THE DAILY RECORD-UNION.

TUESDAY.....MARCH 22, 1881

ADVERTISEMENT MENTION.

Concert To-night—At Congregational Church.
Wanted—Young man of steady habits.
For Sale—Mountain vineyard; Carl Strobel.
British Mutual Benefit and Social Society.
Wanted—By an American woman.
Creditors—Estate of Sarah Hasselbach, deceased.
Distillery and winery in the foot-hills for sale.

Auction Sales.

Bell & Co.—Sale of Hambletonian mare to-day.
Bell & Co.—Sale of Furniture to-day.

Business Advertisements.

The People's Store—Mammoth auction sale.
San Francisco Business Directory.
James Lawrence, English Banker, Fourth and J streets.
Sacramento Planing Mill—Sash and Blinds.
Chas. W. Rapp & Co.—Choice groceries.
Mechanics' Exchange—Jacob Schmid, proprietor.
Murray & Lanman's Florida Water.
Dr. Mintie's Great English Remedies—Kirk & Co.
Henry Fisher—Fine Cakes, Ice Cream, etc.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

SENTENCE POSTPONED.—In the Superior Court yesterday, G. E. Landes, convicted of bigamy, came before the Court for sentence, but upon motion of his counsel the matter was postponed for one week to give time for preparing papers upon appeal of the case to the Supreme Court. The official reporter was instructed to transcribe into long hand the report of the testimony for use in the Court above. The main point upon which defendant's counsel rely for obtaining a new trial is that the Court permitted Mrs. Finn to testify, when, at the same time, she claimed to be his wife. The Judge, it will be remembered, in ruling upon this question when it was raised during the trial, stated to defendant's counsel that if they admitted this objection to be true (that she was his wife) then there was no necessity for further testimony, as that would prove the charge of bigamy, since the second marriage had already been proved by the prosecution. Defendant's counsel then denied the Landes-Finn marriage, whereupon Judge Clarke permitted her to testify, as her marriage had not been established. At the close of the testimony for the People the question was again raised by a motion made by the defense to strike out her testimony and to dismiss the action, as there was not sufficient proof to convict without her evidence. After full argument of the subject, the jury having been withdrawn, so that it might not be improperly influenced by the consideration of a matter exclusively within the province of the Judge, the motion was again overruled. The decision of the Court, therefore, upon the point is the result of full deliberation. The question involved is, however, somewhat novel, and one which has not been passed upon by the Supreme Court of this State.

MUCH NEEDED.—A communication was yesterday sent to the Board of City Trustees by Chief Karcher, asking that a telephone be provided in the office of the Chief of Police, connected with the central office, as a means of facilitating the work and increasing the efficiency of the police department of the city. There can be no question but that with the large number of telephone boxes now in use in the city, the placing of one at the police headquarters would enable far more effective work and quick responses to calls for police from all parts of the city. It would seem to be as indispensable for this purpose as the telegraph in connection with the alarms in the Fire Department, for the security of life and property from the operations of robbers and burglars, or the prompt suppression of other violations of law, are as essential as the protection of property from fire. The matter, upon being laid before the Board, was referred to the Mayor for his action, and no doubt a box will immediately be ordered for the Chief's office as requested. There is a general expression in favor of it, among the business people, and those who have expressed themselves in regard to it.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.—The Board of Supervisors met yesterday for its second March session. Present—Messrs. Blair, Butler, Buckley, Christy, Dremen and Wilson. John N. Larkin came before the Board and asked an appropriation of $20 to send Mr. Hood, a patient in the County Hospital, to his friends at the East. Upon motion the amount asked was appropriated for the purpose named, all voting in favor except Mr. Blair. Mr. Wilson made some remarks in reference to further county aid in closing the breaks in the Fern levee, below the city, and after consideration of the subject, $400 additional to the amount heretofore appropriated was ordered to be paid for that purpose. Under suspension of the rules claims were allowed as follows: To T. J. James, $16; J. J. Agard, $44; John Hotz, $72; P. L. Hickman, $100; Fred. Kern, $72. An application of Mrs. Howe for relief was referred to Supervisor Blair. The Board, sitting as a Swamp Board, approved warrant on Swamp Land District 215, in favor of P. H. Gardner, for $100. The Board then adjourned until 10 A. M. to-day.

INCORPORATIONS.—There have been filed in the office of the Secretary of State articles of incorporation of the San Francisco and New Mexico Mining Company of San Francisco. Directors—C. W. Randall, William J. Gunn, J. L. Holland, W. Mason, W. F. McNutt. Capital stock, $100,000, in 1,000 shares of $100 each....San Francisco Homeopathic Hospital. Directors—Mrs. Phebe E. Hearst, Mrs. Rebecca B. Head, Mrs. Mary B. Collier, Mrs. Florence L. G. Wilder, Mrs. Sara A. D. McKee, Mrs. Miranda W. Lux, Mrs. E. Vernet Gibbs and Mrs. Julia Reid.

CITY LIBRARY REPORT.—The following is the report of the Superintendent of the City Free Library for last week: Number of books issued during the week, 865. Of these there were of fiction and juvenile, 729; history, 21; biography, 15; travels, 33; miscellaneous literature, 26; poetry and drama, 19; theology, 1; science and art, 21. Average number issued per day, 123. Percentage of fiction and juvenile books, 84. Number of visitors during the week, 1,490. Average number of readers per day, 75.

BASE BALL.—Under the organization of the Columbia Base Ball Club for the present season the following officers have been chosen: President, W. Kaerth; Vice-President, C. Schmid; Treasurer, F. Krebs; Captain, Oscar Reiffarth; Secretary, George Ebert; Propertyman, H. Shuler. The club, although peaceably disposed, is now in fighting trim and has a large sized chip on its shoulder ready for the attention of any other club which feels inclined.

MERCHANDISE REPORT.—The following freight passed Ogden for Sacramento on the 19th: For Holman, Stanton & Co., 25 bundles rakes; Thomas Harper, 2 boxes shoes. For Huntington, Hopkins & Co., 490 bars, 70 bundles and 145 plates iron, 2 casks iron hinges; H. C. Kirk & Co., 1 box drugs, 2 boxes baking powder; L. L. Lewis, 22 barrels glassware.

POLICE ARRESTS.—W. T. Gore, alias W. T. Raymond, was arrested by officer Lee upon warrant from San Jose, for the alleged crime of embezzlement. Frank Letcher, for disturbing the peace, was arrested by officer Fredericks. An additional charge of drawing and exhibiting a deadly weapon was also placed against him.

CLOSING THE FERN BREAK.—Parties who were down to the works yesterday state that the piles being driven for closing the Fern break are nearly all in place and ready to receive the brush filling and weighting down with sand bags. It is expected that the break will be closed by next Friday evening.

CHALLENGE TO SHOOT.—A challenge has been received by the Forester Gun Club from the club at Stockton to shoot for a purse of $250. It is understood that the challenge will be accepted and that the match will take place in this city during the early part of April.

THE GALE CASE.—The counsel for prisoner in this case appeared yesterday at the time set for pronouncing sentence, and asked a further postponement until the 26th inst., with a view to a motion for a new trial, and additional time was allowed as requested.

POLICE COURT.—In this Court yesterday L. Wait, Sr., and L. Wait, Jr., were dismissed from charges of disturbing the peace, at the request of the prosecuting witness. Nine other cases were continued until to-day by reason of absence of City Attorney.

FIRST DAY of the opening of millinery goods was a grand success at the Red House.*

THIS Is the second day of the opening of millinery goods at the Red House.*

NEW STYLES in men's fancy Percale shirts arriving daily. Mechanics' Store. *

REMNANTS OF CASHMERE, very cheap, at L. Bien's, Eighth and J streets. *

BOARD OF CITY TRUSTEES.

Election of Various City Officers—A New Board of Health.

The Board of City Trustees held its regular meeting yesterday morning, all the members present.

The report of the engineer of the city water works showed that the works were run full time during last week. There were 6,910,250 gallons of water pumped and 1,129 cubic feet of coke consumed.

A communication was received from Chief Karcher, asking that the office of Chief of Police be connected with the telephone office. Referred to the Mayor.

A remonstrance was presented, signed by the owners of property on the south side of K street, between Twentieth and Twenty-fourth, protesting against the order passed at the last meeting of the Board which directed the construction of a sidewalk on that portion of K street, and asking that the order be reconsidered. Add. C. Hinkson appeared for the petitioners, and addressed the Board in favor of revocation of the order. D. H. Gullion opposed the granting of the request, stating that a walk was very much needed. Action was deferred one week.

A petition was received asking that a sidewalk be ordered built on Seventeenth street, between O and P. Ordered that walk be built on east side of Seventeenth, between streets named.

C. A. Lanfkotter asked permission to construct a sewer pipe along the alley between I and J streets, from Nineteenth to Thirteenth. Granted, provided the work be done under supervision of the Street Commissioner.

The ordinance in relation to boys being kept from the streets at night was read and then laid over for another week.

The resolutions presented at the last Board meeting to condemn the Tenth-street Railway, from the south side of O street to the City Cemetery, were adopted.

The official bonds of the City Assessor, Auditor and Collector, were filed and referred to the City Attorney for examination and report.

A communication was received from Weinstock & Lubin asking permission to build against the brick wall of the engine house on Fourth street. Referred to Chief Engineer Sullivan.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

The Board then proceeded to elect persons to fill certain city offices which it is provided by law shall be elected by it.

Upon motion, the term of the City Treasurer was fixed at two years.

Officers were then elected as follows: For City Treasurer, W. E. Chamberlain; City Surveyor, L. F. Bassett; Clerk of the Water Works, R. D. Seriver; Chief Engineer, J. A. Cunningham; First Assistant, Fred. Berger; Second Assistant, E. H. Williams; Firemen, Wm. Connell, J. J. Shick and M. Egan; City Tapper, J. Watt; Superintendent of City Cemeteries, S. R. Caldwell; Poundmaster, P. Brannigan; Harbormaster, N. A. Kidder; Board of Health, Drs. F. W. Hatch, G. L. Simmons, W. R. Cluness, A. B. Nixon and M. Gardner.

BILLS ALLOWED AND REJECTED.

The following bills were examined and allowed:

H. G. Smith & Co., $176; Sacramento and Placerville Railroad Company, $9 10; Taft, Totman & Farnsworth, $25; Whittier, Fuller & Co., $3 65; Fountain Bros., $2; Friend & Terry, $318 10; Sacramento Lumber Company, $84 87; Charles Harper (for laborers), $92 25; Holbrook, Merrill & Stetson, $6 63; W. R. Strong, $2 50; John Walsh, $1; S. Kingsbury, $1; George Murray, $30 30; P. Brannigan, $14 40; E. Greer, $18; *Daily Bee*, $17 80; Baker & Hamilton, $67 91; W. A. & C. S. Houghton, $44 90; M. M. Chisholm, $5; F. Foster, $3 50; Guthrie Bros., $3 75; steamer Modoc, 25 cents; Central Pacific Railroad Company, $194 50.

A bill for services of third clerk at the First Ward polls at the recent election was rejected.

The Board then adjourned.

LOCAL NOTES.

Some lively horse-racing took place on the 20th instant at Valencin's track between Galt and Elk Grove. In the first race five horses entered, and the race was won by Boy Frank. Two other races were subsequently gotten up. After the day's proceedings it was announced that Mr. Valencin would offer a purse for trotters and pacers, free for all, to take place on the 27th instant.

A catalogue of the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute of Troy, N. Y., for 1881, has been received. Virgil Hewes, of this city, appears as the only present representative from California, and who will graduate the present season. The late Judge E. B. Crocker was a member of the class which graduated from this Institute in 1833.

The weather yesterday was delightfully warm and May-like at this point. It was by far the warmest day of the season thus far. At the Bay in the forenoon the fog was a solid quantity, and the music of fog-horns and fog-bells was the only thing before the people.

During a misunderstanding last evening between S. A. Greer and Frank Letcher the latter drew a knife and threatened to cut the heart out of the former. He was arrested by officer Fredericks for disturbing the peace and drawing a deadly weapon.

Detective Dan Coffey, of San Francisco, came up last evening and will to-day return with John Griffin, arrested some days ago upon a bench warrant issued from the Police Court in that city.

J. W. Simonton, General Agent of the Associated Press, accompanied by his wife, will arrive from the East by this morning's overland train.

The river last evening marked 19 feet and 2 inches.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.—A case of attempted suicide, with good prospects of successful results, took place in Chinatown yesterday afternoon. A Chinaman named Ong Goon, who has been employed on the Sanborn ranch, a short distance out of the city, came in soon after noon and took dinner at a China restaurant on I street. As he finished his repast, he arose from the table, and in an instant drew a butcher knife from his pocket, and, throwing his head back, drew it across his throat, cutting a terrible gash and about three-fourths severing the windpipe, but missing the carotid artery. He was taken into the wagon in which he had come to town, and was being driven out towards the ranch when some officers discovered them, and regarding the matter as suspicious, took them all to the police headquarters and locked up the parties who were with him. Medical aid was called, and the cut closed and stitched, after which he was conveyed to the County Hospital, but he was in a very weakened condition when he reached there, and the wound will probably prove fatal. As soon as the real facts of the case became known the Chinamen who had been locked up were released. They state that Ong Goon has recently lost several brothers, sisters and other relations, and the act was thought to have been occasioned by despondency and unsettled mind from this cause.

AUCTION SALES.—Bell & Co. will sell today in front of their salesrooms, 908 J street, between Ninth and Tenth streets, by order of administrator, the well-known Hambletonian mare "Duchess," of the estate of D. C. Patten, deceased. Is eight years old and has trotted a half mile in 1:10. Also, at the salesrooms, at same hour, a large quantity of furniture will be sold, consisting in part of one plush parlor set, one marble-top walnut chamber set, clipper-edge mattress, one fine bed lounge, 65 yards Brussels carpet, walnut extension table, marble top center table, walnut chairs, brackets, crockery, glass and woodenware....Also, the entire stock of dry goods of the People's Store, corner of Sixth and J streets, will be sold at auction by Bell, auctioneer, commencing to-day at 2 P. M. and again at 7 this evening, and continue at these hours each day until further notice.

CONCERT TO-NIGHT.—The concert heretofore announced to be given by the ladies of the Congregational Church will be held this evening at that place. An attractive programme will be presented, and the following ladies and gentlemen will take part: Mrs. T. H. Berkey, Miss Alice Wilsey, Miss May Milliken, Mrs. Lanphere, Miss Jennie Woods, and Messrs. A. H. Price, Godwin McNeill, E. D. Crandall, W. R. Freeman, Jr., Charles H. Putnam and Edward Moore, of San Francisco.

RAILWAY CONDEMNED.—The resolutions presented at the last meeting of the Board of City Trustees to condemn as a nuisance the Tenth-street railway, from the south side of O street to the City Cemetery, and which were published last week, were at the meeting of the Board yesterday adopted. They require the City Railway Company to immediately remove the track and restore the street to the same condition that it was prior to the construction of the present line of road.

POSTOFFICE MATTERS.—A rumor was upon the streets yesterday that a new lease had been made of the present Postoffice quarters for another four years, but upon inquiry made at headquarters it was learned no notice of decision in the matter had been received from the Washington officials up to a late hour last night.

WOOL, felt, fur, beaver or "Nutria" hats, in all the desirable styles. Mechanics' Store.*

FORTY-EIGHT INCH WIDE DRAB D'ETE, only $1 50, at L. Bien's, Eighth and J. *

THE PURCELL MYSTERY AGAIN.

It is stated that Justice Buckingham, April 19, 1880, held an inquest on the body of a man found twelve miles below the city, on the Yolo side. Justice Buckingham yesterday said the body was badly decomposed, and he could not say that it resembled Purcell. The lower part of the face of the body was gone, and any identification, after a body had been seven months in water, by comparison with photographs taken in life, would be nonsense. The Justice does not attempt to make any such identification, but says the body in hight corresponded to that of Purcell, and there was a mustache on the face, such as Purcell wore. The hands were soft, as were Purcell's, but there were on the body two pairs of old overalls, whereas Purcell wore a business suit, and was a well dressed man. On the other hand, on the body mentioned by Buckingham, there was a pair of fine boots, and the under clothing was very fine, and totally at variance with the coarse and soiled overalls. The body had on it no dress shirt, only the undershirt. There was a handkerchief in one pocket—unfortunately that, though removed, has been lost. The Justice took from the pocket also six keys. Two of these bear hotel tags numbered 11 and 12. Two others are tied together by about seven inches of white string. Five of the keys are brass, and one iron. They are all long keys. One is a skeleton key. It is desirable to have these keys identified if possible. If in response to letters sent it turns out that the teeth of Purcell had been filled, or he had any peculiar conformation of any of his bones, the body examined by Buckingham will be exhumed. It is buried in New Helvetia Cemetery. It has been said that possibly the man pushed from the Yolo bridge one evening early in 1880, and whom a boatman went to rescue, but failed to save, was Purcell. Two girls saw overhead a scuffle between three men on the bridge, and one was soon pushed over, as they believed. Officer Jackson long since examined into that affair, and found by the dates that it could not have been Purcell. This officer desires parties who have lost keys with brass tops, numbered 11 and 12, to communicate with him. While the matter of the Yolo body is not deemed a clue, yet it will be followed up for all it is worth, and perhaps it may develop who that "unknown" was.

THE COURTS.

SUPERIOR COURT.

DENSON, Judge.

MONDAY, March 21st.

The People vs. Wm Gale, convicted of rape—Upon motion of prisoner's counsel, time for pronouncing sentence was continued until March 26, 1881, at 10 A. M.

Estate of Roxanna Reid, deceased—Will admitted to probate. Letters testamentary granted to Martin Wetzell. Appraisers, Edw. Cadwalader, R. T. Devlin and Fred. Cox.

Samuel Wild vs. J. A. Odell et al.—Order granted for judgment against R. D. Stephens and R. W. Parker as sureties on appeal to Supreme Court.

Estate of Sarah Haselbach, deceased—Letters of administration to Theodora Haselbach. Bond fixed at $4 500. Notice to creditors to be published in the RECORD-UNION.

Harry Curtis, by Guardian, vs. Charles Gilman et al.—Hearing of motion to retax costs continued one week.

C. F. Singleton vs. O. W. Morse—Passed.

Estate of Charles Kidder, deceased—Order entered for sale of real estate.

J. V. Sims vs. his Creditors—Motion for exemptions continued two weeks.

Estate of Jesse Lee, deceased—Decree of final settlement and distribution.

Lucinda Washburn vs. T. S. Wilkinson—Motion to settle bill of exceptions heard and taken under advisement.

H. H. Linnell vs M. C. Hawley & Co.—Motion for change of venue heard and taken under advisement.

Estate of S. B. Gregory, deceased—Hearing of final account set for next Monday. Decree entered setting aside property as homestead.

E. E. Freeman vs. J. O. Stephenson—Time of trial changed from March 31st to April 1, 1881.

A. Gomez vs. John Williams et al.—Motion for injunction heard and denied.

Wm. Beckman vs. E. M. Skaggs et al.—Execution stayed one week.

Estate of Harry J. Bell, deceased—Decree of due notice given to creditors.

L. B. Woodworth vs. his Creditors—Mr. Hill appointed assignee.

Estate of Elizabeth Kelly, deceased—Petition of contestants dismissed.

Mary Unwin vs. Edward Unwin—Default of defendant entered.

Jacob Keiper vs. Ellen Curran—Judgment for plaintiff.

Wm. Beckman vs. E. M. Skaggs et al.—Ordered that the County Treasurer pay to W. T. Wilson, of said defendants, $9,750, being the sum deposited by him with the Clerk of the Court in this action to be subject to the order of the Court.

CLARK, Judge.

The People vs. George E. Landes, convicted of bigamy—Time for passing sentence postponed, and next Monday set for same. Official stenographer directed to write out into long-hand the notes of the testimony in the case and complete the same as soon as possible.

The People vs. George M. Farr, information for felony—Case continued upon motion of defendant's counsel until March 25, 1881.

In the matter of the alleged contempt of J. A. Reavis—Matter referred to the District Attorney.

Albert Semanza vs. Mary Semanza—Case dismissed by consent without costs.

Albert Semanza vs. Mary Semanza—Judgment by consent in favor of plaintiff for $125; no costs.

Thomas Anderson vs. Richard Bilby et al.—Case heretofore set for March 23d is continued and reset for March 28, 1881.

Court adjourned.

TO-DAY'S CALENDAR.

The People vs. Mary A. Hamilton, indictment for murder.
P. Caduc vs. the People's Ice Company.
A. Heisen vs. A. Hyman.

ASSIGNMENT TO A STATE OF CLAIMS AGAINST ANOTHER STATE.—Attorney-General Ward has written a letter saying that grave doubts have been suggested as to the constitutionality of the law providing for an assignment to the State of claims against any of the United States, and adding: "The State of New Hampshire, some time prior to the passage of the New York statute, passed an act very similar to our own. Under this New Hampshire statute bonds held by a citizen of that State were duly assigned to the State of New Hampshire, and a suit in equity was brought in the name of the State in the Supreme Court of the United States against the State of Louisiana, which is still pending. It was expected that this case would have a bearing on the bill and answer in January last. Whether that has been done I am not advised. The decision of the Supreme Court in that case will undoubtedly settle the constitutional question involved in our statute, and whether the actions provided for therein can be successfully maintained."

A COLORADO EXCITEMENT.—Colorado is always enjoying some new excitement. This time it is not a mine of fabulous value, but the discovery of three skeletons at North Denver, which were found below the surface of what looked like an ancient drain. The skeletons were almost perfect when the drain was opened, but upon exposure to the air they crumbled into dust, leaving only one shinbone and two jaws in decent preservation. A little examination showed that these relics were of enormous size, and the scientists of North Denver at once proceeded to reconstruct a pre-adamite man about twelve feet tall, amid the wonder and applause of citizens and the press. Thus far no one has suggested that the explorers "have been trespassing on Jones' family vault," and that shinbone and jaws probably belong to a lost mule.

Wheat is "thrashed" for the purpose of getting out the grain; a boy is "thrashed" to get out the chaff.—[New Haven Register.

SPRING! SPRING! SPRING!—Spring and summer suits made to order for $15, $17 50, $20 and $22 at the tailoring department of the Capital Woolen Mills, 822 J street. *

LADIES', misses' and children's hose. Ladies' Fancy Goods Department, Mechanics' Store. *

ANY of the latest desirable styles of men's stiff hats can be had at Hat Department, Mechanics' Store. *

LADIES' French-kid, button shoes, $2 75 per pair, at the Red House. *

FOR A STYLISH HAT go to the Hat Department of the Red House. *

TRY the great Eastern remedy, Rock and Rye. George W. Chesley, sole agent. *

BARGAINS in hosiery, at L. Bien's. *

BARGAINS in summer silks, at L. Bien's.*

BARGAINS in flannels, at L. Bien's. *

IMPERIAL LACED KID GLOVES, 6, 10 and 14 hooks, in all colors. Mechanics' Store. *

STRAW HATS, linen hats, worsted hats, alpacca hats and cloth hats. Mechanics' Store. *

BROAD or narrow brimed straw hats. Hat Department, Mechanics' Store. *

SEE THE immense display of millinery goods at the Red House to-day. *

BARGAINS in brocade silks, at L. Bien's.*

BARGAINS in table linens, at L. Bien's. *

SILK CAPS, for traveling or evening wear. Mechanics' Store. *

ST. PETERSBURG.

Graphic Description of the Czar's Funeral.

A MOST IMPOSING PAGEANT.

The City Draped in Black—Guns Fired and Bells Tolled.

FURTHER ARRESTS OF CONSPIRATORS.

No Extraordinary Measures of Repression Contemplated.

[SPECIAL BY TELEGRAPH TO THE RECORD-UNION.]

NEW YORK, March 21st.—George Augustus Sala telegraphs from St. Petersburg regarding the funeral of the Czar: "I have just been a spectator of one of the most magnificent, most impressive, most pathetic pageants on which, in the course of a lengthened career, accustomed to the pomps and vanities of royalty, from royal bridals and feasts to royal funerals, I have ever been privileged to set eyes on. Three cannon, fired from the fortress, directed the various mourners to get ready to take their places. A similar salvo about midday gave the signal to start. When the sable standard, bearing in white the initials of the murdered monarch, was unfurled over the fortress, the artillery began to fire minute guns and all the bells in the city began to toll. The whole route was lined by troops of the garrison, immediately behind whom the people were permitted to stand. No galleries or platforms were erected, as householders were only allowed at personal risks and peril to let windows or balconies to strangers. The police had taken exceptional measures to preserve order, in the maintenance of which the public by handbill were invited to co-operate. All the houses, and public buildings, too, showed the same amount of

SABLE FLAGS AND DRAPERY

As when the Empress, not a year ago, was similarly conveyed. From the palace to the fortress the route taken was from the great plain in front of the Winter Palace, by the Admiralty quay and English quay to the Nicholasviki bridge, crossing which the procession took the street on a line of the island of Vossileostroff, across the Toalschkoff bridge and by Alexander park to the fortress, entering the gate called Ivaneskai. At the funeral ceremonies of the Empress, last summer, the route taken was by Trinity bridge, a wooden structure of barges, which is removed at the approach of ice, although the roadways across the frozen Neva are much used. The fortress is almost immediately opposite the palace. There is a superstition among the Russians against transporting the dead over the frozen ice, and the route by which the cortege passed was some four miles in length.

THE PROCESSION

Consisted in all of thirteen sections, comprising 172 groups, to describe which would occupy many columns. Among the noticeable features was a figure which attracted much attention—the Knight of the Golden Armor, mounted upon a gorgeously-harnessed steed, carrying a drawn sword, and supposed to symbolize the bright and spotless character of the departed sovereign. The most picturesque features in the ceremonial were deputations, which figured for the first time in Russian history, representing the institution created by the late Emperor—the Zemstais, the Justices of the Peace, and a motley group of peasants, with one, at least, of a venerable and patriarchal appearance—all attired in their winter garb, some with sheepskins and rough cloth overcoats. Following the priests came the gorgeous catafalque, on which rested the coffin under a rich canopy of cloth of gold, surmounted by white ostrich plumes. We were asking "What next, and next?" when a hearse came suddenly in view, and the prodigious mass of humanity rapidly, so to speak, as a flash of lightning, uncovered. It was

A MOST WONDROUS SIGHT

To behold that black sea of hats and caps transformed into an immense expanse of pale, upturned faces. The funeral car was a bier of ebony and silver on wheels, with heavily carved silver spokes, and the superstructure of black and silver. The whole was canopied by superb material encircling the columns of the bier. The coffin of the illustrious dead was almost hidden by a golden pall lined with white satin, and the vast car itself was drawn by four black horses completely shrouded in sable draperies. Four general aides-de-camp stood one at each corner of the catafalque, the polished metal wheels of which glistened in the sunlight. Sixteen general officers held the silken cords of the canopy. Behind the bier of his murdered sire walked Alexander III. in his imperial solitude, bearing alone his filial sorrow and his state cares, and symbolizing in this last respect his unequal position. The Emperor was dressed in a General's uniform, wearing a ribbon of the Order of St. Andrew. Following the Emperor, at a respectful distance, came the Minister of the Household, Minister of War and three officers on duty. Next in order followed

THE GRAND DUKES AND PRINCES,

According to precedence, with the foreign princes. These included Grand Dukes Vladimir, Alexis, Serguis, Paul and Constantine. Serguis Michaelovitch Dimitry, three Nicholases, Peter, two Michaels, George and Alexander, all on foot, like his Majesty, with innumerable Princes, Romanoffski, Leuchtenberg, Nicholas and George Maximillianovich, Peter, Alexander and Constantine of Oldenburg, and Dukes George and Michael of Mecklenburg-Strelitz.

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 21st.—Many arrests have been made the last few days. At the house of one of the persons captured the police found 700,000 roubles. A man upon whom was found arms, poison and 20,000 roubles was arrested last night. Two dynamite stores were discovered.

In consequence of the laxity of the authorities with regard to the discovery of the mine near the new Czar's residence, a Court of Inquiry has been instituted.

A new revolutionary sheet has been circulated addressed to Russian workmen.

Cypress trees have been planted around the spot where the Czar fell, and sacred pictures, with lamps burning before them, have been placed there.

The Municipal Council are considering the advisability of establishing a system of supervision, accompanied by domiciliary visits, over every house in the city.

There is reason to believe that the Emperor continues to appreciate the conciliatory tendency of General Melikoff, and that at present no extraordinary measures of repression are contemplated.

The Council of Ministers have decided to proceed immediately to consider the representations of the people on state questions.

The press again invokes the aid of the European Powers in eradicating the Nihilism headquarters located in Geneva.

Preliminary evidence for the trial of Rousakoff has been prepared, and the trial only awaits the completion of the act of accusation. It is expected that all the Russian Plenipotentiaries to foreign courts will meet at St. Petersburg this week, to consider the foreign policy of the empire. The Czar will preside.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 21st.—General Fedoroff, Prefect of St. Petersburg, has been relieved, and General Count Baranoff succeeds him.

BERTAUD'S INFALLIBLE INJECTION.—The famous French remedy for gonorrhœa, gleet, etc. M. S. Hammer, Sacramento, agent for Pacific coast. Sent C. O. D. to any address.

COMING AND GOING.

Passengers Passing Omaha, Carlin, Mojave, Fresno and Kansas City.

CARLIN, March 21st.—The following through passengers passed Carlin to-day, to arrive in Sacramento to-morrow: C. L. Benedict, Colorado; F. C. Smith and wife, New Bedford; R. S. Gardiner, West Virginia; A. Nicoll, New York; J. W. Simonton and wife, New York; O. L. Irving, Chicago; Thomas Hueston, New York; Wm. Squire, A. M. Squire, England; D. A. Guernsey, Stockton; James Burton, wife and two children, England; E. Spencer, J. H. Sullivan, Grass Valley; Miss L. F. Seymore, Hartford, Conn.; W. L. Elkins, Geo. M. Laird, T. B. Widener, J. S. Bailey, E. J. Mathews, Philadelphia; J. D. McKay, General Agent of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad, etc., San Francisco; J. A. Collins, San Leandro; 223 emigrant passengers, including 187 males, to arrive in Sacramento March 23d.

OMAHA, March 21st.—The following through passengers were on to-day's train, leaving at 12:30 P. M., to arrive in Sacramento March 25th: John Dohanlon, Max Oberfelder, St. John; B. Coke and wife, St. Paul; Henry Curtisman, St. Joe; James Mooney, Kansas City; W. H. Widders, Council Bluffs; Alfred Kenniston, St. Louis. One hundred and fifty-two emigrants left for California on to-day's express train.

KANSAS CITY, March 21st.—The following are the names of California passengers via the A., T. and S. F. Railroad by to-day's train: Fred. Brown, Battle Mountain, and five passengers from New York, who refuse to give their names.

CHILDREN'S five-strap, sandal, button boots, 1 to 5, $1 50; 4 to 7, $2; and 7 to 10½, $2 35. Shoe Department, Mechanics' Store. *

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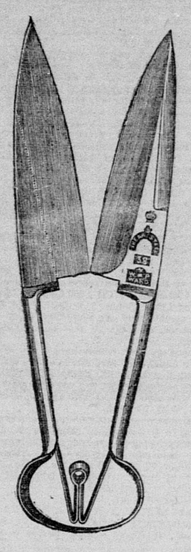

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I HAVE THIS DAY DISPOSED OF MY COMMission and Fruit Business to S. GERSON & CO., and take pleasure to recommend my successors to my friends and former customers. Thanking you for past favors, I respectfully solicit a continuance of your patronage for the new firm. Respectfully,
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