THE DAILY RECORD-UNION.

TUESDAY.....SEPTEMBER 13, 1881

ADVERTISEMENT MENTION.

Metropolitan Theater—Wallack Company box sheet.
Concord Lodge, F. and A. M., to-night.
Royal Arch Chapter, No. 3, to-night.
British Mutual Society, to-night.
Mrs. Wagner—Advice given.
Dry-goods packer wanted—Mechanics' Store.
Farm to rent—apply to F. H. Moore.
Tailors wanted by Saloven.

Auction Sales.

C. C. Brown & Co.—10:30 A. M. to-morrow.
Bell & Co., 920 J street—10:30 A. M. to-day.

Business Advertisements.

Mechanics' Store—Millinery opening continued.
Summons—Hindbaugh vs. Hindbaugh.
Summons—Estate of Hollida, insolvent.
Crockery, glassware, platedware, down—Ackerman & Co.
New dress goods—C. H. Stevens & Co.
J. B. Klune, watchmaker and jeweler, 69 J street.
Bristol's Sugar-Coated Pills.
Removal—Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

BOARD OF CITY TRUSTEES.—The Board of City Trustees held its regular meeting yesterday forenoon, all the members being present. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The City Engineer, L. F. Bassett, made a report upon the subject of pumping the water over the Y-street levee is time of high water or the rainy season. He stated that he had investigated the matter of pumps, engines and machinery at San Francisco, and that the same, having a capacity to pump from 10,000,000 to 12,000,000 gallons per day could be procured for from $4,000 to $5,000. He submitted plans of pumps and machinery and explained their method of work. After consideration of the matter he was directed by the Board to prepare specifications in accordance with the plans presented, so that a definite proposal might be made by the manufacturers. The report of the Chief Engineer of the Water Works for the past week showed that the works were in operation full time, and that 21,588,450 gallons of water were pumped. Bills were allowed as follows: P. Brannigan, $7 20; A. T. Penebsky (for laborers), $81 50; Ed. Van Alstine, $1 85; William McLaughlin, $1 50; H. H. McWilliams, $7 80; Root, Neilson & Co., $20 49; William Watt (for laborers), $83; L. L. Lewis & Co., $15; Day & Joy, $19; A. M. Smith, 24. The Board then adjourned.

MERCHANDISE REPORT. — The following freight passed Ogden for Sacramento on the 9th: For W. A. Butterfield, 1 box biscuits; F. Neary, 1 box shoes; Lindley & Co., 3 boxes cheese; Bachelor, Van Guelder & Co., 3 bales hooks and hinges, 4 box hinges; A. Dennery & Co., 7 bales tumblers, 1 cask earthenware; Huntington, Hopkins & Co., 7 sheets iron, 3 kegs emery, 3 boxes rivets, 12 cases hardware, 4 bundles riddles, 1 cask and 1 barrel lanterns, 3 cases coffee-mills, 1 box spikes, 4 boxes oars, 1 case tongs, 1 case fishing tackle, 1 case firearms, 200 kegs nails, 170 bundles gas pipes, 341 bundles roofing; Locke & Lavenson, 9 rolls carpet, 2 cases oilcloth, 1 bale samples; W. D. Comstock, 2 boxes chairs; J. Brenner, 4 boxes chairs; C. H. Gilman, 1 case underwear; C. F. Bachman, 5 bales corks; A. A. Van Voorhies, 1 bale blankets, 1 case saddlery; Weinstock & Lubin, 1 case shirts, 1 case ribbons; Shain Bros., 2 barrels pretzels; Holman, Stanton & Co., 13 bundles shovels; J. F. Davis & Son, 1 car buggies; W. R. McRae, 7 bundles paper; Hale Bros. & Co., 5 cases hats, 1 case dry goods, 1 bale blankets, 2 cases cotton goods, 1 case woolen goods; Samuel Nathan & Co., 7 bales quilts; G. W. Fox, 3 bales enamel cloth; S. J. Nathan & Co., 4 cases clothing; W. A. & C. S. Houghton, 1 box envelopes, 3 cases books, 1 case tags.

UNKNOWN DEAD.—Coroner Vermilya, in answer to a dispatch, went yesterday to a point near Routier's Station, where the remains of a man were found lodged against the limb of a fallen tree, at about the middle of the American. It had evidently been there for a long time, and was in an advanced state of decomposition. A jury was summoned from the neighborhood and an inquest held, but no information could be obtained by which to identify the deceased, and a verdict was accordingly rendered. The remains were those of a man about 55 years of age, who had long black hair and black and gray whiskers; both hair and whiskers were coarse. He had on a grey pair of pants, which were rolled up to the knees; a striped woolen shirt, buttoned at the neck with a blue oval button, and the pants were held by a leather belt at the waist. There were no papers or effects in his clothing except a jack-knife. The deceased is supposed to have been a miner, engaged at some point higher up on the American river, who had drowned while attempting to wade the stream and afterwards floated down to the place where found.

RAILROAD ACCIDENT.—The overland train coming west stopped at Emigrant Gap yesterday morning to take on passengers. The operator at that place had orders to hold the train on the side track till a freight train going east had passed. The signal lights were not out, and the operator did not inform the conductor of his orders. After the usual five minutes' time the overland train started. The freight engineers heard the whistle and reversed their engines, and the overland ran into the freight before it was under a headway of more than five or six miles an hour. Three engines were slightly damaged and thrown from the track. The collision occurred in the first snow-shed below the Gap, and had the trains been going at full speed the wreck and loss of life would have been appalling. Charles Swift, one of the firemen was thrown into the rear of an engine cab and received serious though not fatal internal injury. He vomited blood for some time. He was brought to the Railroad Hospital in this city.

RUNAWAYS.—About 3 o'clock yesterday a span of horses attached to a spring wagon belonging in the country took a run from Stanley's stable, out as far as Sutter's Fort, when they turned and came down J street. When opposite the Plaza the wagon collided with another, knocking the double tree off, but doing no other damage, and the horses were soon after stopped. It was an economical runaway for the amount of fun indulged in and extent of territory compassed.... Another runaway occurred on H street, when the team of W. A. Scott became frightened from the strap holding up the neck yoke giving away and letting the tongue of the wagon drop. Mr. Scott was thrown out and received a bad cut in the forehead and severe bruises. The team was stopped without other injuries or serious damages.

POLICE COURT. — The examination of August Betz for assault with a deadly weapon upon the Chinaman at the Woolen Mills was continued in the Police Court yesterday until to-day; Wm. Schultz was tried and found not guilty of petit larceny; Neal McNeal and Chas. L. Robinson were found guilty of battery and sentenced to confinement five days each in the County Jail; Wm. Riley was discharged from arrest for being drunk and sleeping on the sidewalk; J. H. McNasser and Pat McDonough were found guilty of battery and will be sentenced to-day; Louis Brown, arrested upon same charge, was discharged.

AUCTIONS.—To-morrow at 10:30 A. M., at 1016 Fourth street, C. E. Brown & Co., will sell by auction the entire contents of their store, including much household furniture. The sale is positive and peremptory....To-day at 920 J street, at 10:30 A. M., Bell & Co. will sell by auction all the fine furniture, articles of adornment, and a whole line of furnishing goods for the household in the residence of Dr. B. F. Pendery. The sale is a large one, and is positive and for cash.

"HARDTACK" SHIPMENT.—The firm of John Black & Son, of the Sacramento Bakery, shipped yesterday morning ten thousand pounds of regulation "hardtack" to San Francisco, upon the recent contract with the Government to furnish the army upon this coast and the territories for the coming year.

POLICE ARRESTS.—The arrests made in this city yesterday were: Ah Sin, for petit larceny—stealing wood of J. Skelton—by officer Arlington; Louis Brown, for battery, by same officer.

METROPOLITAN THEATER.—Announcement is made that the box-sheet will open to-morrow for the season to be filled by the Wallack and Baldwin Theater Company.

CHANGE OF LOCATION.—The Pacific Life Insurance Company gives notice that on and after the 8th of October its principal place of business will be San Francisco.

LADIES, you would be surprised to see the fine shoes they are keeping now at the Red House. *

SEE those new plaid dress goods at the Red House. They are the newest styles and the best value. *

THE CHINESE MARRIAGE.

The social condition of the Chinese couple which were recently married in this city is not of a class which would naturally be regarded as acceptable honeymoon surroundings by people generally in this country. Quite an account was given in these columns of the matter connected with the marriage at he time it occurred. The Chinaman, who had formerly been between two and three years a favorite domestic in the family of L. S. Taylor, of this city, and for the past two years occupying a similar position with the family of W. E. Chamberlain, knew before leaving China the girl who had since been brought here, and either from former or new-made love sought to marry her. She was owned, however, and held by the bonds of Chinese slavery by a man in Chinatown, who regarded her as his piece of property, together with others similarly owned and maintained by him for illegal public purposes. To overcome the obstacle of ownership, and having determined to marry each other, the young admirer and successful wooer repaired to her place of keeping in Chinatown at the quiet hour of about 2 o'clock in the morning and, accompanied by several Chinese friends, lifted the fair prize out of a rear window, placed her in a hack, and before her departure was noticed she was safely deposited in a secluded portion of a wash-house near Twentieth street, where she remained for several days. As soon as she was missed from the haunt of vice in Chinatown from which she had fled, the cry that she had been kidnaped was raised, and a system of search and watching was instituted for the lost, which received the aid and cooperation of a large portion of the denizens of lower I street. A reward of $250 was also offered by her "owner" for her capture and return. This led some of the police to some activity, upon the belief thus it was an actual case of the many kidnaps among the Chinese. She was not found, however, but remained at the wash-house secreted until the greater excitement had passed, when Ah Sing, her admirer, went to Mr. Taylor as a confidential adviser and stated that he wished to get married, and related so much of his affairs as was necessary to procure friendly advise. He was advised to apply to a minister to unite them, if they had so concluded to do, and there were no legal obstacles. Rev. Dr. Bentley upon being applied to by Ah Sing consulted with legal authority in the premises, and a license granted by the clerk of this county having been procured by Ah Sing in due form, which being presented subsequently to Dr. Bentley by the parties whom it authorized to be joined in the holy bonds of matrimony, and "whose hearts beat as one," they were so made and declared by ministerial ceremony. As the newly married couple walked out upon the street and into the American sunshine, which looks upon no one as the slave or bondwoman of another, one of the watchers for the kidnaped piece of property espied her and at once sent a thrill of excitement through Chinatown by a report of that fact. Ah Sing and bride, as a matter of course, seeing the movements, took refuge in a Chinese establishment on Eighth street, where they were soon after arrested by the police upon complaint of her having been stolen or kidnaped. As they were taken to the police station nearly all of Chinatown followed and blocked up the lower end of I street, swearing vengeance upon Ah Sing, "the woman stealer." After they had been lodged in jail the crowd was dispersed by the police, but a high state of excitement prevailed. Soon after Dr. Bentley and Mr. Taylor appeared at the station, and the former showed the marriage license and certificate of marriage, which at once dispelled all charges of kidnaping, but which only rendered the excitement in Chinatown more intense when it became known to them that under American civilization this was claimed as a bar to the "rights of property" of the former so-called owner.

As a matter of safety, this newly-married couple was kept in the city jail for several days. During this time the former "owner" of the woman made matters lively, and tested every method, heathen and civilized, in his endeavor to recover "his property." Prominent delegates of his company from San Francisco came here, and meetings of the clans were held and resolutions "resoluted" against the inhumanity and injustice of American civilization, and the white posters, Chinese heralds of [illegible], were put up in conspicuous places [illegible] all who run might read and know [illegible] this woman was given up, or was [illegible] by Ah Sing—her value being considered at $700—he must atone for his sin by death. Repeated meetings and declarations of this class were held and made, and no class of the Chinese, even those most Americanized or educated, seemed to be free from the belief that, although slavery might be unlawful here, it was a crime for Ah Sing to take her without paying for her. Prominent attorneys were consulted in the city, and an effort made by her claimant to obtain possession of her through use of a writ of habeas corpus. This was of course not to be considered by an American lawyer; but at last, and as the only apparently chance to get the matter in any form into Court, a Chinaman was found who swore to a charge of incest against them, alleging that they were brother and sister. A day or two subsequently the matter came up before Judge Henry, and, no one appearing to substantiate the charge, it was dismissed. A warrant was then issued to arrest the man for perjury who had sworn to the charge of incest, but he has not thus far been found. From this time on the Chinese seemed to give up all hopes of gaining possession of the woman by legal proceedings, and issued their warnings that Ah Sing should surely die, and it is confidently believed even by most of his friends—for he has quite a circle of Chinese in his favor—that he will be killed at the first opportunity. During the time these transactions were taking place Mr. Chamberlain and family were absent at Santa Cruz, but upon Mr. Chamberlain's returning, Ah Sing was restored to his domestic duties, and for the present also has his wife with him, where they remain securely so long as no opportunity for his assassination is offered. The fiat of his death, however, stands over him, and even the police believe will be executed at the first time it can be done.

RECOVERED.—On September 2d E. F. Taylor's twelve-year-old son came down to the railroad wharf, where he met and talked with his father. On arriving at home at night Mr. Taylor found that the boy had not returned to the house. The family became alarmed and search was instituted. The boy was heard as being seen in a duck boat on the river, with a man who appeared to be a hunter. After a long search the father found his son on the 3d at Emmaton, far down the river. The boy says a man decoyed him into a boat and took him there, threatening him with violence if he gave an alarm. While the man was absent trying to sell the boat the father arrived and recovered his son. Who the man is is not known.

TO-NIGHT'S CONCERT.—At the free concert in the Plaza by the First Artillery band to-night, this programme will be observed: March, "Thirteenth Regiment;" medley overture, "Comique;" waltz, "Edith;" quickstep, "Lady Dah;" schottische, "Pretty Katie Ryan;" quickstep, "Scotch Lassie Jean;" polka, "Gold and Silver;" march, "Olivette;" serenade, "Good Night;" march "Remembrance of Home;" galop, "Jamboree;" "Home, Sweet Home."

THOSE FERRY CHARGES.—It having been stated that charges were made to some parties improperly on that occasion, all persons who went on the special train from Sacramento to Mare Island on Admission Day, and were charged fare on the ferryboat between the island and Vallejo, will confer a favor on the Pioneers by sending their names and a statement as to the amount paid to either A. H. Powers, John S. Miller or A. Leonard, of this city.

COMMERCIAL. — Arrived schooner Sacramento, from San Francisco, with lumber for Friend & Terry Lumber Company and W. F. Frazer. Captain Foster took the steamer Flora up the river yesterday, leaving here at half-past 1 in the morning, and reached Knight's Landing in the quick time of four hours and forty-five minutes. The Captain subsequently returned on the cars to this city.

SATISFACTION OBTAINED.—B. F. Kohlberg, Constable, accompanied by D. J. Oullahan, of Stockton, was in town yesterday to intercept one Robert Cleek, an absconding debtor, who was on his way to the East. Cleek was arrested in this city by Deputy Sheriff Brissell, and subsequently yielded to the satisfaction of D. J. Oullahan.

HOLINESS MEETING.—In connection with the closing of the Conference, which took place yesterday, religious services were held at the Sixth-street M. E. Church and Kingsley Chapel last evening, and a holiness service is to be held at the latter place again this evening at 7:30, to be conducted by Rev. George Newton, of Oakland.

IMMIGRANTS.—Ninety-one immigrants, including 74 males, will arrive from the East by overland train this afternoon.

JUST OPENED and placed in stock—the best assorted stock of gents' clothing ever offered in Sacramento. Call at Red House Clothing Department and see. *

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

JUST RECEIVED.—A large line of men's fine shoes, at Red House. *

STATE FAIR PREPARATIONS.

Mention was made yesterday morning of the prospects of the exhibition in the art department at the Pavilion during the coming State Fair. Yesterday Secretary Smith received application from Andrew P. Hill, the well known artist upon this coast, for space to exhibit nine large paintings, some of which are from five to six feet in hight and between eight and nine feet in length. Mr. Hill executed the elegant painting of the horse "Mollie McCarty," which painting was presented by Theodore Winters to the State Board of Agriculture in 1879, and now has its place in the office of the Secretary. By the way, this mare, now the property of E. J. Baldwin, at Santa Anita Ranche, in Los Angeles county, is to be at this fair with her foal of the present season. Among the notable pieces that will attract attention in the art department next week will be that of Scott's new painting entitled "Dress Parade." It consists of a group of ragamuffin boys, armed with brooms, mops, etc., and is an interesting motley crew. It was greatly admired at the Mechanics' Fair which has just closed at San Francisco, and has been warmly commented upon by the press.

A new display, which will also be of interest, will be that of "The Ichi-ban," of San Francisco, for which space at the Pavilion has been secured. This exhibit will consist of a complete line of bric-a-brac articles manufactured in Japan. The house having charge of this display is the sole agent of the Chinese Government on this coast. There has been nothing of this class heretofore exhibited at the State Fairs, and it will be an interesting addition in the line of art and curiosity.

The department of floriculture is to have a new location this year, with a view to securing more space and better light. A temporary annex is being constructed on the east side of the Pavilion, and upon a level with the lower floor. The annex will be 20 by 75 feet in size, and connecting with the lower floor of the main building. It will be finely lighted, and arranged in style of a conservatory. The display promises to be much larger and of greater variety than previous years, and with the additional opportunity for successful display with good light, will be an inducement to growers and lovers of choice plants and flowers. In connection and adjoining this will be the horticultural display, which, from applications already made for space, indicates much interest among fruit-growers. Immediately in front of the fruit display will be the "bugology" department, under superintendence of Chief Executive Horticultural Officer Matthew Cooke, with his corps of young lads, assistants, which will require no advertising nor public notice to make it at once one of the most interesting and useful sections of the State Fair. This display has already been quite fully referred to. Mr. Cooke probably knows more about bugs and insect pests which raid upon fruits and vines than any man on this side of the continent, if not this side of the world. He will exhibit them in all stages of life and evolution, and under glasses and microscopes, which will so fully reveal their habits and various forms of life as to surprise even those who have given attention to the subject, and stimulate research and the useful acquisition of knowledge upon the subject.

Professor Hilgard, of the State University, has engaged fifty feet of space to exhibit the cereals of the State, systematically arranged and labeled. Mr. Hilgard intends to make this a very full exhibit, and some new varieties will be shown.

The premium of $50 for bread-making, offered by President Shafter, is likely to prove very competitive. Information upon the subject has been called for by letters from all parts of the State, and the prospects are that the quantity of bread, white and brown, made by maidens under 18 years of age, will be very extensive, and that a large amount of evidence will be presented on this occasion declaratory of the housewifely qualities of the fair competitors.

The space in the Pavilion is being rapidly taken, and will be open for the reception of articles next Friday.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.—The city Board of Education held a special meeting last evening. Present a full Board. The Chairman of the Furniture and Supplies Committee was authorized to advertise for one week for bids for supplies as per list in the hands of the Superintendent. Architect Hamilton was requested to prepare specifications for fences and walks for the new building at Twenty-fourth and N streets, and the Building Committee were authorized to solicit bids for constructing the same. The Furniture Committee was authorized to purchase desks and seats for the new school, and also to supply clocks, teachers' desks and chairs, and stoves as needed in the new school, and clocks as needed in the Fourth and Q street schools. The committee was directed to contract for moving to and fastening in position the new desks and seats, and to dispose of condemned clocks belonging to the schools. The following changes were made in the salary list: Seventh Grade, from $65 to $60 per month; Fifth Grade, to $70 per month. A motion to change the Second Grade from $75 to $80 was lost. The salary of German teacher was fixed at $115 per month. The Board then adjourned.

TELEPHONE ARRANGEMENTS.—It is announced that no change will be made by the new telephone Exchange in this city between the offices and houses of subscribers. During the State Fair the company will put up a telephone at the reporter's stand, connecting with the central office, and all service rendered the reporters and the press will be free. Subscribers living in the city will also be allowed to use it upon payment of two cents per switch, and non-subscribers by paying 15 cents per switch.

THE CHICO FAIR.

[From the Special Reporter of the RECORD-UNION.]

CHICO, September 10, 1881.

The last day of the fair was fully as well attended as any of the previous days. The attractions were up to the standard. The morning hours at the track were devoted to the young misses' tournament and the awarding of premiums on stock. In the misses' tournament Miss Ozeta Decker, of Tehama county, aged 11 years, won the first prize of $10, given by Mr. Walsh; Miss Mary E. Selie, of Chico, aged 13 years, won the second prize of $5; Miss Lizzie Decker, of Chico, aged 8 years, won third, a handsome album; and Miss Goree, of Chico, aged 13 years, took the ladies' riding hat.

At the track in the afternoon the stands were well filled, and the attendance good throughout. The first race was a trot for two miles and repeat for $500, with Wm. Tell, Bessie Bones and Sheriffess starting. Bessie won the first heat, Sheriffess second, Bones third. Time, 5:11½. Tell took the second heat, Bones second, Sheriffess third. Time, 5:13½. The third heat was taken by Tell, Sheriffess second, Bessie third. Time, 5:16½.

The next race was a half mile dash for $45, and was won in 51 seconds by Snap, Orland Baby second, Nettie Moore distanced. This ended the week's racing, and the association has every reason to be proud of the success attained, for with the exception of Collier's walk over, every race has been well, honestly and hotly contested.

The Pavilion was crowded most of the day with visitors from the country, and in the evening there was quite a jam, as is always the case on the last night. A good deal of interest was evinced in the reading of the premiums awarded, and to this may be added an additional interest, especially among the ladies, as to who would get the handsome sewing machine and the lounge and water-pitcher, given to be raffled for the free reading-room. After the awards of premiums were made the crowd collected near the stand to watch the drawing of the prizes. The first prize, the sewing machine, was won by Mrs. I. Burke; second prize, fine bed-lounge, won by No. 117; the third prize, silver-plated water-pitcher, went to Miss Lou Tilden. After a short time being devoted to the promenade, the band struck up that old time-honored tune, "Home, Sweet Home," which made all realize that the time had arrived when they must bid friends good-bye and depart for their homes. Thus ended the second fair of the Third District Agricultural Association, a fair that has been a success and a pleasure to attend, and this is due to the admirable manner in which the Directors conducted affairs. Too much praise cannot be accorded them.

I would be lacking in courtesy were I to omit to mention the kindness received at the hands of Ira R. Dodittle, of the Union Hotel, and his son James, and Charles H. Miller.

In conclusion, I cannot forbear expressing a single thought. Why is it that the farmers, especially in counties outside of Butte, in this district—Sutter, Yuba, Colusa, Tehama, Yolo and Sacramento—don't take more interest in the District Fairs? It certainly is to the benefit of every farmer to have the fairs a success, and although they may not see any immediate benefits, yet the instructive method of competition in farm produce of all kinds, were the farmers to patronize the fair with the exhibits of products of the farm, would not fail to be productive of good results to all.

CONSTIPATION is the worst foe of health. Kidney-Wort overcomes it on rational principles. Try it.

NEW GOODS in every department, at the Red House. *

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

[The season approaches when parties, ba social reunions, society celebrations, etc., throughout the State will be more frequent. Advance announcement of such events, properly vouched for, will find place in this column, if sent in. The rule does not, of course, apply to such public events within the city as should properly be first announced in the business columns.]

Isadore Townsend is visiting in the city.

Senator Johnston, of Richland, was in the city yesterday.

Hon. John Boggs, of Colusa, has been visiting Chico during the fair.

Harry J. Norton has returned from a two weeks' stay at San Francisco.

Charles Ostrom, of this city, has returned from his sojourn at the Bay.

Miss Stella Miller, of Chico, has gone to Cana to resume charge of her school.

General J. F. Houghton, of San Francisco, came up to Sacramento last evening.

Mrs. Leonard Howe has returned from her trip to the southern part of the State.

S. Wasserman left yesterday for San Diego, expecting to be absent two weeks.

E. W. Black, of Grass Valley, is in the city, and will remain here to take in the State Fair.

Miss Flo Conger, of Chico, to-day went to Biggs to take charge of her school in that vicinity.

A. W. Van Voorhies has gone to Aita to join his family, who have been there for some time past.

Forty-four soldiers of the United States army will arrive from the East this morning by overland train.

P. C. King, who has been making Sacramento a short visit, returned home to Emigrant Gap yesterday.

Edward Cadwalader and family have gone to Santa Cruz, where they will summer a portion of the fall.

Mrs. J. L. Denison and her daughter, Maud, have returned home to Sacramento from their visit to the Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Harney returned last evening from a visit of several weeks to Oakland and San Francisco.

J. H. Sharpe, of this city, returned yesterday from Chico, where he has been in attendance at the District Fair.

R. Dale has returned from a two weeks' trip to Santa Cruz, where he has been floating in the tide to his heart's content.

Misses Mattie and Jennie Powers, of this city, returned home Sunday evening from a four weeks' visit at Humboldt county.

Misses Kittie and Nellie Beauchamp, of this city, went to the Bay on Sunday. Miss Kittie will remain several weeks on account of her health.

George W. Hancock arrived from the East yesterday, where he has been since early in June, and taken in most of the Northern States in his trip.

Bishop W. L. Harris left last evening for Virginia City, Nev., where he will preside over the Conference to be held in that place, which convenes on Thursday.

E. B. Willis has returned from his hunting trip to Napa and Lake counties, bringing with him unmistakable evidences of success as a marksman during his sporting trip.

A suit for divorce was commenced yesterday in the Superior Court of this county by Mattie Bryant from J. J. Bryant. Also by Sarah K. Brown for a divorce from Wm. H. Brown. W. B. G. Keller filed the complaints as attorney for the plaintiff in both cases.

Mrs. Wood, Eddie Wood and Mrs J. Dranner, of Stockton; Mrs. R. Fay, of Napa; S. Jewett, of Bakersfield; A. H. Agard, of Oakland; James D. Walker, of San Rafael; Thomas Baitt and wife, and Miss Henderson, of Brandy City, Cal., will arrive from the East by overland train this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Nathan, at their residence, on Sunday evening last, celebrated the ninth anniversary of their wedding day, between thirty-five and forty of their most intimate friends being present, and the occasion was greatly enjoyed by all. During the evening abundance of refreshments were served, and at 11 P. M. a fine supper given.

Charles R. McKune, son of J. H. McKune of this city, was married yesterday in Sacramento to Miss Catherine E. Davies, daughter of Deputy State Controller W. E. Davies. The young couple will take up their abode near the Cosumnes, upon the property known as the Willow Farm. The wedding took place at the residence of the bride's parents, 1319 G street, and was a quiet but elegant affair. The bride was the recipient of numerous handsome presents.

W. E. Turner, Modesto; B. H. Schadet, Jackson; C. Lawrence, Plumas; Miss R. Ritter, Michigan Bar; D. Dennison, Galt; W. R. Coleman, G. W. Schenck, Grass Valley; J. Conners, Carson; W. Donaldson, Wadsworth; A. McKean, Lodi; S. Hale, Placerville; T. J. Gunn, Oakland; Dr. J. Brownell, San Francisco; E. Briggs, wife and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Erstad, Stockton; D. Weber and wife, Clarksburg; J. E. Olsen, W. Eransman, Courtland; F. A. Salsbury and wife, Mrs. R. B. Pine, Pleasant Grove; B. Flood and wife, T. F. Ross, Franklin, were in the city yesterday.

THE COURTS.

SUPERIOR COURT.

DEPARTMENT ONE—CLARK, Judge.

MONDAY, September 12, 1881.

Estate of Andrew Lloyd, deceased—Report of sale of personal property made and confirmed.

Estate of P. Thompson, deceased—Application for letters of administration by the Public Administrator postponed one week.

Nathan Webb vs His Creditors—Matter of appointment of assignee continued one week.

Estate of J. W. Tooly, deceased—Petition to vacate letters of administration heretofore issued denied.

Estate of Joseph Wolf, deceased—Letters of administration granted to Public Administrator.

Estate of Morris Jenkins, deceased—Letters of administration issued to widow, Margaret Jenkins; bond fixed at $2,000; J. H. Atkin, Thomas Morris and U. Schofield appointed appraisers.

Estate of George W. Farr, deceased—Letters of administration issued to Peter Bohl; bond fixed at $6,000; notice to creditors in the RECORD-UNION; David Deal, David Johnston and Ed. F. Taylor appointed appraisers.

Guardianship of Emma M. Cummings—Annual report of guardianship filed and approved.

William Hayes vs. J. H. Campbell et al.—Motion for a new trial denied.

The People vs. William Williams—Counsel for defendant allowed to withdraw temporarily from the Court files the bill of exceptions, for the purpose of preparing a brief upon motion for a new trial.

DEPARTMENT TWO—DENSON, Judge.

T. Chatfield vs. A. Agner et al.—Demurrer to complaint heard and overruled.

James T. Day vs. Mary I. Day—Demurrer to amended complaint heard and overruled, and defendant allowed ten days to answer. Default of defendant heretofore entered vacated and set aside.

Sarah E. Brown vs John S. Brown—Default of defendant entered and case set for hearing the 14th inst.

F. Wachhorst vs. H. Wachhorst—Hearing continued to 14th inst.

H. S. Hill vs. George B. Beatty et al.—Motion for a new trial continued until next Monday.

P. B. Hewlett vs Mark A. Miller—Decree for defendant.

His Creditors vs. J. L. Hollida—Order of adjudication and new notice to creditors entered.

Court adjourned.

TO-DAY'S CALENDAR.

Heaton vs. the Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company.
The People vs. Brock.
The People vs. Ah Yee, information for burglary.
The People vs. Hansche, information for abduction.

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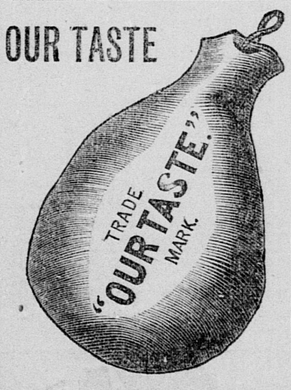

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