THE DAILY RECORD-UNION.

TUESDAY.....JULY 27, 1880.

Signal Corps Report—July 26, 1880.

TIME.	BAR	THR	HUM	WIND	RA'N	WEATH.
4:02 A. M....	29.90	61	80	S. 6	....	Clear
7 A. M.....	29.93	69	65	S. 6	....	Clear
8:02 A. M....	29.93	72	62	S. 5	....	Clear
2 P. M.....	29.89	80	48	S. W. 13	....	Clear
8:02 P. M.....	29.85	67	64	S. W. 10	....	Clear

Max. ther., 80 degrees. Min. ther., 59 degrees.

Weather Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, July 26th.—For California: Clear or partly cloudy weather.

ADVERTISEMENT MENTION.

Republican County Convention—August 9th.

Berry and fruit farm for sale—Carl Strobel.

British Mutuals to-night.

Thirty head of horses and cows for sale—Carl Strobel.

Officers' meeting—First Artillery Regiment, to-night.

Third Ward Republican Club to-night.

Wanted—Situation as cook.

Wanted—Sewing-machine operators.

Mules for sale—Inquire of B. R. Crocker.

Furnished rooms—For single gentlemen.

Card—From James R. Taylor and others.

St. Joseph's Academy—Opens August 30th.

Sacramento Institute—Opens August 2d.

Firemen's Fund Insurance Company.

Auction.

At Peters' Ferry—July 31st—Bell, auctioneer.

Business Advertisements.

Tropical Fruit Laxative—J. E. Hetherington, San Francisco.

William Guttenberger—Iron and brass founder.

Bristol's Sarsaparilla.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

THE SHOOTING TOURNAMENT.—At a special meeting of the Forester Gun Club, held last evening, various communications concerning the proposed handicapping at the shoot next September were read. While the greater portion highly indorsed the action of the club, several from San Francisco criticised it adversely. The gun club of that city and two or three individual sportsmen wrote, indorsing the handicapping, but suggesting that the distance was too great as adopted, and also advising that other well known shooters, in addition to those named, be handicapped. The Forester Club, after fully discussing the matter, decided that it would stand by its original action in handicapping, holding that the necessity for handicapping had long been evident, but that it would be better at present only to handicap those who are well known as superior shots, and who won the first three prizes at the tournament last State Fair, and after the coming shoot had been decided, the handicapping for other meetings could be arranged according to the scores made. Mr. Robinson, who is "set back" to the greater distance for the meeting next September, twice upheld the honor of the State in matches against Captain Bogardus, the "champion wing shot of the world." Mr. Maskey, in making his debut at Milbrae a year and a half ago, won the first prize over Robinson by a clean score; and Mr. Gerber by his brilliant record during the past two years has placed himself in the same class with those gentlemen. There is not anything in the action taken by the Foresters which prevents any gentleman desirous of glory from shooting the same distance the three "handicapped" are set back to. The following resolution was adopted by the Club last evening: "That the shooting-match to take place during the coming State Fair is given by the Forester Gun Club of Sacramento, and not by any State organization, and in controlling the same by handicapping and otherwise, we are not assuming any power not properly belonging to us, but are only exercising rights that inherently are ours, and while respectfully giving attention to suggestions forwarded to us, we still insist on having exclusive and complete control of the tournament to be held during the coming State Fair; and that although we receive pecuniary aid from the State Agricultural Society, and hold our tournament inside the fair grounds, we only do so for the purpose of giving an opportunity to the people in general to witness the shooting, an equal or a greater amount of money having been offered to us to hold our tournament elsewhere. This is only an initiatory measure, and in the future we will be too well pleased, when a State organization has been effected, to have all Associations in the State take part in all details of handicapping, etc."

BOARD OF CITY TRUSTEES.—The Board of City Trustees held a regular meeting yesterday. The report of A. Cunningham, Chief Engineer of the Water Works, was received. It shows that during the past week the works had been running 168 hours; the total number of gallons of water pumped was 22,362,950, and the amount of fuel consumed in pumping the same was 1,862 cubic feet of gas coke. The Board received a communication from A. C. Sweetser and others, requesting that inasmuch as the sidewalk adjacent to Dr. Oatman's property had been placed in good condition, that the order requiring the Doctor to build a new walk be rescinded. Upon motion it was so ordered. John Ochsner, upon application, was granted a permit to build an addition to his building on the north side of K street, between Seventh and Eighth. Bills were allowed as follows: H. E. Neilson $2 80, Clarence Nelson $1 75, Pritchard & Miller $12 50, Baker & Hamilton $10 43, Sacramento Lumber Company $278 24, D. E. Woods $25, Sacramento and Placerville Railroad Company $1,183 85, Joseph & Gribble $4, H. Spierling $3, J. Kane $69 25, John Studarus $187, William Turton $417 98, H. A. Weaver $22 50, Frank Lamarsch $28 75, E. A. Burr $20 47, E. Cordes $2, E. Van Alstine $2 50, Whittier, Fuller & Co. $9 48, Wm. Kleinsorge $4 81, Samuel Nathan $1 50, M. J. Carroll $1, H. T. Holmes & Co. $9 90, J. W. Hughes $8, Charles Harper (for laborers) $37, Thomas Cotter $11, M. Daley $13 75, L. Wait $1. Board adjourned.

LAND PATENTS.—The following cash patents for agricultural lands were received at the United States Land Office in this city on the 26th instant, viz: 263, Simon Karriher; 982, Erie Olson; 1,483, Thomas Ladd; 1,706, Washington Young; 1,797, Jesus Romero; 1,854, Jesus Ochoa; 1,855, Charles A. Chelbis; 1,864, George A. Cooper; 1,865, Victorin Sauvee; 1,888, James Harrigan; 1,890, John S. Dunn; 1,891, George F. Cooper; 1,915, Jesse Millikan; 1,956, Ami Pellaton; 1,984, Jonathan Shippy; 1,994, George Fischer; 2,010, Jacob Eberlen; 2,076, Dan. Tarr; 2,078, Aaron Henderson; 2,082, John Rick; 2,084, Giovanni Badaracco; 2,087, Joseph F. Haddock; 2,090, Francis Mulgrew; 2,095, Jacinto J. Lema; 2,098, Robert Anderson; 2,099, George H. Brown; 2,104, Ray Prentice; 2,105, Henry McCabe; 2,110, S. D. Babcock; 2,111, David Renner; 2,112, George Jenkins; 2,120, Ira M. Flanders; 2,127, Jacob M. Pritchard; 2,129, Maurice Flinn; 2,135, James Fraser; 2,143, F. M. Cook; 2,148, T. S. Phillips; 2,150, Charles Godfrey; 2,156, Adele Frary; 2,160, Margaret Foster; 2,161, George W. Wulff; 2,172, Virginia Filippini; 2,173, Joseph Matlock; 2,174, John Pinder. Parties holding duplicate receipts therefor will, upon delivery of the same, receive their patents.

POLICE COURT.—In the Police Court yesterday M. Harvey, for violating the health ordinance, forfeited his deposit; Ah Loon and Ah Guie, for violating the sidewalk ordinance, were dismissed on payment of costs; Mike Sullivan, disturbing the peace, dismissed for want of prosecution; H. G. Hayes, battery, dismissed on payment of costs; C. M. Trask, disturbing the peace, and Pat Smith, drunk, fined $1 each and costs; Wm. Ford, disturbing the peace, fined $5; A. Victor and Mrs. Victor, for being drunk, dismissed upon motion of City Attorney; James Johnson, tried for vagrancy, found guilty—to receive sentence to-day; Gus. Reiffarth, disturbing the peace, and Ed. Sweeney, same, tried, found guilty and discharged; M. B. Ferant, battery, tried, found guilty—to be sentenced to-day; James Devine, drunk, pleaded guilty and discharged; William Daley, vagrancy, found guilty—sentence to-day; Mary Murray, grand larceny, to be examined to-day; Cy. McClintock and James Clark, petit larceny, continued till to-morrow; cases of Charles Harrison, disturbing the peace, and Mrs. Jeffries, same, continued till the 29th; the case of John Dougherty, for battery, was continued till August 2d.

AUCTION.—Bell, auctioneer, will next Saturday sell by auction at Peters' ferry, near the Riverside House, one seven-year-old gray stallion, St. Clair stock; six brood mares and colts; one pair black carriage horses, six and seven years old, good travelers; one pair bay mares, good roadsters, seven years old; three good road horses, six years old; one four-year-old, by Nelson; one three-year-old filly, by Mohawk Chief; three three-years-old, by Transit; four two-years-old, by Transit; four one-year-old, by Transit.

BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.

The Board of Equalization held its meeting yesterday, at which was presented the following applications for reduction in assessments:

John McLaughlin, northwest quarter of section 5, township 6 north, range 6 east, 157 acres; petition for a reduction from $3,640 to $2,605.

Mrs. J. H. Glide, improvements on lots 1 and 2, between H and I, Ninth and Tenth streets, from $15,000 to $11,000.

Josiah Johnson for M. F. S. Hopkins, lots 3 and 4, between M and N, Fifth and Sixth streets, from $5,500 to $4,500; lot 2 and part of lot 3, between M and N, Fourth and Fifth streets, from $3,350 to $2,850; block between E and F, Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets, from $5,600 to $4,500.

John H. Van Saun, lots 1 and 7, between N and O, Third and Fourth streets, from $5,800 to $4,500.

S. Loorya, stock of merchandise, from $6,500 to $3,500.

A. S. Greenlaw, land north of D street and west of Fourteenth street—30 acres, from $1,800 to $600.

Daniel Klotz, 30 acres west of East Park, from $4,500 to $2,250.

Jas. Coyle, southwest quarter of section 19, township 8, range 5 east, 160 acres; south quarter of northwest half of section 19, township 8, range 5, 80 acres, and 15 acres in west half of east half of section 19, township 8, range 5 east, from $10,200 to $7,650.

N. Clark, land in Watson's addition, east of Sacramento city, containing 12½ acres, from $2,160 to $1,000.

Mary Showler, 13½ acres of land east of city, from $2,025 to $1,350.

Mrs. D. Hoffman, west half of southeast quarter of southwest quarter of section 24, township 8, range 4, 10 acres; part of northwest quarter of northeast quarter section 24, township 8, range 4, 13 acres, from $8,650 to $5,191.

N. Clark, upon 19 acres, east of the city, from $4,205 to $950.

Same, on 82 acres, east of the city, from $14,350 to $5,000.

James Holland, land between Fourteenth and Nineteenth streets, D and Vine streets, 60 acres, from $3,600 to $1,200.

J. H. Scott, 100 acres, north of D street and between Tenth and Nineteenth, from $6,000 to $2,000.

Timothy Maxwell, west 30 feet of lot 6, between P and Q, Second and Third streets, from $900 to $700.

George B. Katzenstein, east 50 feet of lot 9, N and O, Twelfth and Thirteenth streets, from $900 to $625.

Board adjourned till 10 A. M. to-day.

MERCHANDISE REPORT.—The following freight for Sacramento passed Ogden on the 22d and 23d: Adams, McNeill & Co., 3 packages acid phosphate, 1 case pineapples, 41 tubs maple sugar; R. C. Terry & Co., 1 bundle paper; R. Stone & Co., 1 box dry goods; L. K. Hammer & Co., 1 boxed organ; Studebaker Bros., 1 car wagons; Huntington, Hopkins & Co., 168 boxes nails, 2 cases hardware, 4 kegs iron wedges; T. McMorry, 2 boxes olive oil; Holman, Stanton & Co., 2 bundles saws; F. A. C. Nichols, 1 case tools; Billingsley & Co., 40 boxes white flasks; W. O. Thrailkill, 1 box medicines; Hall, Luhrs & Co., 40 boxes lobsters; W. F. Peterson, 24 tubs maple sugar; W. D. Comstock, 5 boxes chairs; H. Fisher, 2 cases candy; Weinstock & Lubin, 4 boxes shirts; J. M. Spofford & Co., 1 cask earthenware; J. Breuner, 1 car funiture; Waterhouse & Lesser, 1 car assorted timber.

NOTARIES APPOINTED.—The following have been appointed Notaries Public by the Governor: B. Howser, for Yuba county, to reside at Marysville, reappointed; S. W. Merrill, for Tehama county, to reside at Tehama, reappointed; A. D. Laughlin, for Sonoma county, to reside at Santa Rosa, reappointed; J. A. Creaser, for Mono county, to reside at Benton, vice Sheridan, failed to qualify; G. A. Dobinson, for Los Angeles county, to reside at Los Angeles, reappointed; Clarke Howard, for El Dorado county, to reside at Placerville; Charles Sweezey, for Yuba county, to reside at Marysville; L. D. Holbrook, for the county of Santa Cruz, to reside at Watsonville, reappointed; Frank Cooper, Santa Cruz county, to reside at Santa Cruz, reappointed, and Robert Page, for Santa Clara county, to reside at San Jose.

COMMERCIAL.—Arrived since our last report: Steamer San Joaquin, from San Francisco, with merchandise; steamer Varuna, from the upper Sacramento, with barge load of grain; steamer Neponset, from the upper Sacramento, with produce; steamer Pioneer, from San Francisco, with barge load of lumber for Friend & Terry Lumber Company and W. J. Frazer; schooner D. C. Haskin, from San Francisco, with lumber for Friend & Terry Lumber Company. The schooner Sacramento, lumber-laden for port, is reported in head-reach with the loss of her main-boom, awaiting for a steamer to tow her up.

AUCTION IN COURT.—Yesterday the Superior Court-room presented the appearance of an auction house for a few moments. His Honor, Judge Denson, acted as auctioneer. There had been a sale of the realty belonging to the estate of Belle Scudder, deceased, and it came up for confirmation by the Court. Parties desiring to purchase continued the bidding very spiritedly. The Court confirmed the sale of the east half of lot 2, between D and E, and Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets, to George L. Clark for $400. The south quarter of the north half of lot 5, between L and M, and Second and Third streets, to Philip Phillips for $1,140, and the north half of south half of north half of the same lot to Mrs. Leper for $1,505.

POLICE ARRESTS.—The police arrested yesterday John Brance, disturbing the peace, by officers Ferral and Rider; No. 4 cell, drunk, by officers Rider, Ferral and Fredericks; William Davidson and Lizzie Jinks, drunks, by officers Ferral, Rider and Jackson; J. W. Finley, Harry Irwin and Henry Vance, grand larceny, by officers Ferral, Rider and Jackson; M. Harvey, violating health ordinance, by officer Frazee; O. Clolbeck, drunk, by officers Fredericks and Thorp; Pat Campbell, drunk, by officer Ferral and Oswald, local; Fred Jones, drunk, by officers Rider and Cafferty; H. G. Goodall, drunk, by local officer Coffey.

PERSONAL.—Dr. Charles Austin, representative of the London *Times*, a gentleman well known in journalistic circles in England, who is on his way back from India, where he had charge of the *Times'* correspondence during the war, will reach this city at noon today and remain over until the train this evening. Captain James B. Eads will go to San Francisco this morning to remain several days.

HOME INCORPORATION.—The H. T. Holmes Lime Company of Sacramento have filed articles of incorporation with the Secretary of State. The purpose of the company is stated to be to manufacture and dispose of lime in the State of California. The Directors are H. T. Holmes, William Russell, E. K. Hawkins, C. A. Schlageter, and the capital stock is $50,000.

REPUBLICAN MEETING.—The Third Ward Republican Club will meet to-night at Jacob's Hall. A band of music has been engaged, and the following speakers have been invited and are expected to be present to address the Club: Hon. T. B. McFarland, Hon. W. A. Cheney, Hon. Grove L. Johnson, S. S. Holl, Paschal Coggins, Jr., W. C. Van Fleet and George E. Bates.

FREIGHT MOVEMENTS.—Car loads of freight were yesterday received at this point as follows: Two of ice, 1 of tin, 2 of lumber, 1 of machinery, 1 of corn, 1 of lubricating oil, 1 of wheels, 1 boiler. The following car loads were forwarded to the East: Two of wine, 2 of canned fruit, 1 of malt, 1 of hides, 4 of merchandise, 5 of coke, 1 of salmon.

PARTY RETURNED.—The camping party consisting of E. K. Alsip and wife, Miss D. Scriver, J. A. Lafferty and wife, Miss Belle Dockstater, Andrew Nelson, Annie Chipman and Alfred Olsen have returned from their trip and sojourn at Silver lake. They report a pleasant trip, and considerable snow still in that region.

ORGANIZED.—The Maple Leaf Social Club organized last night by electing the following officers: John O. Connors, President; Thos. H. Kelly, Vice President; M. J. Desmond, Secretary; Andrew Shields, Treasurer; Wm. J. Kelly, Sergeant-at-Arms.

WING-SHOOTING PRACTICE.—The following are the best scores made at the pigeon practice on Sunday at Lisle's Bridge: H. Hurd and J. M. Hotz, clean scores of 10 pigeons each. J. J. Bauer killed 9 out 10.

ACADEMY OPENINGS.—St. Joseph's Academy is announced to open August 30th, and the Sacramento Institute will open August 2d. Both institutions make due announcements for the new terms, to-day.

NEW CITIZEN.—August Schmidt, a native of Germany, having filed the necessary papers and upon the testimony of W. E. Gerber and D. Klotz, was yesterday admitted to citizenship.

SUMMER merino underwear at 40c, 50c and 65c per piece, at Gents' Furnishing Department, Mechanics' Store. *

U. O. R. M.

Annual Session of the Grand Stamm, Independent Order of Red Men.

The Grand Stamm, U. O. R. M. for California, began its annual session in this city at Odd Fellows' Temple, at 9 A. M. yesterday.

The officers of the Grand Stamm are: Gr. O. Ch., D. H. Bockmann of No. 74; Gr. U. Ch., Dr. Ph. Frank of No. 125; Gr. B. Ch. J. A. Falkenstein of No. 124; Gr. Pr., J. F. Lang of No. 83; Gr. Sec., S. Polack of No. 78; Gr. Treas., J. Gutberlet of No. 160; Gr. M., C. H. Rode of No. 83; Gr. H., Charles Schepp of No. 124; Gr. K., D. Vogt, of No. 113; Gr. Z. W., M. Koppel of No. 77; Gr. W. W., J. Rumetsch of No. 160; Gr. G. W., F. R. Meyer of No. 83.

The Grand Stamm was opened in ample form, and credentials being presented, referred and reported back, the following representation was declared entitled to seats: California Stamm, No. 70—F. Wilkenhauser, L. Abrahams, H. Bald; Golden Gate Stamm, No. 74—G. Baum, W. Holz, C. Nielson; San Jose Stamm, No. 77—L. Krump; Pacific Stamm, No. 78—J. B. Reinhardt, D. Cohn, S. Polack; Germania Stamm, No. 83—J. Niessen, J. F. Lang, C. B. Rode, F. R. Meyer; Alameda Stamm, No. 113—William Sohst; Sacramento Stamm, No. 134—J. M. Schmidt, C. Schmitt, J. A. Falkenstein, F. Biewener; Santa Cruz Stamm, No. 125—Dr. P. Frank; Los Angeles Stamm, No. 133—Chas. Schepp; Harmonia Stamm, No. 160—J. Gutberlet, J. Rumetsch, H. Wessling.

The reports for the year were then submitted and referred. They show that the membership in California agregates 591; total capital of subordinates, $43,494 93; total receipts for the past year, $13,354 30; current expenses, $6,058 70; disbursed for benefits, $7,696 30. In the United States there are 104 Stamms, with 7,322 members and a total capital of $196,773 87.

The reports do not show that the Order has progressed during the past year as was hoped, owing to the general depression in business and to the number of new Orders that have claimed the attention of the people. The Grand Secretary's report shows that there are 11 subordinate Stamms under the jurisdiction of the Grand Stamm, viz: California Stamm, No. 70, 60 members, capital, $5,381 63; Golden Gate, No. 74, 51 members, $2,477 66; San Jose, No. 77, 47 members, $3,880 85; Pacific, No. 78, 98 members, $9,765 96; Germania, No. 83, 109 members, $6,400 91; Alameda, No. 113, 49 members, $3,633 45; Eureka, No. 120, 19 members; $1,498 84; Sacramento, No. 124, 80 members, $5,906 70; Santa Cruz, No. 125, 10 members, $630 27; Los Angeles, No. 133, 10 members, $10 46; Harmonie, No. 160, 58 members, $3,906 70.

For the afternoon session the Grand Stamm reassembled at 2 o'clock. The reports of the District Deputies were read, with the exception of those of San Jose and Los Angeles, which had not come to hand. They were referred to a General Committee consisting of Past Grand Chiefs Crump, Holtz, Reinhardt, Lang and Rumetsch.

A communication from the Secretary of the U. S. Grand Stamm was received, stating that the next session of that body will be held at Cleveland, Ohio, on September 21, 1880.

The election of officers was next in order, with the following result: Grand O. Chief, Dr. Ph. Frank, of Santa Cruz Stamm, No. 125; Grand U. Chief, J. A. Falkenstein, of Sacramento Stamm, No. 124; Grand By Chief, J. Rumetsch, of Harmonie Stamm, No. 160; Grand Chaplain, D. H. Bockman, of Golden Gate Stamm, No. 74; Grand Secretary, S. Polack, of Pacific Stamm, No. 78; Grand Treasurer, G. Gutberlet, of Harmonie Stamm, No. 160.

The reports of the Finance and General Committees were received, but laid over for to-day's session for consideration.

The Grand Stamm resolved that the first business to-day shall be installation of officers. It then adjourned until 9 A. M. to-day.

The session will close in all probability this afternoon. In the evening a grand summer-night festival will be given by Sacramento Stamm, No. 124, to the officers and members of the Grand Stamm and invited guests, at Richmond Grove. On Wednesday evening the Grand Stamm will pay an official visit to Sacramento Stamm, No. 124, after which a farewell banquet will be given at Fisher's restaurant. The proceedings of the present session are harmonious, and the belief prevails that there is a bright and prosperous future for the Order.

BRIEF NOTES.

The thermometer in the railroad freight office on Saturday was 100°. The highest it had been before was 97°, on the 14th instant, on which day the temperature was the same there as given by the Signal office report.

The extensive amount of coke being forwarded from here to Utah has suggested the idea to an irreligious individual that the Mormons have taken a contract to furnish hell with fuel.

The railroad company's boats have already brought down from Glenn's ranch about 50,000 tons of new wheat, making 3,350 tons, and this is only the advance delivery of the Doctor's crop.

Henry Schweitzer, engineer at Hathaway's carpet beating establishment, at Twelfth and O streets, had two fingers on his right hand crushed in the machinery yesterday afternoon.

The steamer Enterprise is now lying at the wharf by the company's building, foot of K street, and for the present will be held in reserve for towing barges, and as supply.

The steamer Modoc, which left here for San Francisco yesterday with about 430 tons of freight, drew a little less than five feet of water with that cargo.

Efforts were continued yesterday to find the body of Willie Kendel, who was drowned on Saturday, but were still unsuccessful.

The grain steamer Flora left yesterday with merchandise for Jacinto. She will return with another cargo of wheat.

The Central Pacific pay car will be here to-day, and make the monthly settlement with employes of the company.

A copy of the seal of the Board of Supervisors of El Dorado county has been filed with the Secretary of State.

Secretary of the Interior Carl Schurz will arrive from the East this afternoon about 3 o'clock.

A new plank walk is being laid in front of police headquarters. It was much needed.

Forty-four prisoners were taken to the Folsom Branch Prison yesterday.

James B. Sims has filed a petition of insolvency.

The river marked 14 feet and 10 inches last evening.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CENTRAL COMMITTEE. The Republican County Central Committee had a meeting last evening, and issued a call for the County Convention to be held on the 9th of August in this city, to commence at 10 A. M. The primaries will be held on the 7th of August, from 2 to 7 P. M., at the places designated in the call, published in another column. The Secretary of the County Central Committee was instructed to confer with the State Central Committee to arrange, if possible, for the Hon. Carl Schurz and Hon. R. W. Thompson to address the Republicans of Sacramento at the ratification meeting of the nomination of Presidential Electors, to be held on the 12th of August. The committee selected Frank Ryan to take charge of the naturalization of those desiring to become citizens, and also the registration of voters. He will be found in the County Clerk's office.

DIVORCE GRANTED.—In the Superior Court, yesterday, a decree of divorce was granted to Annie L. Heubschman from J. B. Heubschman.

ANOTHER ROBBERY.—Night before last Theodore Manza was robbed at the wharf between N and O of a small amount of money, and then was twice thrown in the river by the two men concerned in it, but escaped and reported it to police headquarters. Yesterday officers Ferral and Rider arrested J. W. Findley, Harry Irwin and Henry Vance as the parties who committed the deed, and they will be examined in the Police Court to-day.

COMMENDABLE ACTION.—Eddie Johnson, a lad about 14 years of age, was arrested several days since while wandering about the street, and has since been at the Station-house, while Judge Henry was seeking to ascertain about his friends, that he might be sent to them. Yesterday the Judge took the boy to Weinstock & Lubin's to get some undergarments for him, and upon learning the circumstances of the case they at once made him a present of an entire outfit, and he will to-day be sent to his friends in the State of Nevada.

THE VERY BEST value in the city—those dress goods at 8c and 9c per yard; white pique, 7½c per yard, at the Red House. *

THE cheapest dress goods in the city—only 10c, 15c and 20c, at L. Bien's, Eighth and J streets. *

NICE figured lawns, only 12½c, at L. Bien's, Eighth and J streets. *

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The City Board of Education met last evening; present, a full Board, except Mr. McClatchy. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mrs. Charles Hurley appeared before the Board and complained of Miss McCormick for harsh and improper treatment of her son, forcing him to write a note of clearance to her, and unnecessary humiliation of the child before Mrs. Seymour's class, and improper reference to her (Mrs. Hurley.) The question was raised that under the recent rules the charge must be made in writing. The President held that the charges must be made in writing before an investigation. Mrs. Hurley was instructed to reduce her charges to writing and set forth her complaint specifically, to which she replied that she would do so and present them at a future meeting.

Mr. Hornblower reported from the Building Committee that the building at Twentieth and O streets could be had—the lower portion—for $25 a month, properly partitioned off, and proper outhouses erected. The matter was laid over until the next regular meeting.

The Board allowed the following bills: Pay roll, $5,973 62; B. F. Pike, $149 65; W. J. Rand, $50; Locke & Lavenson, $78 15; RECORD-UNION, $2 75; Charles Schmitt & Co., $7 50; Capital Gas Company, $1 05; Nichols & Co., $16 56; C. H. Krebs & Co., $6 30; F. L. Landes, $5 95; Van Heusen & Huntoon, $2; Scott & Muir, $8 50; Western Union Telegraph Company, $3 37.

The Superintendent reported that three complaints had been laid against teachers by parents. He sent for the teachers, and two came, and the cases were satisfactorily settled, but the third teacher, Miss McCormick, did not appear, and stated that she wished the charges, if any, be made in writing.

Mr. Hornblower read the State law, which provides that the Superintendent shall have "control of the teachers," and held that the Board should sustain the authority of the Superintendent.

The Superintendent asked the Board to decide if he has or had not authority to request or direct teachers to report to him, or attend, that little matters of complaint, liable to any school, may be settled without the necessity of charges and investigation with attorneys and great publicity.

Miss McCormick was called on to explain why she had not called as directed.

She replied by asking if teachers can be required to attend after school hours. She had not attended because she had had a hard day's work, it was very warm, and she did not feel able to attend. Mr. Landes then sent a second note to her. She replied that she might come, but asked that the charges be sent to her, be made in writing, and that the name of the complainant be given. Mr. Landes replied, saying the charges were not in writing, and he declined to give the name of the complainant. She then found out of her own accord who the complainant was, and went and asked her to come before the Board and make her charges. She wanted no private investigations in Mr. Landes' office. The charges were trivial and foolish, and she wanted nothing hushed up.

Mr. Tracy said he had himself advised the Superintendent to have teachers and complainants come to the Superintendent, because in most cases the matter could be adjusted amicably. It had been his experience in former years, and he believed it good practice. He thought Miss McCormick wrong in not responding.

The Superintendent said there were many good reasons why he should not in advance inform teachers who it is that complains of them. That would often defeat the very object desired.

Mr. Hornblower held that it is the duty of teachers to respond to the Superintendent's orders, as the law gives him "general supervision and control of the teachers." Such is the law and it must be obeyed. The Board alone can overrule his orders.

The Superintendent offered a resolution to the effect that the whole time of teachers belongs to the Board—the legal time.

A motion to lay it on the table being made, the Superintendent withdrew the resolution.

Miss McCormick said if the Board would investigate the charge it would realize how teachers are placed at a disadvantage. If the Board ordered that she must obey all orders of the Superintendent to come to his office and respond to his inquiries with regard to complaints she would accede. Mr. Tracy replied to her that it was the law above the Board, and as one, he held that the Superintendent had made a reasonable request and she should have responded. Miss McCormick replied that she understood it now, and would obey the law. She wanted no concessions, but would do whatever is her bounden duty.

Some routine business, relative to moving of desks, tuition of non-residents, etc., was disposed of. The Superintendent reported the list of punishments—corporal—inflicted by teachers. Most of the reports showed one or two pupils punished, but one teacher reported ten. He said some teachers failed to report as required. Mr. Johnson, of the Capital Grammar School, said he had told his teachers who had punished no pupils that he thought it unnecessary to report.

The question of transfers of pupils coming up, and of over-crowded classes, the matters were referred to the Superintendent and Principals.

Mr. Tracy protested against teachers entering complaints with the Superintendent and Board about full classes, or transfers, etc. The teachers must learn that it is their duty to report first to their Principals, and they will communicate all that is necessary to the Board.

The selection of a Second Assistant teacher in the High School was entered upon, and Miss Lulu E. Medbery was unanimously elected, votes for other candidates being changed before announcement.

The matter of the bills for books for indigent children was referred to the Superintendent and Director Lord.

Miss McCormick addressed the Board and said the matter of transfers had grown to be a great trouble, and now if a teacher looks cross at a child application is made for a transfer, and often the Superintendent makes them as requested. She said she could not preserve the uniformity of the classes or bring them up to a proper standard if transfers are to be so constantly made. She asked that the Board make transfers only.

The Superintendent said he was governed in making transfers and issuing permits by the list of enrolled scholars as furnished by the principals. Where the parent would not allow a child to be taught by a given teacher he tried to make a transfer to keep the peace, but he did not encourage insubordination or transfer against the express wish of the teacher, except in rare instances. The wishes of parents, he thought, ought to be consulted when it can be done without injury to the schools.

Miss McCormick asked that the whole matter of transfers be turned over to the Superintendent.

Mr. Tracy asked if she and the Superintendent could not act in harmony in the matter.

Miss McCormick said no. She made transfers, equalized classes, and the next day she would go and find the pupils changed about, and the effect weakened the authority of the teachers.

Mr. Landes disclaimed having opposed Miss McCormick in any way. He appreciated the difficulties of teachers and sympathized with them, but he also appreciated the rights of children and parents, and acted as he deemed best for all. He denied having made a great number of transfers. Probably twenty would cover all, and that would include those transferred because of overcrowded classes.

Mr. Hornblower said it had been some time ago a complaint that teachers got rid of dull pupils.

Miss McCormick said that was true, and the best teachers often had the dull pupils pushed on them, by other teachers recommending the child to transfer.

The Board here cut the whole matter short by adjourning.

INDIA gauze undershirts, just the article for hot weather, at 25c, 35c and 50c. Mechanics' Store. *

The wire bridge on the trail between Warren's and Florence, Idaho, was swept away the 27th of June. A drove of hogs just succeeded in crossing. This bridge was broken down last year by a drove of cattle stampeding across it. It was rebuilt by contract three feet higher for $4,000. The entire loss, including two years' tolls, will aggregate $12,000.

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TRANSFER OF REAL ESTATE.

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John Conrad to David Conrad—July 24, 1880; part of lot N, 1 in square between J and K, Eighth and Ninth streets; $6,000.

ENCAMPMENT.—The officers of the First Artillery Regiment are to meet to-night at Colonel Haymond's office to consult relative to the annual encampment.

I CHEERFULLY RECOMMEND Hammer's Cascara Sagrada Bitters for dyspepsia, habitual constipation and liver complaint. They have made me a well man.
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RETURN OF CAPTAIN EADS AND PARTY.

Captain James B. Eads, State Engineer Hall, Colonel Mendell and the Debris Commissioners, who had been making a tour of inspection of the upper rivers, returned yesterday afternoon. The day after leaving Sacramento was spent upon the Yuba river, starting from Marysville and following up the north side. The levees constructed to protect Marysville, the destruction by debris along the river, and the proposed location of dams were examined. In the evening the party drove to Smartsville. Upon the following morning Superintendent O'Brien of the hydraulic mines conducted the visitors about the mines and exhibited the ability of their works to produce detritus, by putting the entire hydraulic power into concentrated operation, which was 7,000 inches of water, and moving everything before it. They examined the dicharge of the tunnels where the heavy debris is first sluiced into the river. The fullest explanation and attention was given by Superintendent O'Brien, who is spoken of as having treated them most royally during their stay. On that evening the party crossed over to the Bear river, and followed down as far as Wheatland, when it took the cars to Marysville, arriving there Saturday evening, and took a rest over Sunday. Yesterday morning the citizens of Marysville furnished a steamer, fully supplied and provisioned, and took the party, accompanied by several prominent persons of that place and Sutter county, down as far as the mouth of Feather river. The changes and localities along the river were pointed out, showing destruction and danger from debris. At the mouth of the river they were met by the State Engineer's steamer, to which they were transferred, and came down the Sacramento to this city. The trip was in every way satisfactory and successful. As the result of his observations in the mining and overflowed regions, Captain Eads gives an opinion decidedly in favor of the practicability of arresting the flow of the mining debris, confining the waters of the rivers to their channels, and generally favorable to the solution of the problem which the Board of Drainage Commissioners was created to solve. He appears to have the clearest possible conception of the necessity of remedial action, and of the difficulties to be overcome, and his conclusions are in favor of the practicability and economic value of the work. Last evening he was called upon at the Arcade by Hon. Jabez Turner, Hon. N. Greene Curtis, Hon. S. C. Denson, L. S. Taylor and representatives of the press, to whom he described quite at length and in a very interesting manner the methods by which the improvements upon the Mississippi rive have been effected, and by which the Sacramento can also be improved and the fast-accruing danger averted.

THE NEW CAPITOL FENCE.

The Capitol Commissioners yesterday opened the bids for furnishing stone and building the new Capitol-grounds fence. The bids were as follows:

L. E. Knowles & Co., Oakland—Post for entrance gates, Crystal Lake or Rocklin granite, $1,650; Penryn, $1,700; Pino, $1,600. Fender-block, without iron work Crystal Lake, $1,500; Pino and Rocklin, $1,300; Penryn, $1,400. Coping, per foot, Crystal Lake and Penryn, $10; Pino and Rocklin, $9.

Calvin Nutting & Son—Cut and set Folsom granite posts, each $1,375. Coping, per foot, $10 25.

Wm. Johnston, San Francisco — Folsom granite, iron fence and posts, $3 48 per foot. Bracket scrolls or fenders, $24 each.

P. S. Morris, Sacramento—Granite, per pier, with fender, $795 50; coping per foot, $7; platforms per foot, $6.

John R. Sims, San Francisco—Iron fence, $3 25 per foot.

James McGuire, Sacramento—Iron fence, $3 per foot; scroll and fenders, $15 each.

Pioneer Iron Works, San Francisco—Iron fence, $3 20 per foot; iron scrolls, fenders, etc., $17 50 each.

Pioneer Iron Works, San Francisco—Iron railing, $2 65 per foot, painting not included; scrolls or fenders $16 each, painting not included.

C. Zwickel, Sacramento—For the fence, $2 20 per foot.

G. Griffith, Penryn—Granite posts each $1,300; coping, 2 by 2 set, per foot, $10; coping cut outside and top, $9 50 per foot; coping cut on top and massive lines, $8 50 per foot; stones delivered on the ground; posts each $1,100; coping cut all around, $8 50; coping cut outside and top, $8; coping cut top and margin lines, $7 50.

Carlan & Kirk, Sacramento—Granite, all set, and foundations, each pier, $1,497; coping, according to plans, per foot, $8 70; coping, with one quarry face and one fine cut face, per foot, $7 75; coping with two quarry faces, per foot, $6 75; each fender, complete, $30.

Bigelow & Morris, San Francisco—Iron fence, $1 95 per foot, painted; the same in position, $2 25; fender scrolls, delivered, $20 each.

City Iron Works, San Francisco—Iron fence, per foot, $7 75, but not set in place; fenders, $8 each.

Phœnix Iron Works, San Francisco—Iron railing, per foot, $3 24; fenders, each, $20.

J. G. Plummer & Co., Sacramento—In bulk, $22,299 60; piers, delivered, each, $795; granite, delivered, $7 25 per lineal foot. Delivering iron, per lineal foot, $319.

John Lee, Sacramento—Rocklin granite piers, with fender blocks and foundation, all set, $14 20; same without foundation or setting, $12 90; furnish and set coping with foundations complete, per foot, $12; same, without setting or foundation, $11; same, quarry face set with foundation, $8 50; same, without setting or foundation, $7 50; fender blocks complete, each, $25.

A. J. Burnett, Sacramento—Foundations and placing of sidewalk back, 77 cents per cubic foot; granite copings, dressed on top and wash on each side, with joints, etc., $6 per foot; gate entrance piers, each $9 60; fender blocks, $150 each, or ashlar dressed all around, $8 per foot.

William Gutenberger—Iron fence for $3 22, painted and delivered; delivered, but not put up, $2; for each fender, $12 45.

J. C. Devine, Sacramento—Ashlar, per foot, with concrete foundation, and taking up sidewalk and sod on the margin and relaying same, $9 per lineal foot; posts for piers, $1,100 each; fender posts, $200 each; ashlar, dressed on washes and on top to receive iron railing, at $7 per foot, including concrete foundation and sidewalk and relaying sod.

C. H. Krebs & Co., Sacramento—For painting the fence, 22 cents per running foot; entrance scrolls, $1 35