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TO LET—HANDSOMELY FURNISHED ROOMS (with or without board), in family. No. 809 I street, between Eight and Ninth. au13-1w*

BOARD IN SANTA CRUZ—IN A PRIVATE family, for eight dollars per week, payable in advance. Address au13-1w MRS. E. VAN VALKENBURGH.

TO LET—A RARE CHANCE—A BAKERY, having a good run of business, with bake oven, and privilege of five rooms for dwelling; will be let cheap. Inquire of R. ORTH, southwest corner Twelfth and I streets. au11-1w*

OMNIBUS.

FOR SALE—ONE MEDIUM-SIZE OMNIBUS, nearly new; has been run but three months. Will be sold for nearly one-half of original cost. Apply to or address, MARIN COUNTY JOURNAL, San Rafael, Cal. jy28-1m

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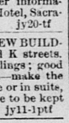
150 GRADED RAMS,—SPANISH MERINO—from original importation, at Rancho Del Paso (Norris Ranch) [au2-tf] JOHN MACKEY

MULES FOR SALE—EIGHT CHOICE Young MULES, well broken to lead and to work. Inquire of B. R. CROCKER, ESQ.; or, ADAMS, McNEILL & CO., Front and L streets, Sacramento. jy27-tf



DRUG STORE FOR SALE.—THE BEST opening in the State, located in one of the Northern counties. Special inducements offered to a good Physician. Reason for selling, parties wish to go East. For further information, apply to DANIEL WOODS, Union Hotel, Sacramento. jy20-tf

FURNISHED ROOMS.—CLUNIE'S NEW BUILDing, northeast corner Eighth and K streets. Accommodations unsurpassed; high ceilings; good ventilation; new furniture and carpets—make the most desirable rooms in the city. Single or in suite, by the day, week or month. The house to be kept strictly first-class. Terms moderate. jy11-1ptf

YOLO BREWERY FOR SALE OR RENT!

THE UNDERSIGNED DESIRES TO SELL OR rent to a responsible party her undivided one-half interest in the well-known and well established YOLO BREWERY, together

With Five Acres of Land, in Woodland.

☞ For particulars, apply to the undersigned, adjoining the premises. MRS. BRIDGET MILLER. Woodland, July 21, 1880. jy23-1m

DENTISTRY.

W. WOOD,

DENTIST—No. 317 J street, between Third and Fourth. Artificial Teeth inserted on all bases. Improved Liquid Nitrous Oxide Gas, for the Painless Extraction of Teeth. [jy24-tf]

DR. W. H. HARE,

DENTIST.—OFFICE, NO. 605 J STREET, between Sixth and Seventh, over Katzenstein & Bradley's Millinery Store. jy17-1ptf

W. O. THRALKILL, D. D. S.

OFFICE AND DENTAL DEPOT: Masonic Temple, Sacramento, California. Editor and Publisher of the DENTAL JAIRUS, a Monthly Journal of Dental Science. jy12-1plm

WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELRY

WILLIAM E. MILLER

(Late with Floberg).

NO. 190 J STREET, NEAR SEVENTH, Watchmaker and Jeweler. Importer and Dealer in Watches, Silverware, Jewelry, etc. Repairing a specialty, under Robert Marsh. All country orders promptly attended to. [jy29-1ptf]

J. B. KLUNE.

(Late with Wachhorst, and successor to Floberg,)

WATCHMAKER AND JEWELER, No. 60 J street, between Second and Third. Dealer in Watches, Clocks, Silverware, Jewelry, etc. Repairing in all its branches a specialty, under MR. FLOBERG. [au8-1plm]

G. GRIFFITH'S

PENRYN

GRANITE WORKS

PENRYN, CAL.

THE BEST VARIETY AND Largest Quarries on the Pacific Coast. Polished Granite Monuments, Tombstones and Tablets made to order.

Granite Building Stone

Cut, Dressed and Polished to order. jy11-1p6m

CHICKERING & SONS

PIANOS!

No. 820 J Street.....Sacramento.

WAREROOMS:

No. 23 Dupont street - - San Francisco.

L. K. HAMMER,

SOLE AGENT FOR THE PACIFIC COAST.

Pianos sold on installments, if desired, and for rent. Old instruments taken in exchange for new. Orders for tuning carefully attended to. m20-1plm

STAR MILLS AND MALT HOUSE.

NEUBOURG & LAGES,

NOS. 50, 52 AND 54 FIFTH ST., SACRAMENTO, dealers in Produce and Brewers' Supplies. Manufacturers of Malt and all kinds of Meals, etc. Oatmeal, Cornmeal, Cracked Wheat, Graham Flour Buckwheat Flour, etc. New Grain Bags for sale. jy17-1ptf

STEINWAY & SONS' PIANOS.

A. HEYMAN, SOLE AGENT, 1 street, bet. Sixth and Seventh, opposite Court-house. PIANOS TO LET. Pianos sold on installments. au3-3plm

HALE & CO., CRITERION STORE.

"The Men that Have Turned the World Upside Down, Have Come Hither Also"

☞ THERE IS JUST NOW A DREAD FEAR PERVADING THE WHOLE DRY GOODS TRADE OF SACRAMENTO. THE APPEARANCE OF OUR HOUSE IN THIS CITY HAS SPREAD A VERITABLE PALL ON SOME OF THEIR COUNTERS, AND EVEN THE SO-CALLED LIVE HOUSE IS EVIDENTLY AFFLICTED WITH THE "CHILLS."

How is it that such a small house as HALE BROS.', and with but little pretentions, has leaped into such prominence? The reason is simple:

First—The people do not care about trading with those who, years ago, when they had no opposition, bled them so unmercifully.

Second—New firms sprang into existence, preaching a new doctrine, their escutcheon bearing the motto:

"One Price, and Cash Basis!"

And the Battle-cry, "DOWN WITH HIGH PRICES!" and success crowned their effort for a time; but, alas! "HOW ARE THE MIGHTY FALLEN!" Having gained the confidence of the people, they could not resist the temptation of raising the price, and yet they carry the old insignia. But to-day, you may write, "Icabod," upon those houses: "FOR THE GLORY IS DEPARTED FROM THEM!" They have the form without the power. The people have somewhat against them. "That they have left their first love!" The confidence of the people has been abused, and therefore lost. They still have a few baits to catch the unwary; but, as a lady remarked to us but yesterday, "They have a few cheap embroideries—(see ours)—but my husband, on principle, won't let me purchase them!" Such were the words used. These are the reasons why these houses degenerated so quickly, and lifted "THE CRITERION" upon its pedestal. Our first house was established nearly forty years ago, and we point with pride to its record, and that of its branches. The Golden Rule holds good in each and all. From first to last, there is is no stain upon the HALE FLAG, and it flaunts from Michigan to the Pacific; it is a good, steady old-fashioned American House, practising what it preaches, and therefore it has the supreme confidence of all classes. The volume of business in each house grows daily—it is a healthy sign. We, in Sacramento, are barely out of our swaddling clothes, and yet we are recognized as an institution of the city. Only a few weeks in Sacramento, and our house is progressing with gigantic strides—we don't care who knows it. We know that so long as we keep in the same track—keeping faith with the people—

WE HAVE LITTLE TO DREAD

—FROM—

BIG LEVIATHANS OR LITTLE FISH!!

Our success is an assured fact. We are aware that "OUR CRITERION" is a long distance from some parts of the city, but it is the shortest route to ECONOMY; and while other houses are plastering the public with PRICES ON PAPER, we are fighting a legitimate battle, by producing the goods on the counter, and we believe if a charge of dynamite were to explode in the midst of our opponents, they would not be more astonished than at this exposition of our takings.

ONE WORD IN CONCLUSION.

We don't wish to get rich too fast. We don't poach upon the lady who has probably spent some years of her existence in learning the beautiful art of Millinery; nor do we interfere with the legitimate Hat Maker in the prosecution of his business; or the Shoemaker his trade; or substract aught from the Jeweler; or jumble up some six or seven businesses in one, under the guise of DRY GOODS.

WE ARE NO MONOPOLISTS.

We mean to give our undivided attention to our own legitimate business, and fight that business legitimately against all other houses. Now, let the people judge. We question whether it is wise or honest to lose money on a pair of boots, and make the hat customer pay for it; or, whether in the long run it will pay to lose money on Jewelry at the expense of the purchaser of Dry Goods. We have now done.

WE CARE NOTHING ABOUT THE SNEERS OR INNUENDOES OF OUR COMPETITORS OR PERSONAL INVECTIVE. OUR SCHOOLING HAS BEEN SOMEWHAT OF A HIGHER GRADE, AND THEREFORE PRECLUDES THE POSSIBILITY OF OUR DIRT-THROWING.

WE GIVE ALL CLASSES AN INVITATION TO SEE US. YOU SHALL (EVEN THE "POOREST OF THE POOR") RECEIVE EVERY COURTESY.

WE ARE IN CONSTANT RECEIPT OF CONSIGNMENTS FROM NEW YORK AND SAN FRANCISCO, AT

HALE BROS.'

"CRITERION"

No. 812 K street, Sacramento.

HALE'S CALIFORNIA STORES:

O. A. HALE & CO., Nos. 419 and 421 First street, SAN JOSE.

HALE & CO., STOCKTON.

HALE BROS. & CO., PETALUMA.

HALE & CO., SALINAS.

MECHANICS' STORE.

NO GAIN IS SO CERTAIN

AS THAT WHICH PROCEEDS FROM THE

Economical Use

—OF—

What You Have!

Another Chance now offers itself for Ladies of this vicinity to make money by saving it!

WE HAVE JUST SECURED A

Large and Beautiful Line

—OF—

RIBBONS!

—IN—

Plain, Gros Grain,
Satin-faced, Double-faced,
Satin and Gros Grain

—AND—

Fancy Ribbons,

At uncommonly low figures, and, as usual, we propose to give our customers the full benefit of our bargains.

THESE GOODS WILL BE SOLD IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER:

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 11,

AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON,

THEY WILL BE READY FOR INSPECTION AND SALE,

IN OUR FANCY GOODS DEPARTMENT.

We shall divide the entire line into 6 separate and distinct lots:

LOT 1 Will consist of various lengths of from 1 to 3 yards each, in plain and gros grain ribbon, at..... 9c per length.

LOT 2 Will contain lengths of from 1 to 4 yards each, in all shades of gros grain and fancy ribbons, at..... 14c per length.

LOT 3 Will include a variety of many new and fashionable shades of satin and double-faced ribbons in various widths and lengths, at..... 23c per length.

LOT 4 Will consist of lengths, varying from 2 to 5 yards, in gros grain, satin, double-faced and fancy ribbons, at..... 34c per length.

LOT 5 Will embrace a large assortment of many new and fashionable shades, in wide and medium widths of satin, double-faced and fancy ribbons, in lengths of from 1½ to 6 yards, at..... 47c per length.

LOT 6 Will be a miscellaneous lot, and will consist of lengths, varying from ½ to 5 yards.....at prices from 3 to 75c per length.

☞ We are satisfied our lady patrons will not be slow in appreciating these unusual bargains, and, judging from past experience, it will take perhaps half the expected time to dispose of the entire lot.

It is hardly necessary for us to repeat that the earliest comers will gain the advantage of having the largest variety to select from; but even those who should come later cannot help but find a great deal in this line of goods that will prove of interest and profit to them.

REMEMBER,

The Sale Commences at 12 o'clock noon on WEDNESDAY, August 11th.

Until September 1st, we shall continue to close our Stores at 7 o'clock P. M., Saturdays and Pay-Days at the Railroad Shops excepted.

MECHANICS' STORE,

Nos. 400, 402, 404, 406, 408 K street.

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Those living outside of Sacramento should send for a Price List and Samples of our DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, HATS, MILLINERY, BOOTS and SHOES.

ADDRESS ALL LETTERS:

WEINSTOCK & LUBIN - - - SACRAMENTO, CAL.

SATURDAY'S DISPATCHES

[SPECIAL TO THE RECORD-UNION.]

EASTERN POLITICAL GOSSIP.

Reported Fusion of Democrats and Greenbackers in Nebraska.

PASSENGERS COMING WEST BY RAIL.

A Colorado Railroad Station Blown to Atoms with Powder.

THE CENSUS FRAUDS IN THE SOUTH.

Frightful Accident on a Wharf at Mount Hope, Mass.

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS OF FOREIGN NEWS.

France to Withdraw from the European Movement Against Turkey.

Etc.....Etc.....Etc.

DOMESTIC NEWS.

Eastern Politics.

GREENBACK-DEMOCRAT FUSION.

OMAHA, August 14th.—It is reliably reported that the Democrats and Greenbackers of Nebraska are forming a fusion combination, and will make a united effort to defeat the Republicans this Fall. This agreement is that the electoral ticket shall consist of four Democratic and three Greenback candidates. The Greenbackers are allowed to name the candidates for Governor and Auditor, and the Democrats are to have the remaining positions on the ticket. TheSenatorial and Representative candidates for the Legislature are to come from both parties, the places to be distributed as equitably as possible. The Greenbackers' State Convention, which was to meet at Wahoo on the first Wednesday in September, has been postponed to meet at the same time and place with the Democratic State Convention.

A CONGRESSIONAL DEADLOCK.

OMAHA, August 14th.—The Republican Congressional Convention for the Eighth District of Iowa, after a two days' session at Council Bluffs, and after casting 170 ballots without making a nomination, adjourned this afternoon until 2 P. M. next Tuesday. Colonel W. F. Sapp, of Council Bluffs, the present incumbent, received 54 votes all through, requiring only three more to be nominated. Major Anderson received 36½, W. P. Hepburn 13½, and John Y. Stone 9.

THE TAMMANY DEMOCRATS.

NEW YORK, August 14th.—The Tammany Democratic State Committee, of which John H. Colby is Chairman, has issued an address to the Democracy and called a Convention of the party to assemble at Albany on September 8th, for the purpose of nominating a Democratic State ticket.

THE INDIANA CAMPAIGN.

INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.), August 14th.—The Democratic State Central Committee opened the campaign to-day. Over two hundred speakers will deliver addresses in the various cities and towns of the State.

Crooked Census Returns.

CHICAGO, August 14th.—The *Tribune's* Washington special, respecting Southern census frauds, says: The editor of the Washington *Republican*, who was banished from South Carolina, on account of his Republicanism, and who is familiar with every county in the State, in analyzing the returns from counties which show an increase, says: "Take, for instance, the county of Kershaw. Its increase from 1870 to 1880 is 9,427, or about 80 per cent. in ten years. Only one railroad touches this county, and that until recently ran one passenger coach every day. There is no factory or mine in the county. It is purely agricultural in its industries, and its largest town, Camden, is a place of about 1,000 inhabitants, half of them white. It is, perhaps, the sleepiest place on the continent. The growth of the county in the past fifty years has been backward instead of forward. In 1829 it contained 13,645 persons, and in 1870, fifty years after, it had but 11,754—a loss of 1,791. But from 1870 to 1880 it springs so 21,181. If these figures do not excite General Walker's suspicions, they will certainly excite those of the country. We would like to rest our case upon Kershaw county. If General Walker will furnish the men and means, we will undertake to prove that the census of Kershaw is a fraud within ten days. If this was a Western State, this phenomenal increase could easily be explained by the influx of emigrants from the older States and from abroad; but in South Carolina no such explanations are applicable. There are not probably 1,000 more foreigners in the State than there were in 1860, and she has lost more than she has gained by the movement of her native population."

Colorado Railroad Station Blown to Splinters.

DENVER (Col.), August 14th.—A *Times* special from Como gives a brief account of an accident which occurred at Red Hill, a small station on the South Park Road, last night. About 12 o'clock a fire broke out in the depot, which caused the explosion of about 1,000 pounds of powder, which blew the depot and every building in the place to atoms. The agent, F. E. Collyer, was badly injured by burns and cuts, and is not expected to live. His assistant, Charley Hilton, was killed, and two other men badly injured. Further particulars of the explosion are to the effect that Frank E. Collyer, agent; T. J. Conway, assistant agent, and Chas. Glenn, freighter, were sitting in the depot awaiting the down train when the explosion occurred. When the Fair Play coach reached the scene of the disaster soon after, the passengers found Charles Hilton, an employe, fearfully mangled, not a stitch of clothing save one sock being found on him. Collyer was severely wounded about the head, and it is feared his skull is broken. Conway was internally injured but not fatally. Glenn was wounded about the body, but not seriously. His coat was split from the neck down. The ground on which the depot, freight house, eating house, saloon and forwarding house stood, is now bare. The buildings were blown into splinters from the size of a toothpick to that of fine kindling wood. Not one stick on another remains of the five buildings. It is said that twelve cases of giant powder were in the freight house, but this is a mere rumor, and there is some mystery about the affair. Agent Collyer, who has recovered consciousness, says that there was no powder about the place. The wounded were removed to Fairplay. It is said that the stage driver caught a scoundrel breaking in the safe after the explosion.

Mexican Border Affairs.

WASHINGTON, August 14th.—A thorough investigation of the recent violation of the neutrality laws by Mexico, in giving protection to prisoners escaped from New Laredo, Texas, has been begun by the State Department. The first thing was to call upon the United States Consul at New Laredo to investigate the matter and report, and also to obtain from the War Department any reports which army officers may have made. The Secretary of War gave the necessary instructions, and the military report is expected in a few days. It is known that the Mexican Government has assured United States Minister Morgan that the protection given to the escaped prisoners was not by the Mexican authorities, nor with their sanction, and the Mexican Government had nothing to do with the matter. The American officials are inclined to adopt this view, and to believe that there is nothing in the facts to indicate that the Mexican Government has violated the Guadalupe Hidalgo treaty. The State Department officials says there is no ill feeling on the Mexican border between the two nationalities, and that there is not likely to be any trouble.

Accident on a Wharf.

FALL RIVER (Mass.), August 14th.—The wharf at Mount Hope, upon which was a large crowd of excursionists, broke down at twenty minutes before nine o'clock this evening. There must have been a number lost, but it is impossible to ascertain to-night how many. The affair is exaggerated, but, owing to the darkness, there being no lights on the wharf, it cannot be ascertained to-night whether or not any person was drowned. The wharf parted in the middle, precipitating from fifty to seventy five persons into the trough. Many of them clung to the wharf, and others plunged into the water. Many were taken out unconscious and almost lifeless, but were resuscitated. The news of the accident to a portion of the spinners' excursion party at Mount Hope occasioned great anxiety in the city, and hundreds of anxious ones at once rushed to the landing to learn the news of their friends. At midnight the last boatload came over. The City Marshal was one of the party, and reports the excitement at the scene of the accident as intense, and the screams of those who had fallen added to the confusion. Owing to the tide, the water was not more than five to seven feet deep, and it is believed that not more than two persons were drowned, although it is impossible, on account of the darkness, to obtain accurate information as to the casualties. A number of people are known to have been injured.

Pacific Coast Knights En Route.

OMAHA, August 14th.—The California excursion train of ten Pullman coaches, having on board one hundred and fifty Knights Templar, one hundred ladies and the Second California Regimental Band of twenty-one pieces, arrived here this afternoon. There were fifteen Commanderies from California in five divisions, one Commandery from Oregon, one from Nevada, one from Montana and one from Utah. At Council Bluffs they were met by a delegation from St. Bernard Commandery of Chicago. They went to Chicago over the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy in two special trains, elaborately decorated with flowers, banners, etc. The Nebraska Knights leave by special train over the Chicago and Rock Island to-morrow morning. The Wyoming delegation passed through this afternoon. The Colorado delegation will pass through to-morrow afternoon.

CHICAGO, August 14th.—Most of the Commanderies will be here to-morrow, and all will reach town on Monday. The streets already show the influx, and delegations of visitors are now coming by special and extra large regular trains. From eight to ten thousand are expected from St. Louis.

An Ex-Husband's Revenge.

BATH (N. Y.), August 14th.—About 5 o'clock this afternoon, K. E. Parkhurst, a young lawyer of this village, shot and killed Fannie Howell, the daughter of a prominent merchant here, and killed himself. They were married about four years ago, but immediately divorced. They were in a room in a hotel when the tragedy occurred. The young man and woman belonged to the best families in the place, and quite a romance is connected with their lives. Six or seven years ago they were married at a picnic, but their parents interfered, and the Courts declared the marriage null and void. Since arriving at age Parkhurst desired remarriage, but the girl's parents objected, and ill feeling was engendered. To-day Parkhurst again tried to persuade the girl to live with him, and upon her refusal he drew a revolver, shooting her and then himself.

A Fierce Storm.

CASTROVILLE (Tex.), August 14th.—Hando Mills was washed away last night. The Medina river is exceedingly high and still rising. The water has reached the second story of Cannon's mills. At Indianola, on Thursday evening, the water of the Gulf rose to the depth of three feet throughout the town. The wind was forty-eight miles an hour. A number of people left the city by railroad for Lavara. On the morning of the 13th the water rose very rapidly. The wind reached the rate of seventy-five miles an hour. The track and ties of the Morgan Railroad were literally lifted from the bed and carried half a mile by the wind. No lives lost. The water and wind have entirely subsided.

Shooting at Creedmoor.

NEW YORK, August 14th.—A long-range rifle match between Canada and the United States teams took place to-day at Creedmoor. The shooting began at 10:15. The firing was rapid, and in about an hour each side had finished work at the 300 yards range. Following is the score: Americans, 439; Canadians, 427. At 900 yards the score was: Americans, 416; Canadians, 407. Wind and rain prevailed. At 1,000 yards the Americans made 418; Canadians, 401. The grand total was 1,273 out of a possible 1,350 for the Americans, or an average of 212 in a possible 225. Pleasant speeches were made at the conclusion of the shooting.

Items from Denver.

DENVER, August 14th.—Dan. Linehan, a whisky dealer at Buena Vista, last night fatally shot Deputy Sheriff Murray Farnsworth, and slightly wounded Rath Eastman, another officer. A disturbance occurred in Linehan's establishment, all having been drinking. Pistols were drawn, and Farnsworth's first shot extinguished the lamps, after which thirteen shots were fired in the dark. Farnsworth was shot through the heart.

Frank Kappler, a German, was burned to death at the City Hospital at Silver Cliff to-night. He fell out of bed and pulled a lamp over on himself.

Tannerized.

NEW YORK, August 14th.—Chas. Riley, 36 years old, was found yesterday in a space inclosed by piles of lumber near Pier 47, almost dead from starvation. He says that about ten days ago he went to Pier 47 to look for work, having had very little food for ten days. He climbed up on a pile of lumber to rest, and accidentally rolled into the space where he was found. Weakness prevented him from climbing out, and his voice was not strong enough to cry for help. He had laid for ten days without food, exposed to the weather, and expecting each day that he would die.

Exports and Imports of Coin.

WASHINGTON, August 14th.—An official statement of imports and exports of specie for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1880, has been prepared at the Treasury Department. In regard to the movement of gold, it shows that during the last fiscal year the imports of gold to the United States amounted to $77,153,331, a larger gain than ever before in the history of the country. The figures in regard to the exports and imports of silver are not as complete as desired, but are sufficiently full to show that the United States exported much more silver than it imported.

A Heavy Failure.

DETROIT (Mich.), August 14th.—Business circles were wholly taken by surprise this forenoon to learn of the assignment of Thomas McGraw, President of the Globe Tobacco Company, and also of the Michigan Savings Bank, and a large real estate owner. The cause of his failure is said to be large losses in wool transactions, and overloading himself with real estate. His assets are roughly figured at $250,000, and his liabilities represent a much larger figure, but cannot yet be stated.

Best on Record.

BUFFALO, August 14th.—John Dobler of Chicago won O'Leary's 72-hour pedestrian contest, making 414 miles, being the best on record in a contest of this kind.

A Humorous Census-Taker.

NEW YORK, August 14th.—John J. Murphy a cripple of 156 Prince street, one of the United States census enumerators, was held for examination to-day by United States Commissioner Shields on a charge of making out false and fictitious census returns in violation of United States statutes. As residents of 119½ Green street, a house of ill-fame, he had entered the names of James A. Garfield of Ohio, book-keeper; Chester A. Arthur of New York, collector; Edward Cooper of New York, glue-maker; James Conkling of New York, notion storekeeper; John Fox of New York, liquor-store proprietor; James B. Blaine, of Maine, stock-broker; Samuel Tilden of New York, money-broker, and Lewis Sanford of New York, cook. The prisoner says he was given these names by people at the house, but residents there say they gave him their proper names, and that Murphy must have altered them. The penalty of the offense is $5,000 and two years' imprisonment.

Collapsed Bull Fight.

NEW YORK, August 14th.—The bull fight which was to have come off this afternoon was postponed until Wednesday, on account of the threatening weather. Superintendent Hatfield, of Bergh's Society, was present with twelve men and Police Captain Leary, with thirty officers, but their services were not required. Deputy Sheriff Snyder has attached the animals for a board bill of about $600 claimed by Serapia Hotiaga, a Spanish hostler.

Our Surplus Wheat.

NEW YORK, August 14th.—The *Commercial Bulletin*, accepting the most liberal estimates advanced as to the import requirements of Europe, and reducing Russia's probable export to an extreme minimum, the quantity of wheat required for our use will be under 100,000,000 bushels. Yet we are likely to have some 235,000,000 available for other purposes than our ordinary domestic consumption. Nothing but exceedingly low prices will enable this enormous surplus to be disposed of.

He Drove into the Lake.

SPRING LAKE (Minn.), August 14th.—R. T. Smiley drove into the lake to water his horses to-day, with his wife and three boys, aged sixteen, ten and one year, in the wagon with him. The horses became restless and unmanageable, and overturned the wagon. The three boys were drowned, and his wife barely saved herself. Smiley is nearly crazed with grief.

Taking the Black Veil.

BALTIMORE, August 14th.—Fifty-five young women took the black veil to-day in the Convent of Notre Dame at Gormanstown, near this city. Trains from Baltimore to Gormanstown were crowded in the morning with relatives and friends of the postulants. The ceremony was imposing and impressive, and was witnessed by a crowded congregation.

Freight Trains Ditched.

DENVER (Col.), August 14th.—A northbound freight train, on the Denver and Rio Grande Railroad, ran into a washout about ten miles south of Littleton this evening. The engine and three cars were ditched, and the engineer, named Nolan, so badly injured that he died in a few hours. The fireman was only slightly hurt.

Westward-bound Passengers.

OMAHA, August 14th.—The following through passengers passed here on to-day's train, leaving at 12:15 P. M., to arrive in Sacramento August 18th: Isaac N. Taylor, Katie D. Smith, Noah F. Flood, A. Harbengding, San Francisco; Mrs. J. E. Chamberlin, Mrs. Charles Atwood, Chicago; Mrs. A. W. Lee, Watsonville, Cal.; Albert H. Walker, Hartford, Conn.; P. H. Case and wife, Mrs. H. P. Calder, Santa Barbara; Eliza A. Flood, Kearny, Mo.; Miss E. L. Cullen, Oakland.

Also fifty-one through emigrants left on last night's emigrant train, to arrive in Sacramento August 21st.

FOREIGN NEWS.

General News from London.

LONDON, August 14th.—Mr. Gladstone's recovery has been rapid, and it is expected that he will attend the House of Commons next week. He was present to-day at the Cabinet Council, which had much important business to consider.

France is resolved to withdraw from the combined European movement against Turkey if any steps are proposed beyond moral suasion. Gambetta's speech at Cherburg shows why she pursues this course. The German press manifests considerable anxiety. The attitude of France disappoints many Liberals, though the close relations of Sir Charles Dilke and Gambetta enables the Foreign Office to understand the French ex-Dictator's real motives. The attitude of France behooves Mr. Gladstone to move circumspectly. If too impetuous he may leave the other powers behind and precipitate a conflict. At present nothing but a naval promenade has been agreed to, and that will prove ineffective.

The seizure of arms at Cork is generally regarded as a melo-drama performance for effect in New York. Only 57 old smooth-bore muskets were stolen, and 20 have been recovered. The fact that 50 men suddenly assembled, nearly all with revolvers, on hearing that the ship possessed arms, is very significant. Secret societies have developed lately, and it is alleged that many Irish-Americans have arrived. The agrarian murder at New Ross is not attributed to the rejection of the Compensation bill. The plots against the victims are of older date. The projected popular demonstrations have not been successful. The Clonmel meeting was a notable failure. Many Dublin correspondents assert, notwithstanding the agitation in a few places, that there is an unmistakable improvement in public opinion in Ireland.

The Chinese Embassador's journey to St. Petersburg creates some interest. Before leaving London he talked of issuing letters of marque. Many Europeans have been engaged for the Chinese forces.

According to reports from Bucharest, 45,000 Russians are concentrating near the border, so as to be ready in the event of the action of Bulgaria. Transportation of munitions, horses, commissary stores and troops, is continually going on near the Roumanian frontier. A steamer arrived at Galatz recently with Russian artillery and ambulances destined for Bulgaria. It is also stated that the Russians are concentrating at Radculoff on the Austrian frontier.

The trial by Court-martial of Sergeant Marshman for false marking at Wimbiedon began at Gosport yesterday. The charges include offenses in 1878 and 1879. On the opening of the Court, to-day, the prosecution stated that one of his principal witnesses had been knocked down and kicked by persons who had profited by Marshman's practices.

The Afghanistan Situation.

LONDON, August 14th.—Following is a verbatim copy of a dispatch received by the *Daily News* from its correspondent at St. Petersburg last night: "I have grave reasons to believe that Ayoob Khan has been acting in concert with, and has been assisted by, Abdurrahman Khan, and that the worst suspicions are not without some foundation. I would assuredly not send such disconcerting intelligence except on the most serious grounds." The expression "worst suspicions" is interpreted to refer to Russian intriguers, or possibly to rumors of actual Russian co-operation with Ayoob Khan.

A dispatch from Quettah says: Fresh native reports state that Ayoob Khan intends to attack Candahar. His hesitation to attack does not arise from lack of confidence in his capacity, but because he is uncertain whether to attack by escalade or to sap and mine.

BERLIN, August 14th.—The dead Afghan mentioned on the 12th as having been found in the road from Samarcand to Russia is supposed to be an emissary to Russia. He was an Afghan chief, who was attached to Abdurrahman before the latter left Turkistan. He was the bearer of dispatches from Abdurrahman to General Kauffman.

The Penalty of Having Opinions.

KIEFF (Russia), August 14th.—The Military District Court has just tried twenty-one individuals charged with forming a society for forcibly overthrowing the existing order of the State. Two were sentenced to death, three to twenty years penal servitude and sixteen to hard labor for terms varying from ten to fifteen years.

Trying a Cable.

PARIS, August 14th.—Experiments with the submarine cable from Brest to Penzance were made yesterday in the presence of the Director of the French cable and others. A new system, invented by Dr. Herz, was very successful. The Bell and Phelps system governed the experiments. Edison's system failed.

Belligerent Bulgaria.

BUCHAREST, August 14th.—Bulgaria positively refuses to cede Arab Tobia to Roumania, and there are large armed bands of Bulgarians in that vicinity. Roumania has taken measures to occupy a position immediately on the receipt of notification from the Powers.

An Indecent Editor.

PARIS, August 14th.—Diamont, manager of the newspaper *Gil Blas*, has been sentenced to a month's imprisonment, and to pay a fine of 500 francs for indecent publication.

Horses for the Grecian Army.

ATHENS, August 14th.—A vessel arrived to-day from Trieste with 280 horses, the first instalment of 1,400 purchased in Hungary for the army.

Not Yet Received.

ST. JOHN (N. B.), August 14th.—Wallace Ross, the oarsman, has not yet received Leahy's acceptance of his challenge, said to have been forwarded from San Francisco.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Avaellanda, President of the Argentine Republic, has resigned.

One Delong, a Swiss citizen, has been ordered to quit France, being regarded as a dangerous Socialist.

There have been fresh floods in several districts in Upper Silesia, Austria, causing enormous damage.

The marriage of Lady Burdett-Coutts and Ashmead Bartlett will take place on Tuesday at the Chapel Royal, Savoy.

The Prince of Roumelia will soon send a special Envoy to the United States to announce the independence of Roumelia.

Burglars stole £12,000 worth of jewelry and plate from the residence of Lord Eldon, near Wareham, Eng., recently.

The mail contractor on the route between Fort Davis, Tex., and El Paso, New Mexico, asks for military protection against the Indians.

Jacob L. Dodge, who died at Harrisburg, Pa., on Thursday, was formerly a cattle dealer in California, where he amassed a considerable fortune.

Twenty coal cars were wrecked by the breaking of the iron bridge over the canal at the depot on the Reading Railroad, near Harrisburg, Pa., Saturday.

Previous to leaving for Windsor, Vt., the Secretary of State concluded his examination of the recent alleged insult to an American vessel in Spanish waters, and addressed a communication to the Sp