B. F. Pike, $18 80; E. H. Rivett, $112 50. The salaries of janitors were also ordered paid.

The Superintendent submitted the following as the present condition of the school fund:

Amount on hand May 1st	$4,487 83
Received during May	27,459 75
Total	$31,947 58
Amount of bills audited in May	$6,575 90
Amount of bills audited in June	412 40
Total	$6,989 30
Balance on hand June 28th	$24,959 38

The Superintendent presented the following resolutions, which were, upon motion of Mr. Hornblower, referred to the Graduating Committee, to report upon same at the next regular monthly meeting:

Resolved, That promotions be made semi annually.

Resolved, That the monthly examination of the pupils in the several grades be conducted by the teachers of the next higher grades, and that the term averages of those examinations determine the fitness of pupils for promotion.

Resolved, That the Superintendent prepare the questions for the fifth and first grades, and that all others be framed by the Principals of the respective departments.

Resolved, That examinations for promotion to the High School be held semi-annually, and that the result of those examinations have no bearing upon the qualifications of pupils for graduation from the Grammar Schools.

A communication from William Gwynn was read, stating in effect that when he signed the petition for Mr. McDonald's reappointment he indorsed his moral character only, without reference to his competency in arithmetic.

A communication was received from E. I. Robinson, as follows, and which was, on motion of Mr. Tracy, received and placed on file:

To the Board of Education of Sacramento city—Gentlemen: Mr. Ellis declines to withdraw or change the form of the written charges over his signature filed with the Secretary of the Board of Education June 11th, and by him presented to the Board June 15, 1880.

First—Because he believes it to be the duty of the Board to investigate charges, in whatever form they may be presented, against a teacher employed by them.

Second—Because Mr. Adams is not required to file any answer to the charges against him, nor to present any defense, until after the testimony in support of the charges shall have been presented, after which he will be fully advised and will then have ample time to present his defense.

Third—Because he does not believe the Board or the person against whom charges are made has a right to direct what the charges shall be, nor in what manner the charges shall be made, or by whom presented.

Fourth—Because at the time when the charges against Prof. O. M. Adams were filed with the Secretary, and by him presented to the Board, the Board had no rule prescribing any form for charges against teachers, nor the manner in which they should be presented, and the charges presented by him were presented in accordance with the custom at the time they were presented to the Board.

E. I. ROBINSON,
Attorney for Edmund Ellis.

Sacramento, June 26, 1880.

Mr. Hornblower moved to adjourn. Not seconded.

Mr. Tracy moved that the Board proceed to the election of Superintendent of the High School.

After remarks by different members of the Board the election was postponed, by reason of the absence of Messrs. McClatchy and Stalker.

Mr. Hornblower moved that the vote by which the maximum of scholars in the fourth and fifth grades was fixed at 45 be reconsidered. Carried.

On motion, 40 was then established as the maximum number to be allowed in those grades. This will give an additional fourth grade school of 35 scholars, and require another teacher.

On motion of Mr. Tracy, it was ordered that the Superintendent instruct Mrs. Merrill to teach one-half of each day in the first grade of the Capital Grammar School, assisting Mr. Johnson.

Adjourned to Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock.

MAN HURDERED.—Yesterday morning Coroner Vermilya received a telegram from Justice J. M. Smith of Galt, notifying him of the finding of the body of a man who had been found drowned near that place. The Coroner started on the 11:35 A. M. train to hold an inquest, and had not returned last evening, but a dispatch from that place was received as follows: Coroner Vermilya held an inquest to-day on the body of the man found in Dry creek yesterday, which resulted in finding that he had undoubtedly been murdered, having been stabbed in both arms and the breast and shot in the head, the ball passing from under the jaw, going upward and coming out through the nose. Nothing was found on the body by which to ascertain his name.

SOCIAL CLUB AT FOLSOM.—At a meeting held in the M. E. Church at Folsom last Saturday evening a social and dancing club was organized and the following officers elected: A. E. Arnold, President; Mrs. A. Halen, Vice-President; A. Masich, Secretary; Miss Martin, Treasurer. W. Fletcher, L. Yager and W. Conlan were appointed upon membership, and Messrs. Martin and Sullivan to draw up by-laws for the organization. Another meeting was appointed for June 30th to complete the club.

INFORMATIONS FILED.—Writs of information were yesterday filed by District Attorney Buckley against Thomas Rooney and Charles Wilson, for robbery of Samuel Hoyl in this city a few nights since, and also against John Sullivan, for attempt to commit grand larceny, by seeking to steal the watch of officer Campbell, when that officer affected intoxication one night recently to ascertain their character and designs. These cases will not be reached for trial until the July session.

MERCHANDISE REPORT.—The following freight for Sacramento passed Ogden on the 25th: For S. B. Paige, iron safe; W. D. Comstock, 1 car furniture; Adams, McNeill & Co., 10 barrels syrup; Huntington, Hopkins & Co., 71 plates iron; Whittier, Fuller & Co., 1 box and 1 barrel mixed paint; H. C. Kirk & Co., 2 boxes and 2 cans glycerine; Capital Soap Company, 5 cases oil; Weidmann & Hromada, 6 cases oil.

FREIGHT MOVEMENTS.—The following carloads of freight were received here yesterday: One of pig-iron, 3 of coal, 1 of lime, 2 of wood, 2 of lumber, 1 of wool, 1 of spirits, 1 of canned fruit, 2 of fruit, 6 of wood, 8 of wheat, 1 of corn, 1 of oil; also through carloads of freight were sent East as follows: One of canned fruit, 8 of wool, 4 of wine, 2 of malt, 4 of salmon, 2 of merchandise, 1 of sugar.

TAKEN EAST.—Sheriff Amos Weedman, of Clinton, DeWitt county, Ill., passed through the city on the Eastern overland train yesterday, having in charge Henry J. Orrell, a convict who escaped from jail the 18th of last January, while under sentence for two years in the Penitentiary for burglary and larceny, with another similar charge not tried remaining against him.

INCORPORATED.—Articles of incorporation have been filed with the Secretary of State of the Silver Hill Quartz Mill Company, for the reduction and milling of ores near Bodie, Mono county. The Directors are A. F. Bryant, A. H. Wilbur, G. L. Putnam, D. Walker, and Thomas Steele, and the capital stock is $60,000.

GONE TO THE RACES.—The following horses from Sacramento, to take part in the races at Santa Cruz this week, are entered and left yesterday: From W. L. Pritchard's stables—Euchre, Richard III. and a two-year-old filly; from Theodore Winter's stables—Connor, Flood, Mattie Glenn and Twilight.

COMMERCIAL.—Arrived since last report, steamer San Joaquin, from San Francisco, with general merchandise; steamer Neponset, from upper Sacramento, with produce; steamer Pioneer, from San Francisco, with barge of lumber to Friend & Terry Lumber Company and W. F. Frazer.

HYGIENIC FILTERS.—They will cleanse and cool water perfectly. Call and see them at Hobby & Harper's, 329 J street.

BOYS' SCOTCH GINGHAM KILT SUITS, one and two pieces, $1 85, at Mechanics' Store.*

LINEN GARABALDI SUITS, at $1 25, at Mechanics' Store. *

FOURTH OF JULY MEETING.

Last night a well attended meeting of the Fourth of July General Committee was held at the old County Court-room. Judge Henry presided. Win J. Davis, Secretary.

Reports from the Finance Committees being called for, no report was submitted from the First Ward. J. W. Wilson reported that the Second Ward Committee had nothing further to report. T. H. Berkey reported that the Third Ward Committee had collected—Mr. Beede and himself—about $30. This sum was in addition to what had been reported to the last meeting. They had made but a partial canvass, and he believed that much more could be collected from gentlemen who do business in the First Ward but reside in the Third, and who had not been called on as yet by the committee from either ward. On motion, further time was granted to the Third Ward Committee to complete the canvass of the ward. Robert Miller reported that the Fourth Ward Committee had collected $183, and expected to make it up to about $200.

T. H. Berkey stated that he had met with considerable objection from citizens to the appropriation and expenditure of money for carriage hire, and he moved that the amount to be expended for carriage hire be limited to $40. An animated discussion ensued. C. T. Jones thought that carriages should be tendered to the State officers, and he stated that the carriage bill of last year was but $25. W. R. Cantwell thought $25 was enough to be spent for carriages, and he moved an amendment to that effect. He believed that those who would ride in the procession, outside of the literary guests, should furnish their own conveyances. T. J. Clunie suggested that the Committee on Literary Exercises would see that the right men only would get into the committee carriages. R. Miller thought it would be best to leave the matter entirely in the hands of the Committee on Literary Exercises, and he moved that amendment. Berkey explained that he did not think that any man had ever imposed on the committee, but he wanted it to appear on the minutes that the amount was limited, so as to shut out opposition on the ground that the amount to be so expended was indefinite. Chris. Green moved as a substitute that the Committee on Literary Exercises be authorized to engage five carriages at $5 each. The substitute by Mr. Green prevailed.

T. J. Clunie, from the Fireworks Finance Committee, reported that they had started out at 5 o'clock in the afternoon and had raised $100, and he expected the subscriptions for that purpose would reach $500. Mr. Coulnan, from the same committee, reported that he had promises for about $50, and had found no difficulty in getting subscriptions.

Chris. Green moved that a committee of six be appointed to make a thorough canvass of the First Ward. The motion prevailed, and the Chair appointed on the committee Chris. Green, W. C. Van Fleet, H. Weinstock, Robert Miller, J. F. Sheehan and N. L. Drew. The committee are to meet at Green's place of business to-day at 10 o'clock and to commence work.

On motion of W. R. Cantwell, an appropriation of $50 was made for the purpose of firing a salute. [This appropriation was made at the last meeting, but was inadvertently omitted from the minutes.]

T. J. Clunie reported, for the Grand Marshal, that the aids had been selected, and that the line of march, list of aids, programme, etc., would be announced in a few days.

Chris. Green reported that Mr. Palmer had been selected to attend to the wagons.

T. J. Clunie moved that the Capitol Park be selected as the place for the exhibition of the fireworks, and it was so ordered.

[Mayor Turner in the chair.]

On motion, Joseph Thielen was added to the Committee on Wagons.

Adjourned until Wednesday evening next.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES.

The commencement exercises of the Conservatory of Music, conducted by Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Cheney and assistants, were held at the Congregational Church last evening. The audience in attendance fully tested the seating capacity of the very large auditorium of the church and of its spacious gallery, and many had to pre-empt standing room. It was in the fullest sense representative of the best elements of the society and the culture of Sacramento. The stage was handsomely dressed in white, and in floral stands and festoons. The exercises were: Piano quartet, "Electric Polka," Sanderson, by Misses Lily Wilcox, Mason, Weller and Denison; piano solo, "Carnival de Venise," P. de Vos, by Miss Frankie Stevens; piano solo, "Tannhaeuser March," Spindler, by Master Lutie Hammer; address, by J. V. Cheney, on "The History of Music, its Relation to other Arts, and what Lot it has in the Life of Man and the World of Activity;" instrumental trio, Miss Gussie Wilcox at the piano, Ernst Ehrich with the violin, and F. Jay Lewis with the violoncello; the selection was from Gade. Piano solo, "Fairy Fingers," S. B. Mills, by Miss Carrie Kreuzberger; piano solo, "Valse de Juliette de Gounod," Raff, by Miss Gussie Wilcox; overture (eight hands), "The Wedding March," Mendelssohn, by Misses Wait, Dugan, Coolot and Kreuzberger. The pianos used were an upright and a grand piano. The only vocalism of the evening was a very pleasing song by the baritone, Prof. A. B. Cheney, who gave "The Palms," by Faure, and responded to an encore. The playing of the pupils was exceedingly creditable to their tutors. There was a vigor and precision about it which was very prominent, and total absence of the languid and slovenly so frequently noticeable in amateurs. Miss Gussie Wilcox, the graduate of the occasion, played brilliantly and with remarkable skill in execution. Master Hammer and Miss Stevens were equally good, and their playing was marked by promptness and exactness, and was very creditable to pupils of that age. Miss Kreuzberger had a difficult selection, but faced it bravely. Less successful in its execution than the others, she gave no less evidence of promise. All the players were warmly applauded, and were the recipients of floral tributes. Rev. I. E. Dwinell, D. D., delivered the prizes and diploma. He said that musical cultivation is the least substantial of any of the creations of genius. It is not like architecture, embodied in marble and stone, or like sculpture or painting. The musical creations are themselves almost spiritual. An institution devoted to the most severe training and the longest and most severe efforts; that enables to be produced the best creations of the music art, may well be called a conservatory. It preserves the creations of genius among us, else they would perish from our land. Such institutions make these creations potent forces in our joy, our worship and our aspirations. Such institutions may well commend themselves to the country. All lovers of music, lovers of this highest form of expression, whatever their relation to music, must rejoice in the prosperity of such an institution. The people had seen and heard what the institution under criticism was doing. It had been deputed to him to deliver two prizes to two pupils whose merits were so equal that no distinction could be made—Miss Frankie Stevens and Master Lutie Hammer. The first only diploma granted, he delivered to Miss Gussie Wilcox, who had completed the course of music study in the institution—not a course determined by years or the number of lessons, but by achievement and the amount of ability and the degree of musical culture attained.

AUCTION SALES.—Bell & Co. will sell at 10:30 this morning the residence at No. 1419 O street, which is a cozy five-room house, with improvements and conveniences of a first-class house; lot 40x160 feet....Also, in the evening, commencing at 7:30, Bell & Co. will sell at Smith's Gallery, on J street, between Seventh and Eighth, a fine selection of paintings by the following well-known professionals and amateurs of the city: D. H. Woods, W. F. Jackson, H. Fisher, G. H. Redding, Wilbur Smith, Miss Kate Allmond, F. Jay Lewis, Nettie B. Seeley and Mrs. Butterfield. Many of these paintings were on exhibition at the recent reception of the Bric-a-Brac Club, and a list was given in a report published at that time, with general remarks as to their merits. The sale will no doubt attract a very large and select attendance. The marked advances in art culture during the past year among professionals and amateurs in this city should receive the approbation of citizens by a liberal patronage of this first public sale of their works, and such patronage will go far towards encouraging to still greater efforts and higher achievements.

DEATH OF MRS. HIRAM COLE.—On the 13th of June Mrs. Hiram Cole, mother of Mrs. C. H. Cummings of this city, died at Farmington Falls, Me., aged 79 years. She resided in this city two years with her daughter, and returned East in 1877.

NEW VOTERS.—Yesterday in the Superior Court Peter H. Menken, upon testimony of H. Whittenbrock and W. E. Gerber; and James O'Brien, upon testimony of Dennis Sheehan and Edward Gillespie, were admitted to citizenship.

POLICE ARRESTS.—The following arrests were made yesterday: George Drew, a drunk, by officer Frazee; Uncle Paul, for disturbing the peace, by officer Kirk.

TRADE-MARK.—J. R. Williams, of Stockton, has filed his claim to the trade-mark "Williams' Little Gem Ague Cure."

CAMEL'S HAIR KILT SUITS, from $3 65 to $5 75, at Mechanics' Store.

BRIEF NOTES.

J. C. Morrison, who has been falsely representing himself as agent for San Francisco papers, was yesterday taken through on the cars, en route for Solano, in the custody of Deputy Sheriff G. C. McCoy of Tehama county. The officer also had an insane man with him named Charles Usher, whom he was taking to the asylum at Napa.

The Forester Sportsman's Club held a meeting last night and resolved to hold a shooting match next Sunday at Lisle's bridge, at 9:30 A. M. Five Club medals will be shot for. If birds enough remain, outsiders will be admitted to impromptu matches and pools.

Assessor J. W. Houston gives notice that after next Monday poll-tax receipts will cost $3, and that the collector will look sharp after all delinquent payments of personal property taxes.

The Democrats of the Fourth Ward will hold a meeting to-morrow evening at the hall on O street, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth, to form a club.

The new uniforms for the Chief and Assistant of the City Fire Department are on exhibition at Nathan's clothing store, corner Third and K streets.

J. J. Carroll has resigned the Secretaryship of the Hibernia Benevolent Association, and T. E. J. Riley has been elected to fill the vacancy.

Frank M. Pixley, S. M. Wilson and J. C. Flood and family were among the passengers leaving Omaha yesterday, to arrive July 2d.

Crannie Smith, little son of S. Smith, residing on Fifteenth street, was severely bitten by Mr. Burnett's dog night before last.

Professor Stone, spiritualist, will this evening give a seance exhibition of spiritualism, true and false, at the Pioneer Hall.

The Second Ward Republican Club will hold a meeting at the Grand Hotel, corner of Front and K streets, this evening.

The Horribles hold forth this evening at the Court-house to perfect arrangements for the coming celebration.

It was Supervisor Blair who was absent from the meeting of the Board on Friday last, and not Mr. Bauer.

The final meeting of the Census Enumerators, for making corrections and additions, commences to-day.

Company B, First Artillery, will have a special drill this evening, in full fatigue uniform.

River at 20 feet 10 inches yesterday.

TOO ANCIENT FOR HIM.—In one of the city Sunday-schools last Sabbath a teacher of an infant class asked the little ones if they knew next Sunday would be the Fourth of July, which most of them answered anticipatingly in the affirmative. When the teacher again asked if they knew why we celebrated the Fourth, and what great event occurred on that day, there was silence, but an apparent eagerness for information—a boy, five years old, probably with his tother breeches-pocket crammed with torpedoes and crackers, laid away for the occasion, could hardly wait for an explanation and stood up to get the first edition. The teacher then explained to them that over one hundred years ago our forefathers declared themselves and this country to be free from all foreign allegiance and won our independence by fighting big battles. The little fellow took all the information to himself, and, as an apparent excuse for his not being posted upon the subject, quickly replied: "That was before I was born and I didn't know anything about it."

THE COURTS.

SUPERIOR COURT.
CLARK, Judge.
MONDAY, June 28th.

Charles Bell vs. William Milgate—Demurrer to complaint sustained, and 20 days given to answer.

R. Caverly vs. Ellen Gleason—Appeal dismissed.

The People vs. Ham. C. Harrison—Motion to vacate judgment argued and taken under advisement.

Manerva Hogaboom vs. H. Ehrhart—Demurrer to amended complaint overruled; 10 days to answer.

Estate of Frank Downey, deceased—Decree of due notice to creditors entered.

Estate of J. G. McCracken, deceased—Letters of administration granted to Harriet A. McCracken; bond, $100; notice to creditors to be published in the RECORD-UNION. Appraisers—Peter Bohl, J. O. Coleman and Frank Waterhouse.

Estate of Mary Shaw, deceased—Order entered for sale of real estate.

Estate of Silas B. Gregory, deceased—Letters of administration granted to Harriet G. B. Gregory; bond, $500; notice to creditors to be published in the RECORD-UNION. Appraisers—W. R. Strong, F. L. H. Weber and R. H. Withington.

Pritchard and Miller vs. J. W. Avery et al.—Demurrer to complaint overruled; 10 days to answer.

Estate of Isaac Van Trees, deceased—Letters of administration de bonis non granted to Hugh C. Jones; bond, $1,500.

Peter H. Menken, a native of England, upon the testimony of H. Whittenbrock and W. E. Gerber, was admitted to citizenship. Also, James O'Brien, a native of Ireland, upon the testimony of Dennis Sheehan and Edward Gillespie, was admitted to citizenship.

The People vs. H. J. Palmer (embezzlement)—Continued and reset for July 14, 1880.

Estate of Margaret V. Gephart, deceased—Hearing of petition for appointing a day of settlement of final account set for July 12, 1880.

The People vs. Davis & Marcuse (embezzlement)—Cases heretofore set for June 30th are continued for the session.

The People vs. William Cronin (three cases of burglary)—Continued for the session.

Estate of Ham. C. Harrison, deceased—Certain personal property set apart to widow.

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE.

Filed June 28th.

Herman Holzinger to George Holzinger—May 13th; a portion of lot 14 in block 36, Folsom; $1.

B. D. Beckwith to David Kettleman—June 2d; a portion of the Rancho de los Moquelumnes, or Chabolla grant, situated in Sacramento and San Joaquin counties; $6,000.

W. C. Crosett to Geo. Wagner—April 8th; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in block 79, and lots from 1 to 16 inclusive in block 80, Folsom; $600.

F. S. George to Sarah J. Hunt—May 18th; north half of lots 3 and 4, between G and H, Twenty-second and Twenty-third streets, Sacramento; $350.

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MORNING SESSION.

65 Ophir	.62	55 Alpha	.56@44
265 Exchequer	1 50@1 60	50 Confidence	.4½
195 Overman	.90c	235 S. Nevada	.11½@11¾
650 Justice	.60@75c	240 Union	.19½@19¾
25 Utah	.81	165 Ala'a	1 95@1 90
685 Bullion	1 15@1 20	150 Julia	.50c
645 Belcher	1 90@2	110 Silver Hill	.45@40c
do., 50 assessment		300 New York	.15c
145 Mexican	.74@74½	100 Occidental	.9c@1
20 G. & C.	3 15	165 Andes	1
300 Savage	2½@2 2	600 Scorpion	1 69@1 75
110 California	2 10	50 Bullion	1 05
10 Con. Va.	3 35	195 N. Bonanza	.15c
100 Chollar	2 90	100 Mockey	.10c
70 Potosi	2 15	50 Quinn	.21
35 H. & Nor	4 05	76 Hale & N.	4 05
700 Imperial	.30@25c		

AFTERNOON SESSION.

85 Eureka	.16	50 Belvidere	2 90
230 Belmont	.30c	150 Bechtel	1
do., ass't delin		100 Champion	.85c
50 Metallic	.50c	200 Booker	.5 c
130 Gr'd Prize	1 15	100 S. Standard	.25c
100 Argenta	.45c	200 Q Bee	.0c
200 Navajo	.2½	35 Mono	.4
480 Tuscarora	.15c	200 University	.30c
100 Day	.50c	100 Dudley	.45c
2 0 Paradise	.30@35c	100 Jupiter	1 65
400 N. Belle Isle	.30c	100 S. Bulwer	.60c
20 Mt. Diablo	1 1	459 Addenda	1 35@1 30
125 M. Potosi	.0c	200 S. Bodie	.20c
500 E. Mt. Diab	.50c	50 D Standard	.60c
230 Holmes	.15c	75 Mammoth	1 70
250 Bodie	.5½c6	300 Oro	2 25
250 McClinton	.2½c	100 Noonday	3 75
15 Summit	1 80	300 M White	.50@55c
80 Bulwer	.31	10 Tiptop	.61
1300 Goodshaw	1 30@1 35	50 S N onday	1 35
50 M. Belle	.0c	100 Hamburg	1
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