THE DAILY RECORD-UNION.

THURSDAY.....FEBRUARY 3, 1881

ADVERTISEMENT MENTION.

Card—George R. Driggs.
F. and A. M.—Washington Lodge to-night.
Card—Death of Mrs. Hancock.
Rooms to Rent—Clunie Building.

Business Advertisements.

Julius Strutz—Wines and Liquors—Removal.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

BOARD OF CITY TRUSTEES.—The Board of City Trustees, at its deferred weekly meeting, transacted the following business: A communication was received from Richard Brown, Secretary of the Board of Fire Commissioners, asking for a tax levy of 24 cents on each $100 for the Fire Department Fund for the ensuing year. Ordered on file. A communication was also received from J. D. Lord, Secretary of the Board of Bond Commissioners, for a levy of 10 cents on each $100 for the Bond Redemption Fund. Placed on file. The monthly report from W. C. Farnsworth, Superintendent of the City Cemetery, was received, showing the number of deaths during the month in the city to have been 30; number of still-born, 6; number brought here for interment, 19; total interments, 55; amount collected from sale of lots, $241 50; from permits granted, $73; from vault dues, $20; total, $334 50; amount received from New Helvetia, $81 50, over ordinary cemetery dues. Chief Karcher submitted his report of the Police Department for January, showing 107 arrests for the month; number of lodgings furnished, 73; number of meals furnished, 1,523. John A. Cunningham, Chief Engineer of the water works, reported that during the month ending January 30, 1881, the pumps were run full time, during which 6,988,500 gallons of water were pumped and 1,072 cubic feet of coke consumed. The following bills were examined and ordered to be paid: J. F. Whyte, $1; Baker & Hamilton, 38 cents; Whittier & Fuller, $9; J. D. Lord, Treasurer of Mechanical School, $112 22; Capital Gas Company, $1,135 05; F. T. Phillips, 75 cents; Lee Young, $4; T. W. Reed, $10; Day & Joy, $58 50. The monthly salaries were also allowed. The Board then adjourned.

PROMISED SUICIDE.—The following has been received at this office, and is given verbatim et literatim: "Winters Cal Jan 31 1881—Dear Editor as I did get To go to Sanfrancisco I Will Write to you once More you Will please Give this a place in your Paper it is harde for me To say far Well to sacramento for ever and never see it again. a lase my life Is no pleser to me any more so I intend To end my life and may God for give me for it I am a member of Capital loge no 51 I O G T and I say far Well to all of them hope that I May meet them all in heeven and my dear Frnkie godbless her and save her is the prar of her Love Eddie god knows I Love her and Would Give my lif for her The lies that Was told Her has caused me to Take my life oh god save Me save me I pray my Lif is gone

Bare this to my Frankie Tell her gentley as you cane Tell her that her Eddie loved her and Will love to the end Weep not for me When I am in the deep Blue See oh Frankie my We meet in heven is the prar of your love Eddie

Dear Editor you Will plese give this a plase in your Paper T E GILLIM

Ceep this name out of the paper And sign it Ed Ward I am going to start to Sanfrancisco to day so Dear Editor good By I Will Be in my last Resting place Before This gets to you.

PROFESSOR PROCTOR'S LECTURE.—Professor R. A. Proctor, the eminent English astronomer, is to lecture before the Sacramento Literary Institute this evening on astronomy. His lecture will be illustrated with views shown through the medium of the stereopticon. Professor Proctor is now en route for London from an eight-months' lecture and observation tour in Australia and New Zealand. He was in San Francisco last spring on his way out, and efforts were made to have him lecture here then, but failed, and but one lecture probably can be secured now. He has made three visits to the United States, in 1873, 1875 and 1879-80, and in that time delivered nearly 450 lectures. He is a speaker of eloquent powers, is fluent, and possesses the art of deeply interesting his auditors in whatever he has to say. In an extended review of his lecture course, an Eastern journal thus concisely sums up: "Professor Proctor is not only one of the greatest of living astronomers, but is fortunate in having the power of imparting knowledge in a degree not equalled by any living astronomer. His style is as lucid as the light with which he deals so largely."

POLICE COURT.—In the Police Court yesterday L. Bell was tried upon the charge of embezzlement, found not guilty and discharged. Louis Smith was tried, found guilty of battery and fined $1 and costs. The charge against May McMahon of disturbing the peace was dismissed. Delia Gallagher, Sarah Tafe and Lillie Mankin were tried for disturbing the peace, found not guilty and discharged. Ah Cheoy was examined upon the charge of embezzlement of clothing from L. Elkus & Co., and held to answer with bail fixed at $2,000. W. H. Wilson and Mike Dalin, charged with grand larceny, were granted a continuance until today. The Court then adjourned.

POLICE ARRESTS.—The following arrests were made yesterday: Mary McMahan and Delia Gallagher, for disturbing the peace, by officers Fredericks and Lee; Sarah Tafe and Lillie Mankin, same charge, by Karcher, local; W. H. Wilson, for grand larceny, by officers Ferral and Fredericks; Mike Dalkin, alias Curly, same charge, by officers Jackson and Rider; Ah Cheoy, embezzlement, by officers Rider and Carroll; James Clancy, disturbing the peace, by officer Ferral; Jack Roach, same offense, by officers Rider and Ostwaldt; Raphael Vasques, common drunk, by officer Rider; Louie Pablo, disturbing the peace, by officer Rider.

HELD TO ANSWER.—The examination of Ah Cheoy for embezzlement of the clothing belonging to the firm of L. Elkus & Co., an account of which was recently given, was held yesterday before Judge Henry. The defendant sought to waive an examination, but sufficient testimony was taken to comply with the statute, which now requires that a preliminary investigation in all such cases must be made; and at the conclusion he was held to answer before the Superior Court with bail fixed at $2,000, and sent to the County Jail to await trial.

MERCHANDISE REPORT.—The following freight for Sacramento passed Ogden on the 31st: For Hall, Luhrs & Co., 11 packages and 20 butts tobacco; Baker & Hamilton, 1 box hardware; L. Elkus & Co., 1 case spool cotton; G. W. Chesley & Co., 10 boxes and 10 crates codfish; Huntington, Hopkins & Co., 145 bundles sheet iron, 1 case cutlery, 1 case locks, 1 case hardware, 1 case copper rivets and bars, 1 case wire, 2 packages meat cutters; Hale Bros. & Co., 1 bale and 1 case cotton goods, 1 case underwear.

INSTALLATION.—The following officers of Capital Lodge, No. 51, I. O. G. T., were installed by Lodge Deputy S. Katzenstein: W. C. T., Ed. Katzenstein; W. R. S., Lottie Peck; W. V. T., Jennie Logan; W. S., H. S. Brink; W. F. S., Samuel Katzenstein; W. T., Kate Smith; W. M., W. E. McKinney; W. D. M., Susie Folger; W. I. G., Annie Patterson; W. O. G., J. M. Rogers; W. C., W. O. Graves; P. W. C. T., Abe Wilson.

COMMERCIAL.—Since last report the steamer Ceres came down from Nicolaus Landing, with barge Rosalind loaded with grain, for San Francisco. The Ceres transferred the barge at this point and returned light for the upper Sacramento. The steamer Flora departed for Marysville with mail, passengers and express. The C. M. Small came down from Marysville with produce.

EARLY CLOSING.—The dry goods firms of Parsons, Kilgour & Co., C. H. Stevens & Co., Hayford Bros & Co., Rothfeld Bros., Zeimer Bros, S. Lipman & Co., N. H. Nicholl & Co., Louis Bien, F. Steinhardt, C. H. Gillman, and E. Lyon & Co. closed their respective stores last evening at 7 o'clock, and will continue to do so until the 1st day of May next.

BUSINESS CHANGE.—Julius Strutz, successor to the old-established firm of Fox & Strutz, has removed from the quarters occupied by him on J, between Second and Third streets, for the past sixteen years, and now occupies his finely fitted-up premises at 420 J street, between Fourth and Fifth.

TRADE-MARK.—"Hub Punch" is the name of a new Boston beverage, for which Graves & Sons of that city have filed their claim to the trade-mark with the Secretary of State.

PRESS DINNER.—The press representatives in the Legislature are to give a press dinner next Saturday evening at the Arcade Hotel.

NOTARY PUBLIC.—The Governor has appointed Hermann Jennings a Notary Public for Nevada county, to reside at Malakoff.

THE GREAT FLOOD.

Continuation of the High Water—Sacramento Safe—More Broken Levees.

There was an increased hight of the river yesterday, as anticipated at the time of writing the last report. After marking 26 feet during the previous afternoon and night, it rose yesterday, until between 9 and 10 o'clock A. M. it reached on the gauge at the foot of K street 26 feet 1 inch, the same as the highest point marked on the day previous. There were various reports and statements in circulation during the day that it had reached a much higher point, but the above is the correct register made at the place named. At the gauge in the center of the river above the bridge, which is not upon the same level with that at K street, several inches higher were shown, but the previous records of high water are all based upon the one here given. From about 10 A. M. yesterday the river soon fell to 26 feet, where it remained during the day and last evening without change. There was still greater interest manifested yesterday in the condition of the river than on any previous day, and not a little anxiety was also displayed on the part of many who visited the city front and railroad bridge to witness the unusual scene. Nothing, however, transpired in connection with

THE CITY DEFENSES

To give cause for apprehension. Trustee Davis states that between O and Y streets a careful inspection was made yesterday and men kept on the watch to guard against any weak points which might develop. In the neighborhood of P and Q streets sipage water was found on the inside of the levee, which was stopped by the use of bags filled with earth, and also some other little places were thus strengthened. Mr. Davis says the levee along the city front and to the Y street levee is in good condition. Some gopher holes were found and stopped just beyond Y street, in front of Drainage District No. 1.

On the south side of the city the water is running freely from Burns' slough through the Y street levee at Sixteenth street. The water backing up from the south of the city has not yet interfered at this point, and it is thought will not for some days to come. Arrangements have been made, however, with the Italian gardeners at that place, which occupy the property of Mrs. Gregory, to watch closely the situation, and as soon as the back water reaches Y street to fill the opening. They have 250 sacks filled with earth lying at the levee ready to do this work as soon as found necessary.

THE SIXTH STREET TUNNEL

Through Y-street levee, which was closed a few days since to shut out the water from below, as also the discharge opening at Eighth street, was found yesterday to be leaking, and the Trustees had ten teams hauling dirt and filling in these openings so as to make them entirely secure. Carle & Croly were yesterday engaged in making a heavy platform for the location of the machinery, engine and pumps for pumping the water over the levee in accordance with their contract just entered into with the Board of Trustees. The engine has been taken as far as Ninth and Y streets, and will be placed in position to-day and pumping commenced. This, it is expected, will draw off all the accumulated water west of Ninth street. The Trustees have notified the contractors that they will be expected to pump over the levee continuously an amount of water not less than that which would fill a pipe of four feet in diameter.

THE NORTH LEVEE.

An examination of the north levee yesterday, as far up as the beet sugar works, showed it to be, with one exception, in good condition. That exception is a point just beyond Mr. Hopping's place, where the water has made a cut into the face of the levee for a distance of thirty feet, leaving an abrupt bluff. In case a strong north wind should spring up and drive the water against this bluff, it would be liable to create a still greater cave. The place should be filled in with sandbags, and on the waters receding, should be rebuilt and the slope restored.

From Burns' place (which is about two-thirds the way from the American river railroad-bridge trestle to the beet sugar works), up to the old sugar factory, no water was yesterday, at 3 P. M., found along the base of the levee at all. In other words, the river did not reach to the foundations of the levee.

Mr. Burns stated that at his place the highest water was experienced Tuesday, and he added that the levee would then have stood fully seven feet more of water. At the railroad trestle-work the water was found to have fallen four feet from the highest mark attained this season. The water is running through the trestle slowly, the current being very weak, and little or no drift-wood appearing. Just where the north levee turns from the line of the railroad and makes east there is a road crossing over and leading to Smith's gardens, near the base of the outer slope of the levee. On this road is a bridge over a slough running into the American. At the high water of 1878 the indications were that the roadway near and beyond the bridge would wash away, and a gully be formed by enlargement of the slough. In the spring of 1880 the water for a long time was so high beyond the bridge as to prevent passage. Now the waters have left large deposits of sand where it was feared a gully would be worn out, and there has been no cutting away at all, while the bridge has not been swept away. So, too, above the railroad trestlework sand bars are already appearing above the water. These facts are considered significant, and to indicate a building up by the river on this side against itself.

FROM THE TRESTLE

Down to Rider's place the levee would have stood from seven to eight feet more of water, in the opinion of Daniel Flint, who has had much levee experience. At Rider's place yesterday the river had fallen thirty inches, and slow currents prevailed. From Rider's down to the railroad shops the levee would have stood, according to Mr. Flint's measurement, from four to five feet more water than has yet been upon it. This corresponds with the measurements of the RECORD-UNION'S representative, made at the time the water was highest during the storm. At the present time the levee between the points named would stand six feet more of water on the average. Daniel Flint, whose interests are immediately connected with the levees of District No. 1, below this city, yesterday examined the north levee, and pronounced it in fine condition. He saw no yellow sipage water, but all the sipage was black, denoting alkali soil below. He saw no sipage to occasion alarm or indicate softening of the levees. He saw no gopher holes or evidences of weakness; on the contrary, it is such a massive and substantial superstructure as to excite his warm admiration. Mr. Flint, speaking from a long experience in levee protection, coincides with the suggestions already made in these columns that the levee should be well patrolled, and the men should be provided with means at hand to close gopher holes as they develop. Sometimes these are suddenly made manifest, and if time is lost in sending for tools, sandbags and workmen, the situation may become hazardous. As an example, Mr. Flint relates that yesterday on the levee of District No. 1, about midway between the old Lovdall break and Y street, where the levee had been thoroughly searched for gopher burrows and it was agreed there were none, a large section of the levee suddenly gave way and slid out on the inside, leaving a dangerously thin wall of earth alone to resist the pressure of the river. Had it given way the section along and below Y street must have been

ALMOST INSTANTLY FLOODED.

Indeed, the levee remaining was so thin that the workmen feared to enter the place to repair it. This cave was the result of a gopher burrow, where the rascally rodent had gone into the levee from the inside about half-way up, then burrowed downward and riverward three feet, and then on a parallel with the river through the center of the levee a long distance. The sipage water accumulated in this burrow and was held there by the high outlet to it until the whole bank was weakened as described. The damage was repaired with great difficulty and the situation saved by men and ready-filled sand-bags being close at hand. Trustee Davis was asked yesterday concerning the patrolling of the levees. He replied that he had arranged for the patrol of the Front-street levee, and supposed it was watched. The RECORD-UNION statement of yesterday showed that no watchmen could be found on it from midnight to 2 A. M. yesterday. Mr. Davis has accordingly now arranged for two watchmen from O street to Y street, and proposes to see that these men are found on duty hereafter. From O street north along Front he relies upon the patrol of the police department. On the north levee he says he has placed a patrol from Seventh street to Brighton, consisting of three men with horses and with lanterns. If occasion for alarm occurs one of these is to proceed to the city and give notice, and the others remain at the point of danger. He says he has on hand a plentiful supply of sand-bags, the greater portion being stored in Crocker's railroad warehouse. Mr. Davis expressed the opinion that the whole north levee is secure, and that no danger need be apprehended from that quarter, but he should see that a strict watch over it is maintained.

Two gentlemen were yesterday afternoon inquiring for the Mayor to inform him that the son of one of them had overheard two fellows talking about what a fine chance there would be for stealing in case the city levees should break.

There is now no communication with Slater's addition beyond Pioneer mills, except by boats, and the only way of getting from house to house is by the same method. The houses have been nearly all raised since the flood of 1878, and all that have, the lower floors are still out of water. A new house being erected by M. M. Rork is being undermined by the current and settling over to one side.

OUTSIDE THE CITY.

The situation below the city for a distance of four or five miles remains unchanged, except that the breaks near Dole's have somewhat increased in extent of their openings. A force of men went there yesterday to place canvas over the ends of the levees at each side of the breaks to prevent further cutting.

A meeting is to be held to-day at Oak Hall to consider the situation, and decide whether an effort shall be made to close the breaks. A quite general opinion is expressed among property owners of the district, that it would be impracticable to make an effort to close them until the river is lower. The levee at Lovdall's ranch remains in good condition but for about three hundred feet immediately this side, the water was found to be pouring through several gopher holes, and these were stopped. A large force of men are patroling the levee. The water along the drainage canal raised about a foot yesterday, and backed up much more towards the city.

MATTERS IN WASHINGTON

Became very much more serious yesterday. At about 6 o'clock in the morning the Hoagland levee gave away about 500 feet east of the Todhunter break, and soon an opening of 100 feet was made. At first the water simply over-topped the levee, but soon it commenced to break through, and all efforts to stop it were abandoned. Before night the opening had extended to about 400 feet, and was cutting at each side quite rapidly. It was also feared that more of the levee would break nearer Washington. Soon after the flooding of Washington commenced Mr. Hoagland removed his family and furniture from his house just south of the break, and soon Washington became like a sea and could only be visited in boats. The water last evening was from four to six feet deep and still rising. Thus far no current is felt in the town, which prevents carrying away buildings and doing other similar damage.

The railroad track between Washington and Davis is submerged a distance of three or four miles, and no further trains can be run that way at present. All railroads on that side are in working order beyond Davis, except at Napa. It is thought that a boat may be put into service between Washington and Davis, but this has not yet been definitely determined upon. The breaks below Washington remain about the same as at last report. Some small leakages through the levees commenced, but were repaired.

DOWN THE RIVER.

Dispatches from Courtland last evening stated that the levee on Elk slough broke yesterday afternoon, and that water was running in upon Merritt Island rapidly. It also stated that the levee on the east side of the river five miles below there cannot hold; that men had been working on it all day, but had given it up, and that the river continued to rise rapidly. It also stated that Grand Island was all right yet, but could not stand it much longer if the water continued to raise. There was back-water up to the levees all along the river on the east side, but it was not rising.

A letter was received from C. R. Miller, at Walnut Grove, as follows: "It commenced raining here about 6 o'clock P. M. Thursday, January 27th, and continued, almost without intermission, until Sunday noon, when it partially cleared. We have had a few slight showers since. Most of the ranches are entirely submerged. The ranchers in the lower portion of the county are about to adopt a new order of things; they intend hereafter to raise their vegetables, as well as various other agricultural products, on trees. Cottonwood and willow will be mostly used, for the reason that the water does not retard their growth—they live and thrive in the water as well as out of it. And to prevent their levees being washed away, they intend hereafter to build their levees on trestle-work so high up that the water will not reach them."

THE NEWS FROM UP THE RIVER

Shows levees broken, the country to be flooded, and great loss of stock and damage to other property. The captain of the steamer C. M. Small, who came down from Marysville yesterday, says that the water was falling at Marysville when he left there, but dispatches received last night report heavy rains above there again, and that the river was rising. The captain of the Small says that the levee from Mike Bryte's to Fremont is nearly all gone, and that the long ridge of land above that point was covered for the first time ever known. He reports that cattle and stock were to be seen standing in groups wherever there were high plats of ground, and that boats had been sent to gather them up. The water covers all the country in that direction, and the scene is a desolate one.

The train between here and San Francisco will hereafter, for the present, go by way of Stockton, Tracy and Antioch, and a new time-table will go into effect to-day, as follows: The East-bound express will leave San Francisco at 8 A. M. daily, instead of 9:30 A. M., as heretofore. It will arrive here at 2:40 P. M., instead of 1:45 P. M., as formerly, and will leave at 3 P. M.

The weather yesterday at this point was cloudy and warm, with slight rain at times, which continued during the evening. At 1 o'clock this morning it was raining here very heavily, and also in the mountains, with prospects of still higher water. The river at 1 o'clock remained steady at 26 feet.

A TAXPAYEE'S SUGGESTIONS.

EDS. RECORD-UNION: I would suggest that a gang of men be employed in filling in and placing sand-bags at the foot of M, N, O, P and other streets. It might not be out of place to suggest that families living on the low grade provide a sufficient amount of fuel and food to last for a week or two. I believe that precaution is cheaper than dearly-bought experience. A TAXPAYER.

Sacramento, February 2, 1881.

BREVITIES.

Local officer Martin found a thief trying to appropriate some rope and tackle from the corner of Tenth and L streets at an early hour yesterday morning, but he was on the look-out and made good his escape.

Twenty-one immigrants will arrive from the East by overland train this afternoon.

BAND OF HOPE ENTERTAINMENT.—A literary and social entertainment for the Band of Hope was given at the Presbyterian Church last evening. It was under the management of Mrs. Gouldin, the President of the organization. The programme was very long, and included songs, dialogues, declamations, readings by many volunteers, and songs by the Band of Hope. Refreshments were served the company by a committee consisting Misses Logan, Nixon, Wheat, Hayes and Pearl, and Messrs. Katzenstein, Peirson, Ingles and Larkin.

DISTINGUISHED VISITOR.—King Kalakaua and party, consisting of Colonel Armstrong, Colonel C. H. Judd and Major G. W. McFarland and attendants, accompanied by Claus Spreckles and — Schiessler, of San Francisco, arrived in this city at about half-past 4 yesterday afternoon, and are occupying rooms at the Arcade Hotel. Upon arrival, King Kalakaua and suit were driven to the Capitol and called upon the Governor, after which the latter dined with them at the Arcade.

STATE LIBRARY TRUSTEES.—The failure of the Legislature to reconsider the measure which was proposed to give the Governor the power to appoint a Board of Directors for the State Library, leaves it the duty of the present Legislature to elect the successors of the present Board. The following are candidates: Isaac S. Belcher, Marysville; Henry Edgerton, Felix Tracy and A. C. Freeman, Sacramento; J. J. Owen, San Jose.

AUCTION SALE.—Martin Pflug & Co. will sell on the premises at the southwest corner of Twelfth and I streets, at 10:30 o'clock this morning, a two-story frame house, containing ten rooms, with all modern improvements; lot 26x80, No. 1124 I street. Also, the entire stock of groceries, counters, scales, shelving, showcases, cigars, etc., in store, southwest corner Twelfth and I streets. Also, a horse, harness and delivery wagon.

TRAIN LATE.—The overland train from the East was two hours late when it arrived at Truckee this morning, and it is expected will not arrive until 8 or 9 o'clock this forenoon.

SOMETHING NEW!—At his tailoring establishment, No. 516 J street, this morning, Mr. Merrill opens a large invoice of new and choice suitings, trowserings and dress goods, all of which have been carefully selected, and will no doubt meet the public want, and gratify the public taste. "Merrill's," No. 516 J street.

THE best appetizer out—Rock and Rye. George W. Chesley, sole agent.

CONGESTION OF THE LUNGS, inflammation of the throat, and difficulty of breathing, frequently result from a severe cold. The remedial properties combined in Dr. Jayne's Expectorant are especially designed to break up feverish and inflammatory tendencies, remove constriction of the throat, and by bringing about a free expectoration, promote natural respiration, and a speedy cure. A reputation maintained for forty years affords to all a guarantee of the practical merit of the remedy.

THE STORM.

Renewal of the Downpour—Streams Again Rising.

[SPECIAL BY TELEGRAPH TO THE RECORD-UNION.]

MARYSVILLE, February 2d.—The rain ceased a little after 8 o'clock P. M., but began again early this morning, and has been steadily falling all day, with a prospect of continuance. Nearly .75 of an inch fell, increasing the season's total to 17.10 inches, against 11 inches at same date in 1879. The weather is warm. The Yuba and Feather rivers felt the impulse of yesterday's rain, both streams rising slowly all day, the former seven inches during the last twelve hours. Reports north and east say it has been raining for the last twenty-four hours, and the streams full and rising. The city levees have stood the strain on them remarkably well, but are now so thoroughly saturated that a further rise causes some apprehension. The Levee Commissioners are vigilant, and are carefully watching the weak places. The railroad company's steamer Flora arrived this afternoon. The passengers were transferred to the west side of the company's bridge, about two miles north of the city, where a train awaited them. The road is uninjured north of the Feather river bridge. The water is all off the Oroville road, and trains are running on time. Stage travel is interrupted and irregular.

YREKA.

YREKA.—It has been raining all last night, and to-day it is still raining, with no signs of cessation. The streams have been rising fast since noon, indicating a rapid melting of snow on the mountains. Communication is cut off in all directions, and the bridges escaping the previous storms are in great danger if this storm continues much longer.

YREKA.—The stage from Scott Valley has just arrived, and had a rough trip. Scott Valley is all under water. There is no show to get near Etna, and the largest bridges are in great danger. The water is nearly on Main street in Fort Jones. The rain has just commenced (10 P. M) pouring down heavier than ever, and crops in the ground are ruined, and the prospects of seeding in the spring very dismal, as the ground will be wet until late. The streams are washing off ranches and cutting away banks extensively, and it is feared that every bridge escaping former storms will be carried away.

OTHER POINTS.

SHASTA.—No railroad communication. The storm still continues in unabated fury. The rainfall last night was 1.7 inches. The wind is still from the south.

DOWNIEVILLE—There has been a steady rainfall since Tuesday night. The shower still continues. The streams are rising, but are not so high as at the close of the recent storm. The mercury to-day noon registered 58°.

DOWNIEVILLE.—A deluge of rain is falling to-night over the mountains clear up to the loftiest peaks of the Sierra Buttes. The streams are higher than during the last storm. The mercury registered 52°. This region feeds the North Yuba.

NORTH SAN JUAN.—The storm of last week was disastrous to the ditches on this ridge, heavy slides on the mountains filling them with large bowlders and dirt. A heavy rain again set in last night, which if it continues will render the opening of the ditches impossible for some time to come. Great damage has been done to the roads, and many small bridges and culverts are washed out.

GEORGETOWN.—It is again raining hard here. It has rained lightly for the past 24 hours. The thermometer marks 60°, which at this altitude (2,750 feet) indicates that the rain must extend nearly if not quite to the summit.

THE COURTS.

SUPERIOR COURT.

CLARK, Judge.

WEDNESDAY, February 2d.

W. C. Sheldon et al. vs. G. W. Gunn et al., defendants, and T. L. Alcock et al., intervenors—Remittitur from Supreme Court filed affirming order of Court, with costs.

W. C. Sheldon et al. vs. G. W. Gunn et al.—Remittitur from Supreme Court filed reversing judgment as to intervenors, with costs.

Estate of E. W. Frazier, deceased—Final account filed, and hearing of the petition for settlement of same set for February 14, 1881, at 10 A. M.

In the matter of the petition of Lucinda Blue on behalf of Addie Gale, for a writ of habeas corpus—Writ of habeas corpus ordered to issue, returnable at 10 A. M. to-day, requiring Mary A. Yates to produce the body of Addie Gale before the Court.

S. N. Tuck vs. J. P. Tuck—Decree of divorce in favor of plaintiff on the ground of desertion.

The People's Bank vs. Samuel Poorman et al.—Case argued and submitted.

Court adjourned.

TO-DAY'S CALENDAR.

Hoke vs. Hurley.
Carter vs. Fox & Strutz.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK SALES.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 2, 1881.

MORNING SESSION.

25 Ophir	5c	60 Scorpion	80c
80 Mexican	5c	do., assessed	15c
100 Best & Belcher	81	40 Alpha	2 90
350 G. & C.	3 60	640 Sierra Nev.	5c
270 California	1 25	80 Utah	5c
63 Savage	85c	310 Bullion	1 65
630 C. Virginia	1 90	400 Exchequer	1 15
160 Chollar	1 55	150 Overman	60c
390 Potosi	1 75	380 Justice	4c
360 Hale & N.	2 05	50 Caledonia	20c
180 C. Point	1 10	75 Union	8c
200 Y. Jacket	1 60	680 Alta	90c
338 Imperial	50c	200 S Hill	10c
200 Kentuck	1 50	100 Andes	1 20
370 Belcher	85c	40 Ben on	40c
260 Concordia (Va.)	1 55	1060 M. Star	75c

AFTERNOON SESSION.

150 Jackson	25c	230 Concordia	3 55
25 G. Prize	1 50	750 Champion	4c
1000 Argenta	30c	100 Blackhawk	20c
750 Navajo	2 30	450 Booker	20c
100 Star	25c	210 Mono	1 65
500 Tuscarora	45c	40 Con. Pacific	1 10
845 Albion	1	600 S Bulwer	40c
100 Wales	75c	320 Jupiter	40c
450 Mt. Diablo	3 00	110 Noonday	2 20
100 N Belle Isle	40c	30 N Noonday	1 60
830 M. Potosi	40c	100 Manum-ith	30c
20 Belle	5c	400 So Standard	5c
200 Bechtel	7c	330 Oro	45c
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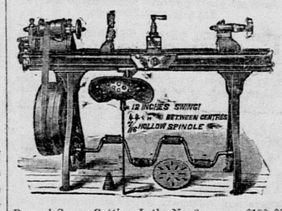

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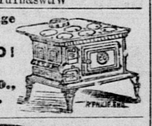

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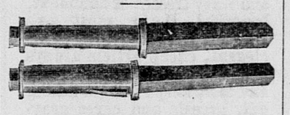

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