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I WILL PAY A FAIR PRICE FOR THE BOUND numbers of the SACRAMENTO DAILY UNION from its beginning to July 1, 1854. Also for bound numbers of same paper from January 1, 1870, to its merging into the RECORD-UNION. Also for numbers of RECORD-UNION from its commencement to date. GEO CADWALADER.
Sacramento, December 13, 1880. d14-2w

$75 REWARD.—STOLEN FROM H. S. DEANOR, one mile east of Woodland, Yolo county, California, on Sunday Evening, November 28, 1880, one SORREL HORSE, four years old; weight, about 1,200 pounds; white star in forehead; two white legs behind; thin tail. Also, one COAL-BLACK HORSE, four years old; weight, 1,150 pounds; heavy tail, carries it crooked; stands and walks pigeon-toed. The above reward will be paid for the recovery of the horses and conviction of the thief. F. M. RAHM, Sheriff. Woodland, November 29, 1880. d14-1p2w

FURNITURE WANTED.—I WILL PAY ONE-third more for Household Furniture, Stoves, Carpets, etc., than any other cash buyer. S. POSKA, No. 717 J street, between Seventh and Eighth, Sacramento. d1-1plm

EMPLOYMENT OFFICE.

WANTED—ALL KINDS HELP, MALE AND Female. Particular attention paid to Furnishing Hotels, Private Families and Farmers with Help, Free of Charge to employers. HOUSTON & CO., one door south of Fourth and K streets, Sacramento city. n13-1tf

TO LET OR FOR SALE.

Advertisements of five lines in this department are inserted for 25 cents for one time; three times for 50 cents or 75 cents per week.

$1,600 WILL NOW BUY 40 ACRES OF best kind of GRAPE LAND, three miles from Capitol. If your ever had a notion to buy land near Sacramento for grape or fruit farming, you should investigate this now, and quick, too. Terms and particulars, at STROBEL'S Office, No. 321 J street. d22-3t&swltS

FURNISHED HOUSE TO LET, SUITABLE for housekeeping for a small family. Inquire within, No. 1213 Ninth, between L and M streets. d22-1w*

TO LET.—A SUITE OF FRONT ROOMS, nicely furnished, at 710 K street, between Seventh and Eighth. Gas and stove in rooms. Also, single rooms, reasonable. d22-1w*

FOR SALE—TWO THOROUGH-bred Jersey BULLS, two and three years old next spring; grand-dam imported direct from England, of a stock very superior in size and quality. The mother of these bulls can be seen here, and is the finest Jersey cow for size, quantity and quality of milk, in this State. Apply to McGEE BROS.' LIVERY STABLE, Second street, between J and K, Sacramento City. d21 2w

FOR SALE—THAT DESIRABLE RESIDENCE on H street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth, containing eight rooms and all modern improvements. House nearly new. For further particulars inquire at 1236 H street. d21-1w*

$9,000 TO LOAN ON APPROVED REAL estate security. Apply to W. C. FELCH at his loan office, 1013 Fourth street, St. George Building, or to P. H. RUSSELL, 719 J street. d15-tf

FIRST-CLASS ROOMS, SINGLE OR IN SUITE. Prices to suit the times. The accommodations of this new house are unsurpassed, and will be kept strictly first-class. Also, Unfurnished Rooms. CLUNIE BUILDING, northeast corner of Eighth and K streets. d3-1plm

FOR SALE.—THE HANDSOME AND Commodious RESIDENCE (new) of P. S. LAWSON, together with its Splendid Furniture. Situated on O street, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth, No. 1511. Will be sold at cost price. Inquire on premises; or at shop, No. 415 K street. d2-tf

FOR SALE—CHEAP, 400 SECOND hand PORK BARRELS, at C. SCHAEFER'S, No. 89 Front street, between K and L, Sacramento. d1-1m

NATHAN'S BUILDING, CORNER SEVENTH and I streets—Pleasant furnished rooms, with or without board. n26-tf

A. LEONARD,

Insurance and Real Estate,

No. 1012 Fourth street,

Represents Both Home and Eastern Insurance Companies.

TO RENT,

THE ELEGANT TWO-STORY AND BASEMENT FRAME HOUSE, No. 1215 L street (FRONTING CAPITOL PARK). The house is entirely new, having never been occupied; has seven large rooms, bath and closets, hot and cold water, gas and gas fixtures throughout. Rent, $45.

—ALSO—

The Two-story Frame House, No. 2113 L street, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second, containing Eight Hard-finished Rooms and Summer Kitchen, with Lot 80x160, Stable and Chicken-house. Rent, $25.

—ALSO—

House on Corner of Fourteenth and F streets, 6 rooms; Rent, $16. Also, House No. 1325 F street, 6 rooms, hard-finished; Rent, $16.

FOR SALE—Houses and Lots in various portions of the city. d8-2plm

AMERICAN LAUNDRY.

IN CONSEQUENCE OF PUTTING IN NEW machinery, I will sell on the premises cheap for cash:

One Portable Boiler and Engine; one horse-power; three Water-Backs or Heaters, all in good condition. d1-1plm* [B. C.] S. B. COOLEY, Proprietor.

VASES! VASES! VASES!

THE FINEST SELECTION OF VASES AND Toilet Sets in town will be sold VERY LOW, as they must be closed out before JANUARY 1ST.

☞ No Reasonable Offer Refused! ☜

—ALSO—

GLOVES! GLOVES! GLOVES!

A large stock of MILLS, LEAK & CO.'S CELEBRATED FINE GLOVES for Ladies, Gents and Children; and BUCK GLOVES, of home manufacture, at

GEO. D. ALLMOND'S,
Sewing Machine Headquarters, 806 J st.
d21-1plw

HALE BROS. & CO.

We Have Two Announcements to Make!

THE FIRST

Is something everybody should know distinctly, although we have several times announced it already, but not in so CONSPICUOUS A MANNER.

Inquiries are constantly made of us, as to whether WE SELL ON CREDIT TO RELIABLE PARTIES. The question being often asked, leads us to believe that this point in our business principles is not fully understood by those who are most interested, and therefore we deem it well to bring the subject emphatically forward.

Accordingly, we have to state that no matter how good their credit may be, or however honorable may be their reputation, socially or financially, no one can obtain any goods whatever from our House unless by paying CASH for them.

WE SELL NOTHING ON CREDIT!

The remarkable success of our business in Sacramento shows that there is in this city an intelligent class of consumers, for servicable goods, able and willing to pay CASH for what they get, and present indications show that we are in a field where it is possible to build up the largest business on this coast, by relying only upon CASH CUSTOMERS, and availing ourselves of the immense advantage CASH Receipts give us in buying and selling.

THE SECOND

Announcement is not in regard to principles, but

IN REGARD TO GOODS.

For good principles in any business are all very well in their way, but to be of public service they must be followed up by proper evidence that the adoption of those principles and methods has for its result

MORE GOODS FOR THE MONEY,

—AND—

LESS MONEY FOR BETTER GOODS

Than by the old and fossil methods of business procedure.

Our purchases are not for ONE, but for FIVE large Houses on this coast, none of them being smaller than in Sacramento.

Our Purchases are all for CASH.
Our Premises are Our Own and Paid For.
Our Entire Sales are for CASH.
Our Expenses are Light
We Ask for Our Goods the Only Price We Take.
Our Methods are Straightforward, and
Our Principle is to "Serve Each as we Serve All!"

And, with such advantages, WE WOULD GO OUT OF BUSINESS did we not believe that we can to-day offer the best value in DRY GOODS AND FANCY GOODS that has ever been offered in Sacramento or any city on the coast.

TO TEST THIS,

We ask the pleasure of a visit from any and all of those who desire to Price or Examine Our Goods.

We have no cut and dried set of annoying rules and regulations, to show people that we consider ourselves better than they.

We ask all to make themselves at home in our House. Our Salesmen are not paid to rush our friends through their hands at the top of their speed. Our aim is to treat visitors so that they may feel there is ONE HOUSE IN SACRAMENTO capable of properly supplying their wants, in the most simple manner; and if we are busy when visitors call to PRICE and INVESTIGATE, we would remind them that they can see our prices for themselves, as

ALL OUR GOODS ARE PLAINLY MARKED

AT THE SELLING PRICE!

Hale Bros. & Co.

MECHANICS' STORE.

We Shall This Week Lay Before Our Customers

—A VERY LARGE LINE OF—

DRESS LENGTHS

Of from 6 to 15 yards each, suitable for HOLIDAY PRESENTS!

THE PRICES WILL RANGE FROM

50c a Length and Upwards!

These who are desirous of presenting their Lady Friends with a Suitable and Acceptable Gift, should see these goods before deciding what to select.

WE CALL ATTENTION TO THE ELEGANT ASSORTMENT OF

☞ New Goods in All Departments!

SUITED FOR HOLIDAY GIFTS!

A FULL AND COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF

"TOYS!" "TOYS!"
"TOYS!"
"TOYS!" "TOYS!"

PRESENTS SUITABLE FOR GENTLEMEN:

White Shirts,	Scarfs,
Suspenders,	Handkerchiefs,
Fancy Hosiery,	Mufflers,
Sleeve Buttons,	Scarf Pins,
Toilet Sets,	Pocket Cutlery,

SILK HANDKERCHIEFS!

Chains,	Watch Charms, Rings,
Lockets,	Cigar Cases,
Meerschaum Pipes,	Cigar Holders,
Fancy Slippers,	Clocks,
Hats, Caps,	Kid Gloves,
Diaries,	Albums,

AND ANY NUMBER OF OTHER ARTICLES ABOUNDING IN ALL OUR DEPARTMENTS.

Presents Suitable for Ladies:

Sealskin Purses,	Silk Ties,
Initial Handkerchiefs,	Lace Handkerchiefs,
Embroidered do.,	Lace Ties,
Silk Handkerchiefs,	Kid Gloves,

FANS. FANS. FANS.

Leather Purses,	Handkerchief Boxes,

DRESS LENGTHS!	DRESS LENGTHS!
Shawls,	Picture Frames,
Cloaks,	Clocks,
Dolmans,	Sets of Jewelry,
Fancy Slippers,	Ear-rings,
Toilet Slippers,	Breastpins,
Hats, Bonnets,	Bracelets,
Albums,	Toilet Sets,
Writing Desks,	Fancy Hosiery,

AND THOUSANDS OF OTHER ARTICLES.

☞ To accommodate purchasers of Holiday Goods, our Stores will be kept open MONDAY, TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY EVENINGS, until 8 o'clock; THURSDAY and FRIDAY EVENINGS, until 10 o'clock.

ONE PRICE!

MECHANICS' STORE,

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

WEINSTOCK & LUBIN - - - PROPRIETORS.

PACIFIC COAST.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES TO THE RECORD-UNION.

REPORTS REGARDING THE STORM.

A Miner Washed Through a Tunnel and Killed.

PASSENGERS FROM THE EAST BY RAIL.

Fatal Affray Between Rival Wood-dealers at Virginia.

CALIFORNIA.

Weather Reports.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 24th.—Christmas eve was ushered in by a driving storm of wind and rain, which has lengthened the visages of the shopkeepers. The holiday trade, however has been quite brisk for several days past, though much checked by the disagreeable weather that has prevailed.

LATHROP, December 24th.—We are having a protracted season of rain and gloom. The rainfall for the season to date is 5 80 inches, against 3.70 inches for the last season to the same date.

PLEASANTON, December 24th.—It is now raining very hard, with a strong south wind. Rainfall to date, 10 50 inches.

SAN JOSE, December 24th.—To-day has been one of the most disagreeable of the season. A light, drizzling rain has fallen since morning, retarding in a great measure the usual holiday business. Appearances indicate that the rain will continue throughout the night.

LOS ANGELES, December 24th.—It cleared about 9 A. M. until 4 P. M., when it clouded up. It is foggy to-night. Total rainfall since Sunday, 2.41 inches, and for the season 9.18 inches.

SANTA BARBARA, December 24th.—It has rained day and night for ten days, 8 27 inches having fallen in that time, making a total of 10 inches for the season. It is still raining.

SIERRA CITY, December 24th.—Rain has been steadily falling all day, and the shower still continues, with the mercury at 7 o'clock at 40°. It is snowing on the high ridges.

Man Killed in a Landslide—Narrow Escape of Chinamen.

NEVADA, December 24th.—During a bank-slide which occurred last evening in the hydraulic diggings of the English Gravel Mining Company at You Bet, John Bickford, a miner in the employ of the company, and two Chinamen were caved on, and carried with the slide to the mouth of the bed-rock tunnel, through which they were washed by a stream of water of about 3,000 inches, and carried into the dump known as Steep Hollow. Bickford was taken out dead, his body being considerably mangled. The two Chinamen were found alive with slight injuries.

Death of a Pioneer.

MARYSVILLE, December 24th.—Domingo Cuadra, a native of Chile, one of our oldest residents, died this morning after a brief illness, of congestion of the lungs, aged 45. He has resided in this city since September, 1849, and was a member of the Marysville Pioneer Association.

Sudden Death of a Young Man.

IONE, December 24th.—John Frank Winchell, of Ione, 28 years old, and a native of Illinois, died last night in his bed at the residence of A. Sheakly. His death was not discovered until this morning. A Coroner's jury was summoned, and a verdict rendered of death from inflammation in the head, arising from injuries received several years ago by being thrown from a horse.

Passengers Passing Mojave.

MOJAVE, December 24th.—The following overland passengers, by Southern Pacific Railroad, passed Mojave to-day, to arrive in San Francisco to-morrow: W. L. Wheeling, Globe; S. G. Murphy, San Francisco; J. G. Smith, F. H. Lord, Tombstone; Mrs. C. H. Lord, A. Sanado, Tucson; H. Rogers, Santa Barbara; Mrs. Wm. Hood, El Paso; Mrs. R. C. Powers, Arizona.

NEVADA.

Passengers Passing Carlin.

CARLIN, December 24th.—The following passengers passed Carlin to-day, to arrive in Sacramento December 25th: Mrs. E. A. Low, Wisconsin; Mrs. A. Clark, Reno, Nev.; H. P. Blanchard, Charles Rowan, Matt. Deamond, Miss Eva B. Comphousen, Ben. C. Truman and family, San Francisco; J. H. Faucett, Illinois; W. F. Sawyer, Chicago; Mrs. Henry Wetherbee, Mrs. R. W. Kirkham, Miss M. L. Van Blascom, Mrs. M. R. Powers, Oakland; General O. O. Howard, Washington Territory; Captain J. A. Sladen, Portland; W. W. Walker, Iowa; A. W. Cutts and wife, Reno; Mrs. Alfred Doane, T. H. Doane, Boston; W. P. Hyrons and wife, Wilmington, Del.; Arthur Sherman, Chicago; T. C. Pohle, New York; William H. Raves, California; Edwin Berckerley, Denver, Col.; J. B. Tolley, J. Z. Kelly, Carson City, Nev.; Stephen Cooper, California; W. S. Barrett, Montana; 47 emigrants, including 33 males, to arrive in Sacramento December 26th.

Deadly Affray at Virginia.

VIRGINIA, December 24th.—At 9 o'clock to-day Matthew Patterson and A. Dussault, opposition wood dealers, fell to paying "Washoe compliments" to each other. Patterson pulled a pistol and shot over Dussault's head. A clinch followed, both going down, when Patterson shot Dussault through the body. The latter then picked up a shovel and beat Patterson over the head. He died at 10 A. M. It is not thought that Dussault can recover. He is unmarried, and 36 years old.

SAN FRANCISCO ITEMS.

[From San Francisco exchanges of December 24th.]

Mayor Kalloch has signed the Hack ordinance.

The Courts in the new City Hall have taken a recess until January 3, 1881.

The imports at San Francisco for October were $4,622,200, and for the first ten months of the year $30,647,700.

Two cases of small-pox were reported to the Health Office to-day, one on Market street and the other on Annie street.

On Tuesday last a mortgage for $1,000,000 went on record from the San Francisco and Ocean Shore Railroad Company to the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company, for a period of thirty years, at 7 per cent. per annum.

The mystery surrounding the murder of Miss Fredericka Drell, who was found strangled at her residence, No. 702 California street, early last Tuesday morning, is, as far as the public are concerned, as deep as ever.

Judge Wilson of the Superior Court dismissed the citation issued to Thomas Desmond, to-day, in the proceedings to remove him from the office of Sheriff under the provisions of an Act entitled "An Act for the removal of Civil Officers," approved March 30, 1874.

In the matter of the Judgship contest of J. V. Coffey vs. M. A. Edmonds, pending before Judge Evans of the Superior Court, the votes cast in 28 of the 154 precincts in the city have been counted with the following result: Edmonds gains 12 and loses 2, a net gain of 10, and Coffey gains 10 and loses 2, a net gain of 8. The count will be resumed on Monday morning.

The preliminary examination of Anthony Fischer, on a charge of assault to murder Railroad Commissioner Beerstecher, was up in the Police Court yesterday afternoon, and upon the showing that Mr. Beerstecher was unable on account of his wound to appear against his assailant, a continuance was granted for one week. At the prisoner's request he was transferred to the County Jail.

PACIFIC COAST ITEMS.

There are 1,115 Chinese in Amador county.

The Tombstone (Arizona) townsite fight is still raging.

The Wallapais Indians, Arizona, are said to be starving.

Mail carriers report an unusual fall of snow in Wasco county, Oregon.

The population of Santa Cruz county is 12,801, of whom 7,248 are males.

The Little river mills, Mendocino county, have shut down for the winter.

The dedication of the Masonic Temple at Oakland takes place on December 27th.

There is an epidemic among horses at Umpqua Ferry, Or., and a number have died.

The Indian Church at Puyallup, W. T., numbers 220 members. Rev. Mr. Mann is pastor.

Two new vessels are being built in Humboldt bay, one to cost $14,000, the other $18,000.

The Government crib-work at Coos Bay, Or., has proved very effective in improving the harbor.

Grizzly bears are disagreeably numerous, and stock suffers therefrom, in some parts of Lake county, Oregon.

W. S. Lofton claims to have found gold on the head of Dorris creek, Lake county, Oregon, in considerable quantity.

Wm. Bybee, of Jackson county, Oregon, has sent in the past twenty years 20,000 fatted hogs to the California market.

Work is progressing on the new town hall at Jacksonville, Or., and it will be completed during the fore part of 1881.

Beavers are quite numerous along the banks of the Feather river. Those taken are reported very large, and their fur fine and saleable.

A deer was run into the reservoir of the Amador Canal Company, near Sutter Creek, Amador county, Friday, and killed by Mr. Walkmeister.

The assessment rolls show the value of all property in Alameda county to be $59 736,000; deducting mortgages there is $49,299,000.

The Oregon *Astorian* says there are 16,000 cases of salmon at Pillar Rock, 20,000 at Clifton, and at other points about 25,000 cases yet to ship.

The Board of Supervisors of Alameda county are again getting agitated about the boundary line between Alameda and Contra Costa counties.

Hotels at The Dalles, Or., are crowded. The Umatilla and Cosmopolitan are feeding over 500 people every day, and the number is steadily increasing.

The total vote for Delegate from Washington Territory in 1880 numbered 15,823, and that of 1878, 12,647—a gain of 3,176, or a little over 25 per cent.

The most costly building in the country, when completed, will be the Mormon Temple at Salt Lake City, the cost of which is estimated at $27,000,000.

Jo. Wall, of Humboldt county, lost his way in the mountains last week, and was snowed in for two days in a deep gulch and badly frozen. He is in the Eureka hospital.

Sand Island, near the mouth of the Columbia river, is to be converted into a salmon-fishing station, which will also be provided with a complete life-saving outfit.

There are three sheep-buyers in Bakersfield from Utah, who propose to purchase 20,000 sheep to drive to Utah in the spring. They are paying $1 50 to $2 per head.

M. S. Beach, while recently plowing in his field in the northern part of Marysville, turned up with the sod an old gold watch that had apparently been buried there many years.

Considerable syrup has been made from watermelons by George Jackson of Rogue river, Oregon. The melons are run through a cider mill and the juice strained and boiled down to the proper condition.

Says the Portland *Oregonian*: Andrew Berger, a pauper, died last week near Springfield. He had trusted his children with his property, and in return was thrust out upon the charity of the cold world.

Both Montana and Dakota are rapidly filling up. Where last year there was nothing but a wilderness along the river bank, this year there are squatters' cabins scattered everywhere, villages, and sometimes mining towns.

Josephine county, Oregon, has a veteran of the war of 1812. His name is Hosea Brown. He is now in his 90th year, draws his pension, and though bent by weight of years is active mentally and physically and makes bee culture a specialty.

All the inmates of the Nevada State Prison, 126 in number, have just been vaccinated—all except one man, who thought he saw in the operation a job put up to place a mark upon him by which he would be known after being turned out.

Says the Portland *Oregonian*: The potlatch on Guemes Island, W. T., was attended by 3,500 Indians and about 230 canoes. The practices indulged at these gatherings are demoralizing in the extreme, and should be discountenanced by those in charge of the Indians.

A. B. White and John Sharp, of Marysville, says the *Appeal*, and a gentleman residing at Sacramento, have purchased the famous Contra Costa horses, "Tommy," "Barney" and "Jack, the Clown," educated by John Sherman, together with the show outfit, for the handsome sum of $10,000.

The Carson and Tahoe Wood, Lumber and Fluming Company have shipped to the terminus of the flume at Carson 20,000,000 feet of lumber and 70,000 cords of wood as the work of the past season. The company has two sawmills at Glenbrook. Mill No. 1 sliced 12,000,000 feet of lumber this season, and the new mill cut the balance.

Says the Anaheim *Gazette*: Many months ago, while in the vicinity of Garden Grove and Westminster, we saw pear and prune trees growing on land so strongly impregnated with alkali that salt grass was the only other vegetation which it nourished. The fruit was finely flavored and in no degree tainted with the character of the soil.

Owing to the importance lately assumed by the California District, Arizona, it has been determined by the Southern Pacific Company to make San Simon a regular station, instead of a side-track and water station as first intended. A depot building will soon be erected, and regular shipments will be made from there thereafter.

The total population of Placer county, according to a recent issue of the Census Bureau, is 14,226, of which 9,515 are males, 4,711 females; 9,015 native Americans, 5,211 foreign born; 11,871 whites, 2,355 colored. Of the total, 2,196 are Chinese and 91 Indians. In population Placer ranks about the ninth or tenth county in the State.

Cornucopia was visited by a fire which destroyed, says the Tuscarora (Nev.) *Times-Review* of Tuesday, that part of the town lying west of the Cornucopia Hotel and extending to the stage stable. Powers & Co.'s butcher shop was the most valuable of the buildings burned, the others being mostly unoccupied belonging to Chinamen. The fire is supposed to have originated in the Chinese quarter.

The new ice factory in course of erection at New Orleans will turn out about 25,000 tons of ice annually, and employ about seventy-five hands.