THE DAILY RECORD-UNION.

MONDAY.....SEPTEMBER 13, 1880.

Signal Corps Report—September 11, 1880.

TIME.	BAR	THR	HUM	WIND	RA'N	WEATH.
4:02 A. M.....	29.92	57	75	S. E. 5	....	Clear
7 A. M.....	29.96	61	71	S. E. 4	....	Clear
8:02 A. M.....	29.97	64	68	S. E. 5	....	Clear
2 P. M.....	29.91	84	40	S. W. 4	....	Clear
8:02 P. M.....	29.88	71	53	S. 7	....	Clear

Max. ther., 87 degrees. Min. ther., 54 degrees.

Weather Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, September 12th.—For Pacific coast: Clear or partly cloudy weather.

ADVERTISEMENT MENTION.

Furnished Rooms—Clunie Building.
Blacksmith shop for sale—Carl Strobel.
Entertainment I. O. G. T.—To-night.
Lost Necklace—I X L Store.
Hospital Supplies—County Clerk.
E. of H. California Lodge—To-night.
Notice from M. Dodsworth.
Card of Thanks—P. J. Hickman.
County Printing—County Clerk.
Wanted, a Girl—Ben Dean.

Auction Sale.

Martin Pflug—10 A. M. to-day.

Business Advertisements.

J. I. Felter & Co., Liquors and Cigars.
Johnston Brandy and Wine Company—To Grape Growers.
Dr. W. A. Briggs.
National Gold Bank of D. O. Mills & Co.
G. Griffiths—Penryn Granite.
First Artillery Band—E. W. Davis.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

HOME AGAIN.—The First Artillery Regiment has returned from Camp Backus, at Alameda. It reached the city at 8 A. M. yesterday, per river steamer Modoc. The regiment at once left the boat and marched to J street, between Third and Fourth, where arms were stacked and the companies went to breakfast. At 12:15 P. M. the command again assembled, and under escort of the Sacramento Hussars, Captain F. Rubstaller, and the Sacramento Zouaves, Captain Sims Emory, marched up J to Tenth street, out Tenth to I, up I to Twelfth, up Twelfth to H, and countermarching in front of Governor Perkins' residence, returned along H to Tenth street, down Tenth to K, down K to Second and thence to the depot. At the corner of Seventh and K streets the regiment passed in review before Brigadier-General Sheehan. At the depot the command bade the Nevada Light Guard and the Yuba Light Infantry farewell, and then returned to the pavilion and was dismissed, that concluding the last day of the first excursion and encampment of the First Artillery Regiment. The officers and men speak of the encampment as a success and a pleasure. It proved, in fact, a school of instruction, and was of much value to all the members of the command. There was but one thing to mar the pleasure of the encampment, and that was the occurrence arising out of difficulties between the City Guard and the Sacramento Light Artillery. No part of the command received such warm compliments or was the subject of so much admiration as the company of cadets known as the Governor's Guard. The lads behaved like gentlemen, and won all hearts by their quiet demeanor, attention to duty, and their rapid progress in all the details of the manual and the school of the battalion. The Placerville Guard remained in the city last evening, and departs for its home on this morning's early train on the Sacramento Valley and Placerville Railroad. The city companies are warm in their praise of the country companies, and say that they never desire to have regimental association with more social, orderly and liberal-minded organizations.

THIEVES FOLLOWING THE CIRCUS.—The vigorous efforts of the Chief of Police during the presence of the circus in this city, in locking up a large number of suspicious characters following the circus, and keeping them till after it was over, has prevented the large number of robberies and pocket-picking which is reported from all parts of the coast where it has previously exhibited. A robbery which occurred at Woodland was on Saturday reported to Chief Karcher, by card from Sheriff Rahm of Yolo county, stating that on the 9th instant a large amount of jewelry was stolen from Wm. Rawson of Woodland, and giving a list and description of the articles taken. The Chief being satisfied that the robbery was committed by hanger-on thieves following the circus, went yesterday, accompanied by officers Jackson, Rider, Smith and Coffee, in search, and found a gang of nine, whom they took to the station-house, and on searching them found two who had a portion of the jewelry in their possession, who were locked up, and the remaining seven allowed to depart. Immediately afterward the officers recovered the balance of the jewelry from parties to whom they had sold it in this city. In connection with it there was also recovered two pistols, a fine gold cross, a set of plain gold studs, a silver watch and a fine long neck-chain, also a heavy silver tobacco or snuff-box, marked "Remember. San Francisco, August 15, 1870." These articles are supposed to be stolen, and owners for them are wanted. The two men held for the Woodland robbery gave their names as Frank Johnson and John Hogan, who claimed they came from Dixon to this city and beat their way on the train, yet claimed they had money when they came here. When asked by the Chief why they did not pay their way one of them replied, "Because we didn't feel like it," and further added, "You don't suppose we would pay our way and go hungry afterwards." On being questioned separately, they both claimed to have come on the same train, and yet their stories made them arrive here nearly twenty-four hours apart. They will probably be taken to Woodland to-day.

FREIGHT MOVEMENTS.—The following carloads of freight were received in this city since our last report: 2 of granite, 5 of wood, 18 of wheat, 2 of ties, 5 of crude oil, 1 of steel shoes, 1 of wine and brandy, 1 of leather, 4 of flour, 13 of cattle, 1 of sash and doors, 4 of nails, 3 of canned goods, 3 of hogs, 2 of bolts, 2 of hides, 4 of steel rails, 1 of wool, 1 tank of oil, 1 of furniture, 1 of wagons, 3 of canned fruit, 1 of iron, 1 of Boca beer, 48 of coal and 11 of lumber. The following through carloads East have also been forwarded: 15 of barley, 8 of canned goods, 3 of lumber, 50 of tea, 4 of silk, 1 of stallions, 2 of sugar, 1 of canned peas, 1 of wine and merchandise, 4 of wool, 1 of shells, 2 of rice, 1 of copper, 14 of salmon, 2 of coffee and 6 of merchandise.

INCORPORATIONS.—There have been filed in the office of the Secretary of State these articles of incorporation: The Asbestine Sub-irrigating Company, of San Benito county; place of business, Hollister. Directors—A. P. Boyd, Thomas Yost, Wm. Degener, James F. Breen. Capital stock, $4,000, in 800 shares of $5 each....The Soledad Gold and Silver Mining Company; place of business, Los Angeles. Directors—James Noll, James F. Wara, Ira W. Felt, P. Leon, W. P. Reynolds. Capital stock, $100,000, in 100,000 shares of $1 each....The Sanchez Gold and Silver Mining Company; same Directors, place of business and amount of capital stock.

FREE LIBRARY REPORT.—The following is the report of the City Free Library, Miss Hancock, Librarian, for the past week: Number of books issued, 575; of these, 469 were works of fiction and juvenile books; history, 17; biography, 14; travels, 24; general literature, 21; poetry, 8; drama, 5; theology, 4; science and art, 21. Average number issued per day, 82. Percentage of fiction over other works, 80. Average number of readers per day, 50.

CITY PAYMENTS.—The following paymenis were made into the city treasury for the week ending Saturday, September 11th: W. C. Farnsworth, cemetery dues, $69 50; R. D. Sriver, water rates, $646 75; N. A. Kidder, harbor dues, $15; Ed. H. McKee, school tuition of non-residents, $17 80; W. A. Henry, Police Court fines, $40; George A. Putnam, city licenses, $317 28; dog licenses, $2 40; street assessments, $411 16. Total, $1,519 89.

POLICE COURT.—The only business transacted at the Police Court on Saturday was: Agnes Miller fined $25, on charges of disturbing the peace; B. Irnsine, a drunk, discharged; and the case of battery placed against James McAllister was dismissed and he allowed to depart.

EN ROUTE TO SAN QUENTIN.—On Saturday Sheriff Boggs, of Colusa county, passed through the city en route to San Quentin with H. Fay, who is sentenced to a term of two years for grand larceny.

WITHOUT A DOUBT.—The finest assortment of gents' silk pocket handkerchiefs to be seen in Sacramento are in the Gents' Furnishing Goods Department, Mechanics' Store. Prices, from 75 cents to $2 50, with every conceivable style and pattern to select from. *

"OSTRICH FEATHERS," at the Mechanics' Store.

REPUBLICAN MEETING.

SPEECHES BY GENERAL JOHN F. MILLER AND LEONIDAS E. PRATT.

A Republican mass meeting was held on Second street, between J and K, on Saturday evening. A more inconvenient place for a meeting could not have been chosen, as up to half-past 8 o'clock the street cars ran through the crowd frequently, with jingling of bells and rattling of wheels. There were blowing whistles on the river front, the pushing of omnibusses and hacks through the audience, etc., until General Miller, after frequent and annoying interruptions, remarked: "If this thing is to go on, it will be rough work speaking here; but I suppose I can stand it if you can;" and at another point he said, "There are more noises, and of greater variety, to embarrass a speaker here, than I ever heard before." The meeting was also disturbed by the surging of the crowd on the walk back of the stand, the bustle about the restaurants there, and the laughing, chatting, and sometimes whooping crowds about the saloon doors. In short, not more than half of the speech of General Miller was heard by people more than ten feet from the stand, and the speaker was disconcerted and discouraged. The meeting was a good one, though not so large as it would have been but for two other large assemblages in the city—at the circus and at the camp meeting grounds—and because of the fact that Saturday night here is inopportune for a street meeting, as on that evening only the shops are all open, and many hundreds that would attend, give up the time to shopping, marketing, and to social pleasures incident to the close of the week. But the audience that assembled was large, representative, gave good attention and applauded approved sentiments warmly and deeply. Bon-fires blazed on the street corners, the stand was handsomely decorated, a good band was in attendance, and early in the evening the Boys in Blue, seventy-six strong, and wearing their neat new uniform, in red, white and blue colors, marched to the stand under the leadership of Vice-Commander John Dougherty.

The meeting was called to order by Jerome C. Davis, Chairman of the County Central Committee, who announced the officers of the meeting: President, W. A. Anderson; Vice-Presidents, Chris. Green, Wm. Cothrin, W. H. Mills, C. T. Wheeler, George E. Bates, W. R. Cantwell, James I. Felter, P. A. Miller, Henry Starr, J. T. Griffitts, N. L. Drew, John Ryan and Robert Miller. Secretaries, J. A. Woodson, Wm. J. Davis and Frank Ryan.

Mr. Anderson, on being introduced, made a stirring speech, reviewing and comparing the two great national conventions, and sketching the history of the great acts and loftiest achievements of the Republican party. He then introduced

GENERAL JOHN F. MILLER.

General Miller said we are again confronted by the question of change in the policy of the Government. Though supposed by some Europeans that these political revolutions every four years would destroy our republic, experience has proven that the people choose mostly in these revolutions, and the result is not as anticipated. During the last twenty years the people of the United States have chosen wisely in selecting chief magistrates. Has the Republican party done anything it should not have done? Has it omitted anything the Democratic party would have done, if it could? Has it done what it should have done for the honor and good faith of the country? The party adopted a financial plan that it said would bring good times, and it did. The Democrats fought the plan, and when adopted, tried to repeal it. But under it the nation is happy, peaceful and prosperous, and why is it necessary to try any experiments of change? If there is to be a change, let the people consider who is to be intrusted with the affairs of the nation. They know the Republican party and its history and character, and know it to be honest and true. We can judge its future by its past. Can we judge in that way of the Democratic party? The same elements that confronted the Republican party during the whole war confront it now. They were made up of the men who fought against the Union—they are members of the Democratic party. Uniform them at the South and put rebel Brigadiers in charge, and the Confederate army is restored. Take the rosters of the Knights of the Golden Circle, and the Copperhead clubs at the North, and you have the old Democratic party at the North as the ally of the rebels. General Miller went on to point out that had the Democratic party attained to power during the war the emancipation proclamation would never have been signed, and the amendments to the Constitution never have been heard of; that the incompetency of the Democratic party is shown in its acts of nullification and repudiation; that its connivance at and support of the outrageous interference with the right of suffrage at the South condemns it; that such interference with the right of the citizen to vote fully and uninterruptedly is of the very essence of the Republic, the central idea of the Constitution, and the heart and core of our form of government. He then compared the candidates Garfield and Hancock and their letters of acceptance, that of the latter being pronounced a fine specimen of repression. He concluded by referring to the speeches of Wade Hampton and Thurman, recently published—the one calling on the men who believed in the principles for which Lee and Jackson fought to vote for Hancock, and the other declaring that if Garfield is elected it will be by the vote of the North, and he will therefore be a sectional President. Both of these General Miller bitterly denounced. At the conclusion of the speech three cheers were given for Garfield, three for Miller and three for the Boys in Blue. After music by the band,

LEONIDAS E. PRATT,

Of San Francisco, was introduced and proceeded to deliver a stirring speech, in which he referred to the pledge of Wade Hampton that the 138 electoral votes of the South shall be given for Hancock. He believed the country to be on the verge of a national eruption, and that there is danger to the republic. He believed it would not eventuate in war. The South has had enough of that, and proposes to accomplish by peaceful means what it failed to win in battle. Having now a majority in the legislative branch of the Government, it seeks to get the executive under its thumb. Then ten or twenty Judges can be added to the Supreme Court, and it will have possession of the judicial arm also. Then the people may look for efforts to pass laws to pay for the freed slaves; to pay the cotton claims; to recognize the Confederate debt, and to pension the rebel soldiers. In his soul he believed that was the aim. It was a natural one. The people of the South believed that they were right, that they were unjustly overcome and that their rights were wantonly invaded, and they, so believing, naturally seek recompense and remuneration. But would the people submit to this? Will they rise and resent it by force of arms? No; for they are a law-abiding people, and will suffer four years, and then indeed there will be a solid North and a change. He appealed to foreign-born citizens to support the Republican party and pointed out that that party made their citizenship here with something ahead, a shield and a protection, and that that accomplishment began with Daniel Webster, who was a Whig and had no Democracy about him. He referred to the credit of the nation, built up by the Republican party, and pointed to the fact that despite the load of debt cast on the party by the Democracy, that where English consols are worth but 96 cents to 98 cents, United States bonds vary from $1 04 to $1 06, all which is the result of the policy of the Republican party, which has brought the country out of a war the Democracy plunged it into, to peace, prosperity and financial standing such as has not been equaled. With a brilliant peroration he concluded, when the audience gave three cheers for Garfield, three cheers for Pratt, three cheers for General Miller, three cheers for General Grant, three cheers for Anderson and three cheers for the whole Republican ticket. The audience was then dismissed.

AT IT AGAIN.—T. F. McMahon, the legless criminal who was carted from the depot to the police station some time since bound with a bale of rope, finished his time of sentence in the County Jail on Friday and on Saturday was drunk and making the air blue again, and returned to the lock up by officer Jackson. Frank Smith, who finished a term in the county prison yesterday, went immediately to a restaurant, and got a square meal and when called upon to pay for it commenced to abuse, and was about to put a head on the proprietor when he was again taken, in his cycle, to the police jail, and will probably return to the chain-gang in a day or two.

FOUND GUILTY.—The case of the People vs. Wong Ah Can was tried in the Superior Court on Saturday, and the defendant found guilty of grand larceny in breaking into and taking about $300 from the cabin of another Chinaman, and will be sentenced to-day.

"BOOTS," "BOOTS," at the Mechanics' Store.

"CASSIMERE SUITS," at the Mechanics Store.

HAMMER'S CASCARA SAGRADA BITTERS touches the right spot in dyspepsia, constipation and liver complaint.

STATE CAMP MEETING.

The attendance at the State camp meeting on Saturday was fully as large as expected by the officers, and yesterday the tents were mostly filled with members and their families from various parts of the State, and the attendance upon the grounds was good. Most of the remaining tents have been engaged, and it is expected will all be filled this evening.

The Convention was organized at 9:30 A. M. Saturday. Elders P. K. Dibble of Santa Rosa was elected Chairman, W. H. Briggs of Stockton, Secretary, and James Fulton of Santa Rosa, Assistant Secretary.

The following committees were appointed: Committee upon Religious Exercises—Elder A. Hawkins of Vacaville, Elder S. Sturges of San Francisco, B. Lawson of Woodland, Elder Jas. Fulton of Santa Rosa, J. O. Garrett of Sacramento. Committee on Order of Business—Elders J. D. Wilmot of Elmira, N. A. Walker of San Francisco and P. S. Cutler of Sacramento.

On motion, a committee of three was appointed to draft resolutions in memory of Elder Henry Thomas, Chairman of the last State Convention, and Elder Nathan Porter, who have died within the past year.

All brethren from abroad, not delegates to the Convention, were, upon motion, invited to sit and participate in its deliberations as duly appointed delegates. A like invitation was also extended to the ministers of the various churches in this city.

Rev. T. H. B. Anderson, of the Seventh-street M. E. Church South, was introduced to the convention, and spoke upon the subject of missions in California. The convention then adjourned till 9 A. M. to-day.

The services yesterday consisted of prayer at 8 o'clock. At 9 o'clock an interesting Sunday school session was held, under direction of S. Sturges, of San Francisco. At 11 A. M. Elder Alexander Proctor, of Missouri, preached upon the subject of "The Witness of Christ." Mr. Proctor is a preacher of eminence in the Church and a man of much profundity of thought. He is an exceedingly ready and graceful speaker. The sermon, speaking from a doctrinal stand-point, was a powerful one, and thoroughly expository of the doctrines of that church relative to the divine mission of Christ and the Bible as an authority, the developments of scientific research, the progress of discovery, the development of wisdom and the acquirement of knowledge by men. As a doctrinal sermon Elder Proctor's discourse would hardly have been objected to by the most liberal and advanced students of theology, and the most thoughtful upon religious subjects. As a specimen of pulpit oratory it was highly entertaining, and was particularly noticeable for its aptness and adjectival wealth. He used the right adjective in every instance, and was never at a loss for one to grace a sentence or add polish to an expression. He is a fluent speaker, direct and positive in expression, and frequently rises in his enthusiasm to poetic fervor and the plane of cultured eloquence.

At 3 P. M. Elder Wm. Lane of Santa Clara preached, using the 7th verse of the 4th chapter of 1st John for his text. A communion service followed this, which was conducted by Elder N. A. Walker of San Francisco.

Elder James Logan of Winters preached last evening upon the subject of the introduction of the Gentiles into the church, speaking from the 10th chapter of Acts.

The services for to-day will be prayer meeting this morning at 8 o'clock, convention at 9, preaching at 11, and also preaching at 3 P. M. Meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society at 4, and preaching at 8 in the evening.

There was much interest manifested at the meeting yesterday and good order and general quiet prevailed. The camp at evening is full of interest. The moonbeams struggle through the close foliage and shimmer upon the whited tent walls standing silent in the midst of the trees like monuments. The hundreds of lights twinkling here and there in tent and avenue, beneath shady boughs or in long lines at the dining tables, half lighting up the weird obscurity of the grove, add a charm to the scene which is hightened by the hundreds of figures, half discernable, moving hither and thither in the shadows, and by the music of many voices joining in devotional song and floating out upon the still air of evening in strains that have a peculiar and almost irresistible fascination, that even the least emotional must confess.

The following ministers of the denomination are in attendance at the Convention: Elders Alex. Proctor, of Independence, Mo.; J. J. Moss, of Oregon; L. B. Wilks, Columbia, Mo.; J. H. McCullough, Terre Haute, Ind.; James Logan, Winters; E. B. Ware, Napa; P. S. Cutler, Sacramento; B. S. Gardner, San Jose; J. D. Wilmot, Elmira; W. H. Biggs, Stockton; Harrison Price, Ukiah; Hiram Wallace, Hollister; P. K. Dibble, Santa Rosa; B. Lawson, Woodland; William Lane, Santa Clara; Mr. Sharp, San Francisco; George Kinkaid, San Jose; N. A. Walker, San Francisco; President Elston, Woodland College; Frederick Fenn, San Francisco; President J. C. Keith, College City; Professor J. D. Durham, College City; Carroll Kendrick, Oakland, and H. D. Cornell of Watsonville.

OLD OFFENDER ARRESTED.—Jack McMann, alias "Whalebone Jim," who over two years ago attacked a man named James Mackey in a barber shop on Front street with a razor, and for whom a warrant has ever since been out for his arrest upon the charge of assault to commit murder, was yesterday arrested by officers Ferral and Rider at the "Collar and Elbow" saloon on K street, between Front and Second. At the time he committed the crime he escaped, and has not been in the city till now, when he came with the advent of the gang of thieves now pouring into the city.

PERSONAL.—A. A. Van Voorhies, of the firm of R. Stone & Co., and one of the Sacramento Knights Templar, returned home yesterday morning, having made an extended trip throughout the East and posted himself in regard to raddlery hardware, leather, etc. Rev. Fred Fenn, State Lecturer of the Sons of Temperance, is in the city. General John F. Miller returned below yesterday. T. H. Goodman, General Passenger Agent C. P. R. R., left by special car for the East on Saturday, accompanied by friends. Mrs. Dr. B. F. Pendery and J. M. Howell returned from the East Saturday.

RETURNED HUNTERS.—Captain Young and Captain Stevens have returned from that "month's sojourn" and hunt in and about Big Meadows. They are as fat and healthy as ground squirrels just after harvest. Much inquiry is made to ascertain if they brought back that "can of water." The story that it, with other goods, went up by rail and was lost or not delivered until the "joke" was out, is considered quite as thin as the contents of the can by the many friends who congratulate the genial Superintendent on a safe return to civilization and the home of practical jokers.

POLICE ARRESTS.—There has been arrested in this city since last report: T. F. McMahon, for disturbing the peace, by officer Jackson; James Duffy, violating ordinance No. 17, by special officer Weindricks; Frank Smith, disturbing the peace, by local officer Boop; Robert Wilson, John Graham and Thomas Dudley, sleeping in cars, by officer Campbell. Wilson was very angry at the insult of being arrested for this offense, and said he would "see" the arresting officer when he got out again.

ROOM BURGLARIZED.—A burglar entered the room over N. L. Drew & Co.'s lumber yard, occupied by S. L. Richards, and carried off a quantity of cigars, cigarettes and other smoking outfit, as well as some jewelry he found conveniently by. Upon the matter being reported to the Chief of Police and investigation instituted, a portion of the property was found among the lumber, apparently thrown away, but the balance has not yet been recovered nor the thief who made the incursion.

SENT TO NAPA.—Some time since a man by the name of John Fitzgerald was arrested by officers Carroll and Brissell, upon the belief that he was insane. After being kept at the city jail for a few days he was turned out upon the probability that his insanity was only liquor craze. He was subsequently rearrested at Clark's pottery, and has now been declared insane, and was on Saturday sent to the Napa asylum.

AUCTION.—Martin Pflug will sell by auction to-day at 10:30 A. M., at 1623 P street, three ingrain carpets, two oil cloths, one parlor set, two bedroom sets, two rep lounges, chairs, one sewing machine, cook stove, kitchen furniture, oil paintings, mirrors, etc.

COMMISSIONER.—Governor Perkins has appointed John H. Pattee a Commissioner of Deeds for California at Honolulu, Sandwich Islands.

ALL LOVERS OF BILLIARDS should call and see the fine, new Centennial table and accouterments, complete, all of the latest patent, just received by Wallis Hector, at the Lafayette. It discounts anything in the city, and well worth seeing.

"WOOLEN UNDERWEAR," at the Mechanics' Store.

"KID-FOXED SHOES," at the Mechanics' Store.

"CORSETS," "CORSETS," at the Mechanics' Store.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES

SPECIAL TO THE RECORD-UNION

DOMESTIC NEWS.

Pacific Coast Postal Changes.

WASHINGTON, September 12th.—The following postal changes were made last week for the Pacific coast: Offices established—Lava, El Dorado county, California, Jeremiah Saucerman, Postmaster; Mosquito, El Dorado county, California, Mrs. Jane Dickinson, Postmistress; Coburg, Mason county, Washington Territory, Andrew J. Burr, Postmaster; Bisbee, Pima county, Arizona, H. C. Stillman, Postmaster; Casa Grande, Pinal county, Arizona, Jere Fryer, Postmaster. Offices discontinued—Oglesby, San Diego county, California; Grave Spring, Baker county, Oregon; Pantano, Pima county, Arizona. Name and site changed—Gleasonville, Tehama county, California, to Henleville, and Samuel H. Redfield appointed Postmaster. Postmasters appointed—Mrs. Parmelia A. Woodson, Cedarville, Modoc county, California; Joshua Frye, Rutherford, Napa county, California; Mrs. S. S. Sweetman, Copeland, Island county, Washington Territory; Henry Young, Oak Point, Cowlitz county, Washington Territory; A. Workman, Canyonville, Iron county, Utah.

Westward-bound Passengers.

OMAHA, September 12th.—The following through passengers were on to-day's train, leaving at 12:15 P. M., to arrive in Sacramento September 16th: Mrs. J. W. Sprague, New Tacoma, W. T.; Mrs. Youngs, Brooklyn; E. A. Davis, wife and child, D. E. Knight and wife, Marysville, Cal.; R. W. Wolfsohn, A. Calmann, Alex Martin, J. Meredith, —— Dauries, San Francisco; H. B. Nalk, Chicago; J. P. Pierce, Miss Carrie Pierce, Santa Clara; J. T. Carr, Sacramento; Miss Brown, Havre, France; Dr. Bayer and wife, Leo Frank, New York; Yaman Outch, H. Okawa, Tokio, Japan; D. G. Chilson, Arizona; Michael Davitt, Dublin; Charles F. Irwin, Placerville; C. Machinson and wife, England; Judge Donahoe and party (in special car), New York.

Serious Shooting Affray.

LOUISVILLE (Ky.), September 12th.—An Owenton special to the *Courier-Journal* says: A very serious shooting affray occurred at a picnic about seventeen miles from here yesterday. A difficulty arose between some drunken boys over some trivial matter, which before its termination involved three brothers named Smith and three brothers named Hammond, and a half-brother of Hammond named Barnard Acrue. The shooting was general, and was indulged in by both parties; but the Smiths proved the most expert with the weapons. Acrue, aged 18 years, was shot in the head and instantly killed, and his three half-brothers (the Hammonds) were all wounded, two of whom—Jonathan and Sam—the attending physicians say, are mortally hurt. Their parents are very respectable people.

The Canvass in New York.

CHICAGO, September 12th.—The *Inter-Ocean's* New York special says: It has been deemed wise to begin in New York a canvass of exceptional vigor, and maintain it by frequent meetings in various districts and at great halls. The first of the great meetings will be held at the Academy of Music Friday evening, when Senator Conkling will make his first speech in the campaign. Ex-Gov. Hamilton Fish will preside. It is proposed to make this a great demonstration. Much popular interest already attaches to the meeting. Senator Conkling will speak under the auspices of the Central Garfield and Arthur Club, a recent organization, of which General Lloyd Aspinwall is President. The details of the meeting have not all been arranged as yet, but it has been deemed advisable that admittance will be by card. It was hoped some time ago that definite arrangements would have been made with General Grant to preside at a Republican demonstration in this city, but he explains in a letter to General Arthur that this will not be practicable. Other meetings are to be held, at which Evarts, Blaine, Sherman, Logan, Frelinghuysen and many others are to speak.

General Grant's Belief.

NEW YORK, September 12th.—General Grant writes to Chester A. Arthur: "Sincerely believing that the Democratic party, as now constituted, is not a fit party to trust with the control of the General Government, I believe it to be the interest of all sections, South as well as North, that the Republican party should succeed in November."

The Political Outlook in Indiana.

CHICAGO, September 12th.—The *Times'* Indianapolis special says: Eminent Democratic authority asserts that the Republican poll is nearly completed, and gives the State to Porter by a narrow majority of 1,600. The campaign will formally close October 5th with a mammoth rally.

Summer Residence Burned.

NEWPORT, September 12th.—The summer residence recently purchased by Professor Alexander Agassiz was burned this morning. It was located near Professor Agassiz's house, and had never been occupied since it was built—about five years ago—its owner being ill in Europe. It was worth about $22,000.

Revolutionary Anniversary.

BALTIMORE, September 12th.—To-day was the anniversary of the battle of North Point. The old defenders, numbering nine, were conveyed in carriages to Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church, and listened to the annual discourse. To-morrow the defenders will meet at the City Hall, march around the battle monument, and afterward dine at Druid Hill Park. There are now 17 survivors, the oldest 94, and the youngest 83.

Alleged Defaulter Arrested.

PHILADELPHIA, September 12th.—Joseph Tapson, formerly Secretary of the Metropolitan Railway Company's Provident Savings Bank of England, was arrested here last night on a charge of appropriating $50,000.

A Fortunate Discovery.

EVANSVILLE (Ind.), September 12th.—J. M. Nimley and James Millis passed through the city to-day, en route to Somerset, where a brother of Nimley is in jail under sentence of death, for the reputed murder of Millis, who disappeared mysteriously from Somerset 14 years ago, and had not since been heard from till discovered by J. M. Nimly near Ford's Ferry, Ky., on Saturday.

An Aged Couple Burned to Death.

ST. PAUL (Minn.), September 12th.—A special from Austin, Minn., says: A fire this morning burned a small house occupied by two old people—a man and wife named Purdy. The man was crippled, and they lived alone. Both were burned to death before succor could reach them.

The Bogus Diploma Vendor.

PHILADELPHIA, September 12th.—Dr. John Buchanan, the bogus diploma vendor of this city, who was arrested in St. Clair, Mich., last Thursday, arrived here this morning, and was locked up in Moyamensing.

And Old Woman Run Over and Killed.

DAYTON (O.), September 12th.—An old Irish woman, named Kate Fitzgerald, was run over on a street in this city yesterday and killed. She lived alone in an old house, and on searching her rooms to-day some $1,500 was found.

The Late Miss Adelaide Neilson.

NEW YORK, September 13th—A. M.—The *Herald* says: The late Miss Adelaide Neilson, instead of having been born in Saragosa, Spain, in 1850, was really born in Leeds, England, March, 3, 1839, and that her real name was Elizabeth Ann Brown, and her mother, who is still living, is a gypsy.

The Chinese in New York.

NEW YORK, September 13th.—A. M.—An attache of the Chinese Embassy writes to the *Herald*, denying that members of the Legation have been insulted in the streets of New York, as charged in several journals, and complimenting the police for their attentive behavior.

The Maine Election.

NEW YORK, September 13th—A. M.—The Republican journals all claim Maine, which votes to-day, by from 2,000 to 10,000 majority, and the Democrats have no real hopes, although like all parties in all elections they refuse to own that they are to be whipped, lest they should discourage their supporters, and fail to bring out the full vote to-morrow. They will probably say they have never expected to carry the State in this canvass.

FOREIGN NEWS.

The Afghan War.

SIMLA, September 12th.—Intelligence is received here that a serious insurrection has broken out in Herat, and the Governor of the city has been murdered. Yakoob Khan, accompanied by his principal officers and several hundred horsemen, has passed Seaminlwar on the way to Herat.

Major McGregor, with British troops, has marched for Kala Abdulla, near Pishin Pass.

LONDON, September 12th.—The Viceroy of India telegraphs that Major McGregor's brigade marched from Candahar on the 8th instant to ease the pressure there with regard to supplies. General Roberts accompanied Major McGregor, and will meet General Sandamas at Kala Abdulla, to discuss the question relative to the transport of supplies between Silesia and Candahar.

The Birth of the Infanta.

MADRID, September 12th.—The Princess was born at about 9 o'clock on Saturday night. According to ancient etiquette, the Ministers, Marshals, grandees and diplomats awaited the event in the antechamber. The Duke of Sexto, Grand Master of the Palace, announced the birth, and shortly after the King brought out the Infanta and showed it to the assemblage. The Ministers of Justice drew up a deed attesting the birth.

LONDON, September 12th.—A dispatch from Madrid says: The Infanta will be christened Mercedes, and about a dozen other names. The birth was announced to the city by artillery.

Baptism of the Queen of Spain's Daughter—Attempted Assassination.

MADRID, September 12th.—The baptism of the Princess has been fixed for September 14th. Ex Queen Isabella will be one of the Sponsors.

A futile attempt was made on Saturday to assassinate the Prefect of Valladolid. The criminal was arrested.

The Strike of Weavers.

BLACKBURN, September 12th.—At a meeting of the Wages Committee last night, it was decided to bring out either Accrington or Great Harware on a strike, but a final decision was postponed pending further shop meetings of weavers at the beginning of the week.

Resolved to Fight.

LONDON, September 12th.—A telegram from Ragusa was received at Paris this morning, stating that 6,000 Montenegrins with light cannon are on their way to Dulcigno, and are resolved to fight if resisted.

Railroad Collision.

LONDON, September 12th.—A train from Waterloo station, London, for Hampton Court, came in collision with an engine last night, and four persons were killed and thirty injured.

CITY AUDITOR'S REPORT.

E. H. McKee, City Auditor, makes the following report for the week ending Saturday, September 11, 1880:

Balance on hand last report	$95,760 75
Receipts for the week	1,519 89
Total	$97,280 64

DISBURSEMENTS.

General Fund	$1,127 90
Water Works Fund	961 37
Levee Fund	9 65
Cemetery Fund	19 00
Street Fund	571 25
Police Fund	134 46
Sewer Repair Fund	655 15
	3,478 78
Total amount in Treasury	$93,801 86

APPORTIONMENT.

Sinking and Interest Fund	$2,296 66
General Fund	11,575 52
Water Works Fund	2,112 69
Fire Department Fund	10,516 84
School Fund	16,801 94
Levee Fund	8,331 28
Cemetery Fund	1,561 83
Street Repair Fund	4,634 03
Police Fund	9,538 84
Bond Redemption Fund	16,808 07
Special Water Works Fund	4,774 58
Fire Department Bond and Interest Fund	384 25
Library Fund	3,140 90
Sewer Repair Fund	668 17
Dog Fund	11 40
N, Sixth to Tenth Street Fund	474 30
L, Tenth to Fifteenth Street Fund	71 16
Total	$93,801 86

BRIEF NOTES.

A double team from the country had a break down and runaway on Saturday afternoon at the corner of Tenth and I streets, in which a woman and children were thrown out, but no serious injury or damage done.

J. T. Carr of Sacramento passed Omaha yesterday, to arrive September 16th; also D. E. Knight of Marysville, and Michael Davitt, the Irish agitator.

Forty-eight immigrants, including thirty-four males, arrived from the East yesterday, and forty-eight, including thirty-two males, will arrive to-day.

While working at his trade, on Saturday, Richard Coss, the stair-builder, cut his hand very severely, almost severing the thumb.

This will be law day in the Superior Court. W. B. Cook, Eliza Murray and Wong Ah Can will also receive sentence.

No business was transacted in the Superior Court on Saturday but the trial of Wong Ah Can, mentioned elsewhere.

Siloam Lodge, I. O. G. T., gives a social entertainment at the Westminster Presbyterian Church this evening.

E. M. Graham sustained a bad fracture of one of his legs on Saturday from a fall. He is reported as doing well.

Elder Alex. Proctor, of Missouri, occupied the pulpit of the Seventh-street M. E. Church South last evening.

Emery A. Storrs and Geo. M. Storrs, of Chicago, will arrive from the East this morning.

The Auditor's warrants for August county payments will be ready to-day.

SAN FRANCISCO ITEMS.

(From San Francisco exchanges of September 12th.)

The sailing of the City of Tokio is postponed until Monday, the 20th inst., at 2 o'clock.

The receipts for duties at the Custom-house for the past week were $99,577 30, making a total since January 1st of $3,910,884 73.

Sheriff Desmond has paid into the City Treasury the sum of $9,579 57 for fees collected during August. This is the largest amount ever collected by the Sheriff in one month.

The pedestrian match at St. Ignatius Hall terminated at 11 o'clock last night, when the score was as follows: McIntyre, 460; Guerrero, 434; Calahan, 257; Eaton, 222, and Edwards, 77.

The United States schooner Freda, which was dispatched more than a month ago in search of the survivors of the Mathilde, arrived in this harbor last evening, twenty-three days from Mazatlan, and proceeded directly to Mare Island.

During the past week 80 deaths were recorded at the Health Office, as against 83 of the previous one and 102 the corresponding one of last year. The deaths are classified thus: Forty-nine males, 31 females, 67 whites and 13 copper-colored, 2 suicides and 13 deaths in public institutions.

The United States Coast Survey steamer Hassler, commanded by Lieutenant H. E. Nichols, U. S. N., has received a thorough overhauling, and will leave next week for a magnetic survey along the coast of Lower California, and will be absent about six months.

A glass bead, the size of a pea, was a few days since removed from one of the ears of Charles Kasche, aged seventeen years, son of William Kasche, of 18 Geary street. The bead was lodged in the boy's ear when he was five years of age, and resisted all attempts to remove it until recently.

The wheat tonnage movement for the week ending last evening was the most active since the new crop began to go forward. Five vessels have completed their cargoes and cleared out, and nine vessels have been added to the list entered out for wheat. Four of these arrived this week under charters made before arrival at or about 60s for Cork.

A few minutes after 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon John V. McCarthy, known to those who are intimate with him as "Brocky John," formerly boss janitor in the Navy Yard at Mare Island, shot and killed Fannie E. McCarthy, his wife, in a small room in the rear of a variety store, No. 258 First street, kept by Mrs. Emma J. Foster, and then attempted to commit suicide by shooting himself.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

ARCADE HOTEL.

SACRAMENTO, September 12, 1880.

D Crosby, Virginia	Chas N Fox, Oakland
L L Bradley, Oakland	B T Van Allen, New York
Chas Wright, New York	F P Satterlee, Michigan
Phil W Keyser, Yuba City	S L Ackerman, San F
J M Heller, Jr, San Fran	J F Miller, San Fran
L E Pratt, do	L Amstein, do
C C Swanberg & w, do	I H French & w, do
Wm Irvine, do	Geo