ORIGINAL DEFECTIVE

THE DAILY RECORD-UNION.

TUESDAY.....SEPTEMBER 28, 1880.

Signal Corps Report—September 27, 1880.

TIME.	BAR.	THR.	HUM.	WIND	RAIN	WEATH.
4:02 A. M.....	30.00	57	58	Calm	...	Clear
7 A. M.....	30.03	59	70	N. 2	...	Clear
8:02 A. M.....	30.03	61	55	N. 4	...	Clear
2 P. M.....	29.98	82	27	N. 3	...	Fair
7:02 P. M.....	29.94	73	60	N. W. 3	...	Clear

MAX. ther., 83 degrees. Min. ther., 53 degrees.

Weather Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, September 27th.—For Pacific coast regions: Clear or fair weather.

ADVERTISEMENT MENTION.

British Mutual Society this evening.
Notice—Elegant table cover embroidered.
Class No. 24—J. L. Skinner to-night.
Reward—$25 for return of a parrot.
Notice to Creditors—Estate of John Neubauer.
Ben. Steinman, nominee for Supervisor.
Pacific Division, 110, Brotherhood of Engineers.
Position wanted as dressmaker, etc.
To Contractors—8,750 brick for sale.
Republican Legion at Howe's Hall to-night.
Republican meetings throughout the county.

Business Advertisements.

Carl Strobel—50 acres to sell or trade.
W. D. Comstock, furniture bedding, etc.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

BOARD OF CITY TRUSTEES.

The Board of City Trustees held its regular session yesterday, and transacted business as follows:

The subject of awarding the contract for construction of a brick retaining wall along the recent addition to the City Cemetery was taken up, and George Murray being the lowest bidder, the work was awarded to him at the following figures: Brick work, 22½ cents per cubic foot; iron, 8½ cents per pound; wooden cap, 4 cents per foot, board measure; rough redwood, 2½ cents per foot. Mr. Murray was required to file a bond in the sum of $200.

City Attorney W. A. Anderson presented a report on the claim of W. H. Ferre for damages against the city amounting to $250. It was recommended by the City Attorney that $100 be allowed, and on motion the Board ordered the payment as recommended.

A request was made by L. C. Chandler to have all obstructions removed from Third street north of I, that the street might be made the proper width. Referred to the Street Commissioner.

A petition to have the demi-monde living in central portions of the city, especially on L street, between Front and Fourth, removed to a more remote portion of the city, was received and referred to the City Attorney and Chief of Police.

John A. Cummings, Chief Engineer of the Water Works, reported that during the past week the works had been running 168 hours; the total number of gallons of water pumped was 18,882,450, and the amount of fuel consumed in pumping the same was 1,870 feet of gas coke.

Bills were received and allowed as follows: J. W. Wilson, $5; W. H. Churchman, $20; P. W. Cafferty, $24; James Coffee, $24; N. Eldred, $16; P. Rice, $16; G. M. Karcher, $24, and the salaries of the city officers for the month of September; *Daily Bee*, $20 25; Lee Young, $4; Len Hodgkins, $2; A. King, $40; Samuel Harper, $20; B. R. Crocker, $24 20; M. Daly, $15; F. Kotter, $12; George Kuber, $15; F. Foster, $18; J. H. Gilman, $1; M. Manning, $1; A. Wapman, $5; C. C. Wingate, $5; P. D. Scriver, $5.

The Board then adjourned.

LAND PATENTS.—The following patents for agricultural lands were received at the U. S. Land Office, Ed. F. Taylor, Register, in this city on the 27th instant: No. 2165, Harvey S. Blood, Alpine county; 1946, Charles K. Bailey, Calaveras county; 1945, Albert Clifford, Calaveras county; 2207, W. Chase, El Dorado county; 2183, E. Dobbas, El Dorado county; 2181, A. De Maria, El Dorado county; 2182, Rinaldo Filippini, El Dorado county; 1487, Wm. Green, Jr., Amador county; 1829, Geo. Haynes, Calaveras county; 2072, John Harrell, Amador county; 2089, George B. Harris, Amador county; 2169, Judson C. Jones, Amador county; 2132, Philip Lee, El Dorado county; 1944, Albert Linley, Calaveras county; 2166, Stephen Maxwell, Alpine county; 1675, Daniel McCarty, administrator for the heirs of James L. Delevan, deceased, of El Dorado county; 1828, John O'Hara, Calaveras county; 2060, James M. Owen, Amador county; 2008, Wm. W. Porteous, Calaveras county; 2179, Massini Pedimi, El Dorado county; 2180, Clement Pedimi, El Dorado county; 723, Wm. M. Tanner, El Dorado county; 2069, John B. Van Sandt, El Dorado county; 1942, Elisha Wilkins, Calaveras county; 1943, John Wees, Calaveras county.

POLICE COURT.—In the Police Court yesterday J. Shay, charged with petit larceny, was sentenced to pay a fine of $30 and costs—no money, goes to jail for thirty days; F. De Hondt, violating health ordinance, dismissed upon grounds of ordinance complied with; B. Greer, assault to do great bodily harm, complaining witness refused in Court to swear to complaint on grounds that they are personal friends and the matter was merely a personal misunderstanding—case dropped; Jack Dowd, disturbing the peace, dismissed for want of prosecution, the prosecuting witness stating that he had had satisfaction, and requesting discharge of the defendant; the cases of John Welch, Henry Steinmeyer, and Barney Corrigan, for disturbing peace, continued till to-day; also, James Morgan, drunk, and Dick Rivers, battery, continued till to-day; and cases of Frank Quinn, attempt to commit grand larceny, and George M. Farr, vagrancy, and also for disturbing the peace, continued till to-morrow.

MERCHANDISE REPORT.—The following freight for Sacramento passed Ogden on the 25th: For Washburne & Co., 2 cases rulers; M. C. Hawley & Co., 4 boxes plow irons; R. Stone & Co., 3 crates stirrups, 3 boxes saddlery, 1 box and 3 cases harness; Mebius & Co., 1 box show cards; Hall, Luhrs & Co., 1 box cigars, 10 boxes canned fish; J. Kuerth, 4 boxes boots and shoes; S. Lipman & Co., 1 bundle dry goods, 1 case toweling; Wells, Fargo & Co., 1 case machinery; S. Nathan & Co., 1 case dry goods; Studebaker Bros., 2 boxes seat awnings, 1 box carriage irons; C. H. Gilman, 4 boxes boots and shoes; J. S. & J. M. Jackson, 1 box stamped ware; W. A. & C. S. Houghton, 1 bundle paper, 1 box writing-desks, 1 box blank books; Billingsley & Co., 5 cases brushes; Baker & Hamilton, 6 cases mattocks, 1 box stationery, 40 cases nails; John Breuner, 3 cases stock; Huntington, Hopkins & Co., 1 case blocks, 1 case oil-stones, 1 case cutlery, 1 case locks, 1 case brushes, 1 box hinges, 6 boxes hardware, 2 boxes percussion caps.

POLICE ARRESTS.—There were arrested in the city yesterday, William Shuman and Louis Brown, disturbing the peace, by officer Eldred; Michael Dawes, disturbing the peace, by officers Carroll and Coffee; and same for embezzlement; H. Wieman, disturbing the peace, by officers Carroll and Coffee; George Farr, disturbing the peace, by Chief Karcher; J. Kane, disturbing the peace, by special officer Thorpe; Michael Ryan, drunk and sleeping on sidewalk, by officer Atwood; C. Borst, burglary, by local officer Coffee.

FREIGHT MOVEMENTS.—The following carloads of freight were received in this city yesterday: One of wool, 5 of wheat, 1 of syrup, 2 of coal oil, 1 of flour and feed, 1 of slate, 3 of lumber, 1 of sheep, 1 of merchandise, 1 of coal and 1 of wood. Through carloads east were also forwarded: Six of barley, 4 of canned fruit, 3 of salmon, 4 of merchandise, 6 of wool, 1 of spikes, 1 of canned goods, and 2 of green fruit.

CORPORATION.—Articles of incorporation have been filed in the office of the Secretary of State of the First Presbyterian Church of Redding, Shasta county. Trustees—James McCormick, E. A. Reid, J. N. Chappell, B. H. Scott, J. H. Miller, Edward Frisbie and Samuel Isaacks.

REMEMBER, we will commence closing out several important lines of corsets, at the most remarkably low prices, to-morrow noon. Ladies, make sure and be present. Mechanics Store.

GILMAN PIONEER KIP BOOT, warranted two solid soles—turn water like rubber—only $3, at the Red House.

LADIES who are interested in that all-important article of dress, "The Corset," should not fail to read our new advertisement in to-day's issue. Mechanics' Store.

NAGLEE BRANDY.—Purest and best in the world. S. R. Middleton, agent, No. 419 Pine street, San Francisco.

LADIES' 4-BUTTON UNDRESSED KID GLOVES, at 25 cents per pair. Fancy Goods Department, Mechanics' Store.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The city Board of Education held its regular meeting last evening, at which all members of the Board were present.

The Repairs Committee reported the several school rooms calcimined and whitened, repairs to walks, steps painted, etc., in readiness for reopening of schools.

Mr. Hornblower moved that the committee be authorized to also repair sidewalk around building at Thirteenth and G streets. Carried.

The Furniture Committee reported that the contract for wood for the present year had been awarded to John Skelton, as follows: For live oak, $8 50; pine, $7.

J. O. Galloway appeared and stated that Professor Rand, who was employed to teach music to the High School pupils for the last commencement exercises, for which the Board paid him $30, also expected pay for the music which he furnished, and for which he asked a further appropriation of $20, to make the amount originally claimed and presented in his bill. The matter was discussed, and the claim, upon motion, denied.

Superintendent Landes, being questioned, reported that the two afternoon classes at Seventh and G streets were small, and if consolidated would make one large class.

Mr. Lord moved to consolidate these two classes, but the motion was lost.

Mr. Lord moved that Miss McCormick be authorized to procure the printing of the programmes for the division of studies for the sixth, seventh and eighth grades. Carried.

Mr. Butler moved that the janitors have $5 extra per month for each room used for the night school. Carried.

A communication was received from Miss Clara Henley, asking for promotion. Placed on file.

On motion of Mr. Tracy it was decided to have a special meeting of the Board some evening the present week, at the call of the President, to consider the report of the Committee on Rules and Regulations.

The Board then proceeded to the election of teachers to fill vacancies.

Nominations were made for teacher of the sixth grade as follows: Miss Mary A. Way, Miss Clara Henley, Miss Hetty Palmer, Mrs. N. J. Toll. Miss Henley was elected on the third ballot.

For teacher, in the seventh grade, Miss Way, Miss Cannie Mason, Miss Nina Funston and Miss Annie Bell Gilkey were nominated. Miss Mary A. Way was elected on the first ballot. This supplied all vacancies.

The following bills were allowed and ordered to be paid: W. M. Kimber, $300; W. C. Hays, $14 75; L. K. Hammer, assignee, $27; John Stott, $29 50; Thomas Halpin, $5; D. Durson, $105; Mitchell & Pierpont, $84; Union Insurance Co., $45; H. S. Crocker & Co., $55 83; F. L. Landes, $234 45; Butterfield & White, $4 75; Foster & Billingsley, $20 10; Robert Devlin, $25; Robert Phillips, $8; Peter Curran, $26; janitors' salaries, $170 50.

The President announced a special meeting of the Board, to be held this evening, at half-past 7 o'clock.

The Board then adjourned.

FOR SAN QUENTIN.—Railroad Detective F. T. Burke of this city states that on the 5th instant a train at Fresno was robbed of a trunk which was taken to the rear of Chinatown in that place and rifled. Mr. Burke, who was then at Borden, three miles from Madera, and about thirty miles from Fresno, was notified by telegraph, and before leaving town found three tramps who had just arrived at Borden, whom he suspected as the parties who committed the robbery. Going to Fresno he obtained full particulars, and taking Deputy Sheriff Mead with him, returned immediately to Borden and found two of the three tramps, Thomas Williams and Charles Allen, still there, whom they arrested. One of them had in his possession a sack which contained all the stolen property. They were taken to Fresno and lodged in jail and a few days since pleaded guilty and were sentenced to one year's confinement each at San Quentin.

ANOTHER ESCAPE.—While Messrs. Garrett and Shellars had their corps of men from the County Jail at work yesterday in the neighborhood of Seventh and R streets among some tall grass or tules, one of the gang, John Ryan, took advantage of the hiding place and made his escape, which was effected by slipping the shackle from his ankle. Search was instituted, and after the southern and eastern portions of the city had been carefully searched over, Deputy Sheriff Garrett found the missing man secreted in the tule about 300 yards from where he left the working party, and hugging the ground for dear life to prevent being seen. He was conveyed to safe quarters by Garrett and Shellars, and seemed much disgusted at his failure to skip town.

LET US AT LAST.—When Jack Dowd's case was called yesterday morning in the Police Court it was found that there was no one to prosecute and the case was dismissed. When released from the County Jail on Saturday it was with the understanding that he would take his final departure from town by yesterday, and he made good this programme by leaving the city for Stockton on the 11:15 A. M. train. Notwithstanding his frequent arrests and many trials while here, he became much attached of late to Sacramento (especially the ball and chain part of it), and left a fine life-sized portrait of himself with Chief Karcher as a remembrancer.

AUCTION SALE.—D. J. Simmons & Co. will sell to-day at 10:30 A. M., at No. 1216 Second street, between L and M, two elegant parlor sets, in gilt and colored reps; two elegant parlor sets in velvet; rosewood 7-octave piano, Steinway maker; body Brussels carpets; thirteen black walnut and mahogany bedroom sets; spring and hair mattresses; elegant bedding of all descriptions; toilet and Japan sets; stair carpets and oil cloths; black walnut extension and marble-top tables; curtains and cornices; crockery and silverware; wardrobes and sideboards; and a general assortment of parlor, bedroom and kitchen furniture.

PERSONAL.—State Engineer Hall went to Marysville yesterday afternoon to look after the debris works under construction. Mrs. R. H. Pratt left on the overland yesterday for Maine, to visit her parents, and will be gone about two months. Michael Davitt left for Vallejo yesterday afternoon. He leaves for the East to-morrow. W. R. S. Foye has gone East, to be absent about two months. Mrs. George B. Katzenstein and family have returned to the city.

THE RIVER.—The Empire City came down with barge City of Sacramento, loaded with grain, and returned up the river with barge City of Stockton, loaded light. The steamer Varuna came down with a barge loaded with grain, and returned with barge Hera, light. Steamer Flora went up with Governor Hayes, loaded with merchandise. The Modoc took a full cargo to the bay, and left a large amount of freight on the dock for the next boat.

REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.—The Republican County Committee have nominated H. S. Beals for Public Administrator and G. Haines for Police Judge. By the new county government bill the office of Public Administrator was done away with, but that statute having been declared void by the Supreme Court, the former statute and the office of Public Administrator are revived. Hence the present nomination.

OWNER WANTED.—Officers Woods and Campbell yesterday arrested a man on K street, who had in his possession a new horse-cover or blanket, which is evidently stolen property. The cover is a plaid with red binding, and having metal buttons instead of buckles. The property and man can be seen at the police station.

THE ARCHERS.—The archery tournament concluded by J. O. Cadman, of San Francisco, winning the championship badge; I. C. Allen, of San Francisco, won the second prize, Ford's book on archery. The archers from abroad expressed themselves as well pleased with their entertainment here.

ENGINEER'S BODY FOUND.—The engineer who was killed at Oakland wharf on Sunday evening, William C. Brown, was intimately well known in this city. His mother and two sisters reside here. He was 25 years of age, of steady habits, and much respected. His body was found last evening, but cannot be taken out until the engine is raised.

GAME!—We are receiving daily wild game: Ducks, quail, grouse, venison, etc. Our arrangements are such that we shall be able to keep our Game Department stocked with all the above for the remainder of the season. Longton & Anthony, Fifth and K streets.*

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THE IMPROVEMENTS IN TURNER HALL.

Turner Hall will hardly be recognized now by those who have not been in it for a month. A radical change has been effected in the interior by a neat ornamentation of the walls and ceiling in fresco, and the effect is striking, and so changes the internal appearance of the hall that those accustomed to view its heretofore cheerless and soiled walls, its blemished ceilings and generally dilapidated fittings, will scarcely be willing on entering to believe it is the same old hall. The walls have been tinted a rich cream or buff color; the wainscoting is a pale lavender with an ornamental border. The cornice is finished with ornamental hangings, moldings, etc., in pale green, brown, maroon, and shadings of the same. The ceiling is laid off into three sections. The center is a great circle of pale lavender tint, with a border of grapes and leaves in green. On either of the four sides are semicircular sections in cinnamon tint, two bearing shields with the monogram "S. T. V.," the other two being center-pieces for the chandeliers. The corners between are laid in with a slightly darker lavender, and these are sprinkled thickly with pale green leaves and vines, on which appear grouped emblems typifying music, hunting, literature and art. Each end of the ceiling is finished with a panel across the whole width in a creamy tint. In the center of each panel appear the flags of America and Germany, the staffs of the banners crossing in a floral cluster on which sit grave and wide-eyed owls. The work was done by Fromelt & Kern, and transforms the hall into a room of beauty. But some sad scars have been left, and unless they are covered the contrast will be so painful and radical as to make the frescoing of no value, to wit, the shabby windows, with their half frosted, cold and cheerless glare. They should be either neatly curtained or fitted with plain inside blinds; the latter are best, of course. With this addition, the hall will be one of the handsomest in the State, and without it, the frescoing had better never been done. The Directors should also have new fish-tail burners placed on all the chandeliers and side light gas fittings, as the present burners give a light wholly inadequate—adismal sort of glow that fails to bring out the frescoing well, or to make the hall cheerful. With these improvements there will be scarcely anything wanting in Turner Hall, and its revenues ought to represent the appreciation of the public for this sudden progressive movement of the Association, which, though heavily in debt, has at last realized that the way out is to make its hall attractive.

BRIEF NOTES.

On Saturday last, as Joseph Kohn was driving the delivery rig of George Sermonet on Eighth street, outside of the R-street levee, the horse became frightened and broke one of the shafts, running an ugly splinter into the horse's side and throwing out the driver, from which he received very severe bruises and injury. He is out again, and the horse is having a rest in the pasture to recover from damages.

The Republican County Central Committee publish a list of appointments for meetings throughout the county, commencing on next Tuesday at Folsom, and ending November 1st with a meeting to be held in this city.

The removal of articles from the Pavilion was about completed yesterday, and the hall now presents a badly deserted and forbidding appearance—not at all inviting for a dress promenade or Presidential reception.

One of the large French-plate mirrors exhibited by Whittier, Fuller & Co. at the Pavilion during the State Fair, was broken while being taken from the building. It was valued at $100.

The Eureka Social Club of this city on Sunday presented to M. J. Simmons a beautiful gold badge, as a remembrance from the club, of which he was formerly President.

The many cases which came up yesterday in the Superior Court against the Directors of the old Odd Fellows' Bank were continued for one week.

The Republican Legion holds its regular weekly meeting this evening at Howe's Hall, Sixth street, between K and L, commencing at 8 o'clock.

A. A. Redington, Sacramento, and R. Kercheval and daughter of Courtland will arrive from the East by train this morning.

The trains East yesterday were unusually large from a large number of people going to the Nevada State Fair at Reno.

There are messages at the Western Union telegraph office for Mary McCrary, P. H. Murphy and James Wilson.

Rev. O. C. Wheeler and wife were among the passengers who left Omaha yesterday, to arrive October 1st.

Wheat is now being quite extensively hauled into the city with teams from the surrounding country.

There will arrive from the East to-day 109 immigrant overland passengers, including 60 males.

Yesterday wore a very Sunday-like appearance after the crowd and rush attending fair week.

Hon. H. F. Page will address the people of Galt to-day upon the issues of the campaign.

HELD TO ANSWER.—Officers Jackson and Rider, who attended the examination at Woodland yesterday of Frank Johnson and John Hogan, who were arrested recently in this city, charged with burglary, returned last evening, the examination having closed, and the men held in the sum of $500 each.

BURGLARY.—Last evening a man by the name of C. Borst was arrested, charged with having burglarized a room in the International Hotel and taken therefrom a shawl, sheet and a looking-glass. He was found in a saloon trying to dispose of the articles, and was arrested by local officer Coffee.

NOTARY BOND.—George E. Bates has filed his official bond as Notary Public in the Recorder's office, with L. S. Taylor and N. Greene Curtis as sureties.

DIVORCE GRANTED.—Mrs. E. J. Adams was yesterday granted a decree of divorce in the Superior Court from Francis Adams, on the ground of desertion.

WARRANT ISSUED.—The State Controller yesterday issued a warrant for $2,730 50, for the September salaries of teachers of the Normal School.

NOTARY PUBLIC.—The Governor has appointed Eugene Turner a Notary Public for Modoc county, to reside at Alturas. Original appointment.

CANDIDATE FOR SUPERVISOR.—Ben. Steinman announces his candidature to the office of Supervisor in the First District.

FOR GENTLEMEN ONLY.—Pantaloon goods at Merrill's tailoring establishment, the finest assortment the market affords. Also, a fine lot of English three quarter suitings, genuine West of England manufacture; English all-wool cord for traveling suits. Mr. Merrill has been in San Francisco for several days selecting this stock for the early Fall trade, and has paid particular attention to the quality of goods purchased. In this particular (an item of the greatest import in this business), his judgment can be relied upon. Having handled woolen goods constantly for the past six years, acquainted with every step in the manufacture, from the introduction of the raw material to the final finish of the fabric, he recognizes at a touch the presence of good and well-worked stock, and is able to detect the slightest mixture of cotton, waste or shoddy. He devotes himself exclusively to working up his business, studying the wants of his customers, and following the deviations of the market. Parties in want of fine as well as good, substantial clothing, will do well to give this house a trial. In Mr. Quatman, the cutter, they will find an expert who has carried his trade into the neighborhood of the Fine Arts. "Merrill's," No. 516 J street.

THE COMMITTEE ON SEWING MACHINES, at the late State Fair, recommended that the Wheeler & Wilson Manufacturing Company be awarded a Silver Medal for the No. 6 Manufacturing, No. 7 Button-hole (Attachment), and the new No. 8 Family Sewing Machine, being the largest display of any sewing machine company at the Fair. No other sewing machine company received so high a commendation.

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STATE FAIR.

The publication of further awards made at the late State Fair is continued.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

Class 1 (thoroughbred horses)—Theodore Winters, stallion, four years and over, $50; three years old, $30. W. L. Pritchard, stallion, two years old, $20; one year old, $15. Theodore Winters, stallion, one year old, $15; under one year old, $10. Theodore Winters, mares with colt, four years and over, $40; three years and over, $30. W. L. Pritchard, mare, three years old, $25; two years old, $15; one year old, $10; mare colt under one year, $10. (Families)—W. L. Pritchard, sire with not less than five of his colts, $50; dam with not less than two of her colts, $40. F. W. Covey (for Leland Stanford), stallion with not less than five of his colts, $50. Ben E. Harris, dam, other than thoroughbred, with not less than two of her colts, $40.

Class 8 (sweepstakes)—L. H. Titus, best stallion, silver pitcher worth $100. Theodore Winters, best mare, silver pitcher worth $100.

Class 7—William Bandren, second best saddle horse, premium of $10.

Class 3 (sweepstakes, cattle)—Coleman Younger, best bull, $50; best cow, $50; best bull and three calves under one year, $50.

Sweepstakes—Sheep—Mrs. R. Blacow, best ram and five of his lambs, $50.

Sweepstakes—Goats—J. S. Harris, best buck, $30; best doe, $20; best pen of not less than ten kids, $20.

Sweepstakes—Swine—John Rider, best boar, $40; best sow, $40; pen of six pigs, $20; best family of same breed, $25.

Recommendations made—E. Comstock, Berkshire three-year-old boar; H. Cave, sweepstakes swine, pen of six pigs; John Rider, pair Berkshire pigs under 10 months; E. Comstock, sweepstakes swine, pen of six pigs. Poultry—Eddie Earle, Seabright bantams; N. Neil, golden pheasant topknots; T. D. Morris, greatest number; Mrs. R. Blacow—Sheep—French merino sheep shorn with 17 months' fleece; stallions—W. O. Jennings, family of other than thoroughbreds.

FOURTH DEPARTMENT.

Class 2—Main & Winchester, saddles and hardware, $10. Scott & Muir, gas fixtures, etc., $10. L. L. Lewis & Co., copper-work, $10; tinware, silver medal. Z. Fetterly, beertap, special notice. W. K. Vanderslice, silverware, diploma and $25. George T. Bush, copperwork, $10; brasswork, $10; plumbers' goods and wares, silver medal; chandeliers and burners, $10. G. W. Shreve, worked iron and steel, $10; engraving on steel, diploma; shot, $5.

Class 3—Capital Gas Works, model of works, special notice; gas stoves, $5. L. L. Lewis & Co., cooking stoves, wood, $5; for coal, $5; parlor stove, $5; cooking range, $10; hollowware, $5; fruit and flower stand, $5; portable range, $5. Aitken & Fish, hot-air parlor grate, $3.

Class 9—Henry Fisher, rural church in sugar, diploma. W. F. Peterson, display of confectionery, $10. Hobby & Smith, display of stoneware, $10; Rockingham ware and stoneware, for each a diploma; drain tile, $5; terra cotta, diploma; firebrick, $3; pottery, silver medal.

Class 6—Billingsley & Co., cedarware, pineware, oakware, osier willow, $5 each; splint-wood baskets, $3; broom corn, brooms and brushes, $10; display woodenware, $25. E. H. Krause, scroll sawing, $5. William Eberhardt, oakware, turning work, carving, meretorious mention and special premium. R. Dale & Co., willowware, $10.

Class 8—Whittier, Fuller & Co., prussian blue, copal varnish, glue, prussiate of potash, linseed oil, white lead, lard oil, $5 each; lubricating oil, illuminating oil, paints of California manufacture, stained glass, ground glass, diplomas for each recommended. B. B. Scott & Son, writing fluid, $2; yeast cake, diploma. C. C. Burr & Co., mustard and spices, diploma; salad oil, diploma; nutrient phosphate and sugar of malt, diploma. C. W. Rapp & Co., tea, diploma. Widington & Bagley, display of soap, silver medal; bleaching soap, diploma. Adams, McNeill & Co., baking-powder, diploma.

FIFTH DEPARTMENT.

Class 1—George Spiker, California tobacco, silver medal; display manufactured tobacco, diploma and $10; cigars of California tobacco, diploma and $10. S. Tryon, bale of California cotton, $50.

Class 2—Flour and grain, etc. The committee reported as follows, the report being given fully as necessary to an understanding of the awards:

Your Committee on Flour and Grain beg leave to report that they had made the following awards:

Best sample of flour—John Bidwell. (No other exhibition.)

Greatest variety of wheat in ear or head—John Bidwell.

Best sample of hops—O. D. Lovdall.

Samples of corn, seeds, etc., on exhibition, were not in sufficient quantities to enable the committee, under the rules of the society, to award premiums, but were excellent in character and quality, especially several varieties of garden seeds raised by Myrtle Dickinson, a young girl 13 years of age.

The committee, being restricted to giving a premium for the best two varieties of wheat, unhesitatingly awarded it to the Tuscany and Genesee varieties, the best exhibit of which was by John Bidwell. The committee are of the opinion that they contain within themselves the weight, elements and general character that constitute the best bread making wheat—the most profitable for the farmer to raise, the miller to grind, and, not the least important, the consumer to buy—but, in so stating, wish to add that the varieties known as propo, Australian, club and Sonora, exhibited by G. W. Colby, were the best of their kinds on exhibition, and the white Chile and Tuscany of H. Cronkite very fine also.

The exhibit of the different varieties of corn, made by John Bidwell, shows to what perfection that valuable grain has attained. The quantities were too small for a premium, and hence we award the premium for the best bushel to H. B. Gilbert.

There were bales of hops in competition for the first premium, placed by Messrs. Daniel Flint, Flint & Lehmen, O. D. Lovdall and A. Moulton, all of which were of so superior a character that the committee found much difficulty in making an award, but concluded that the bale of O. D. Lovdall was entitled to the first premium, and so awarded.

M. Waterman & Co. placed three varieties of imported Australian wheat for inspection, which the committee reported to be very superior; and, in view of the great importance to our grain interests, recommend to our farmers to frequently obtain their seed wheat from abroad, as one of the best means of insuring the permanent superiority of our California wheat.

The College of Agriculture of the University of California exhibits 132 varieties of cereal grains, grown without irrigation, on the experimental grounds at Berkeley, Alameda. Of these, 86 varieties are of wheat, 32 of barley, 13 of rye, and one of oats. This is a part of the collection brought together for the purpose of illustrating lectures before the students in agriculture. In response to a call for contributions of specimens of grains grown in the late numerous contributions have been received of grain in the head, accompanied with the clean-thrashed product. The greater number of varieties, however, were bought of a reputable seed house in Erfurt, Germany. More than one hundred kinds were thus secured in one importation. The quantity of each was but small, so that the cost was very light compared with the benefit which will be derived from them by the farmers of the State. It is the intention of those in charge of the College of Agriculture to devise some efficient method of distributing the most promising of these grains among the most practical farmers of the State, as soon as seed can be spared for that purpose. It is expected that it will take some time to acclimatize grains brought from the moist climate of Europe to our comparatively dry one. The barley specimens bear out the reputation for hardiness of that plant, and show that the climate of Berkeley is well suited to their vigorous growth, although critical judges may say that the location is too near the coast to give the best color. The rye come next in quality, but will probably be improved in the future. There is but one specimen of oats—the Black Tartar—and that shows a vigorous growth. Of the other varieties of oats grown, some were very promising, and all will be tried again on the University grounds, and also sent to the true oat-growing region of the State on the northern coast. The wheats have in general much handsomer heads than the original imported ones which were shown at the State Fair last season, most of the thrashed specimens are waiting in plumpness, and show that they were winter wheats in Europe. Your committee take this opportunity of commending the praiseworthy exertions of the Professor of Agriculture of the State University and his assistants in the valuable experiments they have made in this department, which must result in great good to our State, and will in time be one of the most important aids in producing those kinds of cereals best adapted to our climate, thus enriching our own people and benefiting the whole world. While, as a committee to make awards for the best exhibits, it may be regarded as inappropriate to make suggestions outside of the direct line of their duties, they will venture to remark that many complaints have been made here, and what is of more consequence, in Europe, that too little attention is paid to the proper harvesting of our wheat, whereby gravel, quartz and dirt is permitted to be shipped, sacked and sold as wheat. While it is not a supposable case that any farmer would knowingly permit such an unwise piece of carelessness, it has all the effect of an intentional fraud with the foreign purchaser; and though the most of our farmers will and do use all efforts to prevent it, the indiscreet carelessness, or, perhaps, dishonesty, of a few, does every grain-grower of our state a great injury—one that may, indeed, lead to a permanent loss to the whole State. One cause assigned for this is aid to the great extent of land cultivated by individuals, amounting to many thousands of acres in some instances. It is urged that on such farms harvesting is necessarily hurried, and proper care cannot be taken for want of time. If this be so, then it is very desirable that the era of smaller farms, and a larger number of farms, may soon arrive.

L. WILLIAMS,
J. R. WATSON,
J. W. B. MONTGOMERY,
Committee.

Class 3—A. B. Gilbert, green corn, $3; watermelons, $2; Nelson Hatch, potatoes, special premium; F. Bahle, cucumbers, $2; A. L. Tryon, squashes, $2; Mrs. M. Sprague, squashes, special premium; G. T. Bascom, tomatoes, $3; squashes, $6; beets, $6; P. Brussi, potatoes, beets, cabbages, lettuce, onions, peppers, salsify, celery, beans, cucumbers, egg plants, $41; E. B. Hunt, pie pumpkins, $3; G. T. Bascom, peas, $3; D. McGregor, watermelons, $3; F. Gabrielle, potatoes, parsnips, carrots, cabbage, cauliflower, brocioli, onions, muskmelons, beans, table vegetables, $62.

Class 4—Thomas O'Brien, cut flowers, $10; T. Luderman, rare plants, $10; F. A. Ebel, foliage plants, $20; greenhouse and window plants, $15; bouquets, $10; F. Kunz, flowering plants, roses, fuchsias, $40; T. Duffy, hanging baskets with flowers, $5.

Classes 5 and 6—Mrs. E. F. Aiken, brown bread, $5; J. B. Jewell, cheese under one year old, $10; W. H. Lowell, cheese four years old, $10; Rider & Russell, display of cheese, $15 and diploma; W. F. Hicks, soda biscuit, $2; Mrs. H. Cronkite, rye bread, $5; wheat bread, $5; soda biscuit, $2; Mrs. W. Bassett, butter, $15; James Askew, butter, $15; Mrs. W. F. Hicks, corn bread, $5; F. P. Lowell, domestic bread, $10; Clara A. Murphy, display of biscuit, $2; W. F. Peterson, baker's bread, $3.

Class 3—F. Gabrielle, beans, peas and vegetables, $31; W. C. Hull, watermelons, special premium.

Miscellaneous Department—Davis Sewing Machine Company, diploma; C. W. Clarke, water-filter, silver medal; I. L. Merrill, asbestos boiler covering, pulverized talc and ochre, etc., two diplomas and two honorable mentions; J. M. Bisaillon, washing machine, honorable mention; L. L. Lewis & Co., scroll sawing machine, honorable mention; C. H. Lanahe, ant-proof safes, diploma; Osgood & Alexander, fire-escape, diploma; B. N. Bugbey, Wible's vehicle axles and model, silver medal; Wible's patent axle cushions, diploma; model of drawbridge, honorable mention; J. Simon, burglar-proof door-knob alarm, diploma; G. N. Milco, Buhach insect powder, diploma; Buhach insufflator, honorable mention; Geo. Wenzel, apple and grape crusher and separator, silver medal; cider press, honorable mention; Mrs. L. E. McMahan, cider vinegar, diploma: E. W. Melvin, flour sifter, silver medal; G. W. Garland, sewer trap, silver medal; John Reardon, window screen, diploma; G. G. Nickson, incubator, artificial mother and Lamotte's artificial mother, two diplomas; R. Wilkinson, apple parer and corer, diploma; A. Husing, German green salve, honorable mention; J. H. Gates, Hall's Pepsin bitters, silver medal; Mrs. L. A. Hill, insect powder, silver medal; Mrs. J. Kindleberger, sham holder, silver medal; F. P. M. Fenn, meat and vegetable slicer, $2 50; Hobby & Smith, Guinean's refrigerator, silver medal; Guinean's spring filter, diploma.

SIXTH DEPARTMENT.

Grapes—P. H. Murphy, varieties of table grapes, $5; wine grapes, $15; Mrs. H. Cronkite, table grapes, $5; R. S. Lockett, wine grapes, $5; raisin grapes, $3; display of grapes, $20; Thomas Hardie, raisin grapes, $10; raisins, special premium; James Rutter, raisins, $15; table grapes $15.

NOTE.

The three pieces of marble statuary awarded premiums, and given in the catalogue as worked by the pupils in the School of Design, should have been credited to the handiwork of F. Flohr, sculptor, Sacramento.

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE.

Filed September 24th.

Cornelius Cole to C. W. Hoit—September 23, 1880; lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, being the north half of the block between X and Y, Eighth and Ninth streets, Sacramento; $100.

Filed September 25th.

James Bryson to Mary Perkins—April 1, 1869; all of survey No. 362, swamp and overflowed lands, township 4 north, range 4 east, being a portion of the north half of section 20, the south half of section 17, and the northeast quarter of section 19; $8,000.

The People's Savings Bank to Diana Tibbs—September 3, 1880; south 21 feet of the north 81 feet of lot 5, between P and Q, Fifth and Sixth streets, Sacramento; $500.

Filed September 27th.

W. J. Adams to T. J. Clunie—September 25, 1880; lot 5, between L and M, Front and Second streets, Sacramento; $3,000.

W. C. Crosett to Mrs. F. C. Durant—September 24, 1880; lots 1 and 2 in block 53, Folsom; $550.

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