THE DAILY RECORD-UNION.

THURSDAY.....DECEMBER 7, 1882

ADVERTISEMENT MENTION.

Metropolitan Theater—Jay Rial's "Uncle Tom's Cabin."
Y. M. C. A.—Afternoon and evening.
Meeting—Knights of the Red Cross, No. 2.
Meeting—Friendship Council, O. C. F.
Notice—Red Jacket Tribe, Imp. O. R. M.
Annual Meeting—Washington Lodge, F. and A. M.
Wanted—Suite of rooms.
For Sale—Front porch and steps.
To Let—Furnished rooms.
Wanted—Male and female help.

Auctions.

Sherburn & Smith—Household furniture, to-day.
Bell & Co.—General sale, Friday.

Business Advertisements

Kirk, Geary & Co.—Wholesale and retail druggists.
W. D. Comstock—New furniture.
Jacob Arnold—Butcher and pork-packer.
Ackerman & Co.—Holiday presents.
Mechanics' Store—Holiday gifts.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

The Board of Supervisors met yesterday at 10 A. M., pursuant to adjournment. All the members present.

County Treasurer Callahan appeared and presented a statement of defaced coin in the Treasury, showing that there was $84 20 of such coin, and stating that it was found in sealed packages which he had received when he took the office, and requested that the Board allow him the difference between its worth and the face of the coin. On call of the roll the request was granted.

Relief was granted to Albert Conner in the sum of $15, and to Ralph Wardell in the sum of $5.

A resolution was adopted authorizing the clerk of the Board to advertise for wood for the County Hospital and for the County Jail, the same to be delivered subject to measurement.

A report was received from Coroner Vermilya, showing that no property of value had fallen into his hands during the past month, and stating that he had signed the certificates of death of seven persons, not deeming an inquest necessary.

J. L. Walton appeared before the Board and asked to rent the east wing of the second floor of the pavilion for the purpose of a skating hall. He proposed to pay $25 per month rent, and to put in a new floor at his own expense. He desires the use of the hall for from three to six months during the winter of each year, for the next four or five years. The matter was laid over by the Board until to-day.

Superintendent White, of the County Hospital, submitted the following report for the month of November, which was ordered on file: Patients in Hospital November 1st, 167; admitted during the month, 67; died, 9; discharged, 51; remaining, 174; meals furnished destitute applicants, 116. Mortality list: O. C. Tyler, aged 62, a native of New York, of cerebral disease; Jas. Whalen, aged 52, a native of Ireland, of consumption; James Robertson, aged 46, a native of Scotland, of apoplexy; Mrs. Ann Jones, aged 78, a native of Virginia, of senile gangrene; Wm. Crocker, aged 47, a native of England, of disease of kidneys; Robert Fisher, aged 63, a native of District of Columbia, of consumption; Lizzie Lee, aged 18, a native of North Carolina, of typhoid fever; Charles Timmins, aged 30, a native of California, of abscess of brain; James W. Mallatratt, aged 29, a native of New York, of delirium tremens. Current expenses: Salaries, $817 50; subsistence, $1,275 89; sundries, $109 08; total, $2,202 47.

At 4 P. M. the Board took a recess until 10 o'clock this morning.

A THREATENED NUISANCE.—The interminable, unreasonable and foolish horn-blowing by boys has already begun, that in the past has marked the advent of Christmas. Just now it is more than usually aggravating, as many people are sick with the fever that is so prevalent now throughout the towns and cities of the central and northern part of the State. As an example of the nuisance in its incipiency it is said that a gentleman found, last evening, four boys vigorously blowing these ear piercing horns in the near vicinity of residences where three persons are low in the delirium of fever. In a former year the Chief of Police gave notice that the horn-blowing nuisance must cease, and it was effectually stopped under the threats of arrest for Violating the law prohibiting loud and unusual noises, etc. Last evening Chief Karcher stated, on inquiry being made, that he proposed to examine the law and ascertain if there are effectual means of checking the nuisance. No man who remembers that he was a boy desires to deprive boys of their full allotment of holiday sport, but no man believes that any boy will be deprived of reasonable pleasure by prohibiting him from tormenting the well and endangering the lives of the sick by the startling and harsh shrieks that may be evoked from a tin fish-horn when acted upon by the lips and lungs of a wide-awake California youth. If the Chief finds no law under which he can now act, the Trustees will next Monday be asked by citizens to pass an ordinance to meet the case.

FREIGHT TO ARRIVE.—The following freight for Sacramento passed Ogden on the 3d instant: For Booth & Co., 15 boxes matches; Adams, McNeill & Co., 25 boxes soap, 10 boxes washing powder; Mebius & Co., 25 boxes soap, 15 boxes washing powder, 5 boxes saleratus; W. Schroer, 4 cases paper boxes; A. Dennery & Co., 2 barrels glass goblets; Lindley & Co., 150 kits fish, 400 cases oysters; Joseph Hahn & Co., 3 cases drugs; Henry Fisher, 3 barrels, 3 boxes and 10 pails candy; A. A. Van Voorhies & Co., 1 box hardware, 3 cases hames, 2 cases and 1 bale leather; Huntington, Hopkins & Co., 1 box copper tacks, 2 boxes irons, 6 cases lanterns, 1 box iron pulleys, 30 boxes locks, 3 drums iron pipe fittings, 1 box hardware, 8 cases files, 1 box and 1 barrel hinges, 9 boxes wedges, 150 bundles galvanized iron; Kirk, Geary & Co., 1 barrel and 1 box drugs, 22 boxes medicine; Weinstock & Lubin, 1 case hosiery; W. D. Comstock, 4 bags hair, 11 boxes chairs; W. A. & C. S. Houghton, 1 box books; Locke & Lavenson, 5 rolls carpet; J. M. Wiedmann, 1 case confectionery; E. J. Avery, 2 boxes books; T. G. Kingsland & Son, 12 bundles shovels, 36 boxes, 2 crates and 12 bundles hardware; Hall, Buhrs & Co., 25 boxes soap, 15 boxes washing powder; Scott & Muir, 3 cases and 3 crates sinks.

NEW CHARTERS.—Senator-elect Vrooman, of Alameda county, was in the city yesterday, and will return home to-day. He was here in the interest of the proposed new charter for cities of the class of Oakland. The matter will come up before the Legislature at the coming session. Sacramento will be under the same class. Mr. Voorman was in consultation with the city authorities in regard to appropriate measures to be inserted in the new charter. City Attorney Anderson has been working at the same matter for some time, and will probably have a charter prepared for submission to the Legislature.

INCORPORATED.—Articles of incorporation were filed with the Secretary of State yesterday by the Ætna Iron Works Company. Principal place of business, San Francisco. Directors—G. H. Matter, Thos. Pendergast, George Johnson, Thomas Price, A. M. Star. Capital stock, $500,000, divided into 100 shares. Also by the North Pacific Coast Railroad Extension Company. Directors—James D. Walker, Thos. Menzies, David Nye, Frederick B. Catton, Donald F. Tillinghast. Capital stock, $1,000,000. Principal place of business, San Francisco.

POLICE COURT.—The following business was transacted in the Police Court yesterday: Harry Boyle, disturbing the peace, found guilty, sentence deferred until December 7th; Mrs. S. Alexander, embezzlement, continued to December 13th; Tom Cranny, drunk, judgment deferred until December 7th; Ah Sing, burglary, held to answer, bail $1,000; John Ingham, libel, continued to December 7th.

FIRE ALARM.—An alarm of fire was turned in yesterday about 4:30 P. M., from box 32. It proved to have been but a small blaze on the roof of a small house situated in the alley between L and M and Fourth and Fifth streets. It was put out by the Fire Department by the use of a Babcock extinguisher. The fire was started from a defective stove-pipe. The building is owned by Mrs. Garrity.

PRESENTS FOR EVERYBODY.—To-day Geo D. Allmond, the sewing-machine man, No. 806 J street, will give prizes, valued at from 10 cents to $10, to every purchaser of $2 50 worth of holiday goods. Don't fail to try your luck. We charge no more for our goods than other dealers, and will give many valuable prizes away. *

BUY your toy wagons at Ackerman's, where you can get them for nearly one-half the price asked for by other dealers. *

NEW DESIGNS in furniture cretonnes, at Hale Bros., corner Ninth and K streets. *

THE TRANSIT.

The 6th of December has come and gone, and the great astronomical event has passed, to never be observed again by those now living; for a period of 121 years must pass away before this same little spot upon the face of this same sun will be observed again, with probably far more interest and much finer instruments than were brought to bear upon it yesterday. Sergeant Barwick says the instructions to Signal Service officers from Washington said that for any reliable observation to be taken yesterday on the transit of Venus across the sun's disc it should be observed by a telescope of not less than three inches in diameter, and the larger beyond that the better. The instrument used by him and Professor Bender yesterday belonged to the State Library, and was but two and a half inches in diameter. The observations are not in an astronomical sense very valuable, but to show that the time predicted for the contacts for this vicinity was not far out of the way, the observations of the second internal contact and the last external contact—the only ones visible here—makes them of considerable local importance. The time given for the second internal contact was 11:40 A. M., Sacramento time; last external contact, 12:02 P. M., of the same time. Venus was seen at intervals from 7 A. M. up to 11:20 A. M., when the fog rapidly dispersed, leaving the sun as clear as the air at present could be, for Professor Bender states that for a week or more the glimmer or haze in the upper atmosphere prevented him from observing the usual number of sun spots. The second internal contact was taken by Professor Bender directly through the telescope, and the time was eleven o'clock forty-two minutes and forty-five seconds, being two minutes and forty-five seconds later than the time given from Washington. The Professor thinks that the glimmer around the edge of the sun's disk prevented him from getting the contact as correctly as it might have been had the atmosphere been more transparent, but on the last external contact the sun's disc was focussed on a piece of cardboard held on a piece of tin by rubber bands, and the tin securely fastened to the eye end of the telescope, when a well defined and very distinct image of the sun's edge and also of Venus could be seen, and from this focussed image the last contract was observed, and was at twelve o'clock two minutes and twenty-five seconds. The time it should have been, according to Washington calculations, was 12:02 P. M., showing a difference of only twenty-five seconds, which is an evidence that the second internal contact was not well enough defined to get the time nearer than two minutes and forty-five seconds. Between the two contacts was twenty-two minutes, and by the calculated time of contacts it was only nineteen minutes and forty seconds short of the given time. This is an evidence that the time for last contact was within twenty-five seconds of being correct, and the second internal contact was called evidently two minutes and forty-five seconds after it had been accomplished, and was due, no doubt, to the bad state of the atmosphere. The observations by Professor Bender were taken from the balcony at the south end of the Capitol building.

Knots of people could be seen during the forenoon on the sidewalks clustered around a smoked glass, each awaiting his turn for a view. One man was heard to remark after gazing long at the sun that he could see a little black, but "couldn't see no transit."

FIRE LAST NIGHT.—The residence of Thos. O'Brien, on the Rosedale Nursery grounds, at Twenty-sixth and B streets, was burned last night between 10 and 11 o'clock. All the contents except a little bedding were destroyed. Thomas O'Brien and a younger brother, sons of the owner of the property, together with a nephew of Mr. O'Brien, Sr., lived in the house. After supper, last evening, they retired, but were awakened shortly after 10 o'clock by Mrs. Hooker, who lives near by and saw the fire. The three young men had barely time to escape through a window, and in their night clothing. The fire evidently originated in the kitchen and near the stove. Mr. O'Brien built the house in 1854, and it was one of the pioneer landmarks. It was a large wooden building. The property was partly insured, but for what amount is not known. No alarm was sounded, and the fire department was not called out, though it probably could have reached the spot, and it been notified, in time to have saved some very valuable trees and some fine shrubbery that was destroyed by the flames.

SUPERVISOR ARRESTED.—Supervisor Edward Christy has been arrested on a warrant sworn to before Justice Thomas Stephenson of Mormon Island, charging him with a violation of the election laws by procuring false registration. It was reported yesterday that he was under bonds of $3,000. Mr. Christy is in the city attending to official business, and last evening he stated to a RECORD-UNION representative that he had been notified by a constable to appear before the Justice of the Peace mentioned, but that no bonds had been asked of him. He says the arrest was made at the instigation of some of his enemies, and is only intended to blacken his character; that the matter had been brought before the Grand Jury and that body refused to take any notice of it; that the bottom of the matter would be shown at the examination, which is set for next Monday. He also said that the parties who caused the arrest would be brought to task before the matter was finally settled.

INAUGURAL BALL.—A meeting of citizens was held last night at the office of W. P. Coleman for the purpose of making arrangements for an inaugural ball, complimentary to Governor-elect Stoneman, Lieutenant-Governor Daggett and other State officers and members of the Legislature. Mayor Brown called the meeting to order, and was elected permanent Chairman. Edwin F. Smith was chosen Secretary, and W. P. Coleman Treasurer. It was ordered that an Executive Committee of nine be appointed, to make all arrangements, and that the Mayor be authorized to select such committee and report their names at a meeting to be held to-morrow morning. The number of tickets was limited to 250, and the price was fixed at $10 a ticket. The meeting adjourned at the call of the Chair.

AUCTIONS.—Sherburn & Smith, auctioneers, announce the sale of all the household goods of ten rooms to-day, at 10:30 A. M. The sale will take place at the residence of Johanna Hagel, No. 916 Second street, between I and J. The goods comprise walnut and mahogany marble top bedroom sets, mattresses, parlor set, chairs, lounges, carpets, pillows, blankets, kitchen furniture, etc. The goods are sold on account of departure from the city... Bell & Co. announce that they will sell by auction on Friday next, at their salesroom on J street, a large lot of general household goods, including a cabinet organ, a seven-octave piano, a sewing machine, Brussels carpets, etc. The same firm announce an auction sale of horses on Saturday next, in front of the salesroom.

METROPOLITAN THEATER.—To-morrow and Saturday, and Saturday matinee, of this week, Jay Rial's "Uncle Tom's Cabin" company will occupy the boards at the Metropolitan Theater. The bloodhounds and a trick donkey are mentioned as two prominent features of the performances. The box office will be open this morning, when reserved seats can be secured without extra charge.

BONDS FILED.—Benjamin Bailey has filed his official bond in the sum of $15,000 as Supervisor from the Fifth District, with William Mitchell, A. Mull, John Conran and Lee Stanley as sureties. J. C. Tubbs has also filed an official bond as Justice of the Peace in the sum of $5,000, with J. D. Tate, John Richards and Thomas M. Fauerna as sureties.

LATE ARRESTS.—The following names appeared on the slate at the station-house last night at 12 o'clock: M. Albert, defaulting debtor, by officer Eldred; John Doe, drunk, by officer Ash; George Brown, battery, by officer Eldred.

NICEST assortment of embroidered flannels to be found in the city at Hale Bros., corner Ninth and K streets. *

BLEACHED TABLE LINEN, reduced from 75 to 60 cents, at Hale Bros., corner Ninth and K streets. *

PRIZES, valued at from 10 cents to $10, given to every purchaser of $2 50 worth of goods at Allmond's, No. 806 J street, to-day. *

EXTRAORDINARY value in our $3 Marseilles bedspreads. Hale Bros., cor. Ninth and K. *

LINEN and woolen tablecovers. Fine assortment at Hale Bros., corner Ninth and K. *

HONEYCOMB BEDSPREADS, from 75 cents upwards, at Hale Bros., corner Ninth and K. *

VISIT George D. Allmond's grand gift sale of toys and holiday goods to-day. Buy $2 50 worth and draw a prize. *

BUY your holiday presents at Ackerman's. *

PURE linen, knotted fringe towels, only 25 cents each. Ask to see them when visiting Hale Bros., corner Ninth and K streets. *

CHESLEY'S MAPLE RUM, WITH TULU, is unrivaled for coughs and colds. *

CONCISE LOCALS.

One hundred and eight emigrants will arrive to-morrow.

The members of the State Board of Agriculture will hold a meeting to-night at the Pavilion.

A light rainfall at Olympia and Portland was reported at the Signal Service Station last night.

Red Jacket Tribe of Red Men will pay Cosumnes Tribe a fraternal visit this evening, at Red Men's Hall.

A Chinese clock thief, named Ah Sing, was held to answer in the Police Court yesterday, with bail fixed at $1,000.

Counsel for the city in the city tax cases filed their supplemental brief with the Supreme Court on Monday.

Yesterday, in the Police Court, the examination of John Ingham, the alleged libeler of P. McG. Newcastle, was set for hearing at 1 P. M. to-day.

Albert Elkus has been appointed Quartermaster on the staff of the commanding officer of the First Artillery Regiment, with rank of First Lieutenant, vice Reardon, resigned.

The charitable fund of the Fire Department now amounts to nearly $200. A proposition is on foot to give a public ball and entertainment at an early day for the benefit of the fund.

The Mutual Sporting Club, at its last meeting, elected officers as follows: W. L. Bening, President; W. S. Shields, Vice-President; A. H. Bening, Secretary; F. F. Martin, Treasurer; A. C. Klink, Property-man; C. E. Neary and M. Silva, Directors.

The funeral of the late W. S. Rhodes, who was a nephew of Mrs. E. B. Crocker, and who died at her residence, took place yesterday afternoon, and was largely attended. Deceased was a native of Ohio, aged 31 years. He has had charge of the conservatory near the City Cemetery.

At the annual meeting of Union Lodge, No. 58, F. and A. M., the following officers were elected: Albert Hart, W. M.; J. H. Moore, S. W.; A. J. Gardiner, J. W.; Geo. T. Bush, Treasurer; J. McArthur, Secretary; C. Kellogg, S. D.; George W. Carey, J. D.; M. S. Cushman and W. F. Peterson, Stewards.

The counting of the votes in the contested election case of Coglan vs. Beard did not begin in the Superior Court yesterday. Everybody was in readiness, but the case of Burnett vs. Ætna Gold Mining Company, which had been continued from the preceding day, occupied the attention of the Court nearly all day. The election case will be called this morning.

Manager Beardsee, at the Western Union office, states that noon Washington time will be received to-day at his office, and if any person desires to take the time, and will bring a time-piece, he will gladly give them the benefit of it. Sacramento time is 2 hours and 58 minutes earlier than that of the national capital, and consequently it will be received here (if this time is correct), at 9:02 A. M.

THE MORGAN MYSTERY.

EDS. RECORD-UNION: In your paper some days since a floating paragraph appeared, stating that William Morgan was seen years after his abduction and the noted anti-Masonic excitement of 1826, in Asia Minor, and that he died there. This is all pure fiction. The facts in this celebrated case are as stated in the article written by Hon. Frederick Whittlesey, of Rochester, who died in 1851, and which is just published (December 24) by the Rochester *Union and Advertiser*. A telegraphic synopsis you have in your paper of the 4th. As a matter of history the full article is well worthy of republication. William Morgan was an inmate of our father's family in Rochester for some time during the winter season preceding his abduction. He believed himself to be under surveillance at this time by the Masonic fraternity, in consequence of his reputed writings in the exposure of Masonry. His eyes became seriously inflamed from his close application in writing this expose, and he was kept closely housed as a patient of our father's, who was a practising physician, and was employed in the treatment of his eyes. We recollect him well, with his large, green blinds, and his not being permitted to come to the light. During his residence with us he had a tooth extracted, which was preserved by his wife. His teeth were very peculiar, being all well formed and all double in both the upper and lower jaws. His abduction occurred in September, 1826. In the following summer or fall a body was discovered near the mouth of Oak Orchard creek, very much decayed, and evidently having been in the water of Lake Ontario for many months. It was generally thought at the time that this was the body of Wm. Morgan, and great efforts were being made at the investigation to prove it to be the body of some other person. Our father and Mrs. Morgan were summoned to the inquest. The tooth was produced in evidence, and the peculiar formation of the teeth of Morgan stated by Mrs. Morgan and our father. The jaw of the corpse fully answered to the description, and the tooth suited to the vacancy as described. And to the mind of both Mrs. Morgan and our father, as well as of disinterested parties, it was fully established that this was the identical body of Wm. Morgan. As this is a link in the chain of evidence of the Morgan mystery, we present it to you for publication.

ALBERT AND W. R. STRONG.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

John Butler, of Colfax, is in the city.

J. A. Zabriskie, of Arizona, is in town.

G. W. Harrison, of Truckee, was in the city yesterday.

Rev. John Thompson, of Oakland, is visiting in the city.

Mrs. T. B. Harper, of Lincoln, is visiting in Sacramento.

C. E. Tripp, of Cleveland, O., arrived in the city yesterday.

A. B. Whittaker, of Stockton, arrived in the city yesterday.

H. C. Niemyer, of Wheatland, and W. G. Nicolaus, are in town.

Judge Sepulveda, of Los Angeles, is visiting the city of Mexico.

C. P. Westead and wife, of Rocklin, are stopping in Sacramento.

D. C. Adams and D. A. Cory, of Chicago, are stopping in Sacramento.

Ben Steinman and family will leave for Cincinnati, Ohio, this evening.

B. F. Shepherd, of Georgetown, El Dorado county, was in the city yesterday.

Miss Eliza F. Jamison, of Ophir, Placer county, is visiting friends in Sacramento.

Mrs. J. R. Wilkinson passed through the city yesterday on her way to Marysville.

George B. Williams, United States Fish Commissioner, arrived in the city yesterday.

Lieutenant J. W. Danenhower, U. S. N., is contemplating a western trip, to extend to this coast.

John H. Jewett, of Marysville, spent Thanksgiving week with his wife in San Francisco, she having returned from Monterey.

Miss Annie Hobblizell, of Marysville, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. M. C. Ellis, in San Francisco, has returned to her home.

James Mansell, R. Satterthwaite, James Manning, S. K. Thornton, P. H. McGrew, J. S. Byington, of San Francisco, are stopping in the city.

Mrs. Edwin Merrifield, of Nevada City, who has recently returned from a European tour, is in San Francisco as the guest of Mrs. De Greyer.

C. P. Berry, Congressman from the Third District, on his way to Washington, spent a day visiting Governor-elect Stoneman, stopping over at Los Angeles for that purpose.

Senator Jones left for New York on Saturday, where he will meet Mrs. Jones, after which they will proceed to Washington. They will occupy the Butler mansion on Capitol Hill.

S. W. Shaw, the artist, and an old pioneer, has taken up his residence temporarily in Lake county, for the purpose of planting a vineyard. He was one of the first to start in Sonoma county.

Albert Strong, editor of the *Anti-Masonic Enquirer* at the time of the Morgan abduction, and subsequently one of the publishers of the Rochester *Democrat* (N. Y.), is visiting Sacramento as the guest of his brother, W. R. Strong.

Tuesday evening some twenty-five of the classmates of Miss Lena Danas surprised her by a sudden call at the residence of her parents, Seventeenth and K streets. They brought with them, as well as good wishes and merry greetings, some substantials and delicacies of food. But the parents of the young miss specially provided for the entertainment of the guests. The occasion of the invasion was the fourteenth birthday of the little hostess.

The Hebrew Feast of Chanukah, in commemoration of the rededication of the temple at Jerusalem, was celebrated last evening at the Synagogue on Sixth street by the Sabbath-school children of that church. The opening address was delivered by Rev. Dr. Bloch, after which the following varied and interesting programme was presented: Recitations by Rosa Meyer, Sarah Goldstein, Sophie Price, Ethel Joseph, Ettie Steinman, Eval Colman, Julia Lewis, Sarah Lavenson, Dolla Price, Rachel Ross, Clara Lavenson, Jacob Moose, Minnie Wilson, Mabel Steinman, Lena Joseph, Rosa Block, E. Joseph, S. Steinman, H. Block, Jennie Colman, Milton Phillips, Isidor Morris, Joe Nathan, C. Block, Daisy Wasserman, Betty Nathan, Susie Kozminsky, Birdie Wasserman and Sadie Asher. At the conclusion of the programme the Rabbi presented each member of the school, including teachers, with a handsome book. The attendance of visitors during the evening was very large.

SUPERIOR COURT.

WEDNESDAY, December 6th.

DEPARTMENT ONE—DENSON, Judge.

Matter of guardianship of Martha Smith, incompetent—Margaret Reel appointed guardian; bond fixed at $1,000.

C. M. Cogian vs. M. R. Beard—Continued to December 7th.

DEPARTMENT TWO—DENSON, Judge.

A. J. Burnett vs. Ætna Gold Mining Company—On trial.

PAT. HOLLAND'S MISFORTUNE.

A Reputation for Fine Work Spoiled by an Accident.

Years ago, in the early days of the Comstock excitement, Pat. Holland, now Postmaster and Coroner in a little town in Cachise county, Arizona, was the most respected man in the State. He had the reputation of being a dead shot with a pistol. Of course this accomplishment made him feared by everybody, and there was no man in Virginia so bold as to cross him in public. Pat. acquired his reputation by shooting on the stage, and could knock an apple off his son's head with an accuracy and carelessness which combined to impress the public far more than the manner in which the pains-taking William Tell performed the feat with an arrow. Finally Pat. secured a young lady who would allow an apple to be shot off her flaxen roll, and when Pat. executed the feat he would throw his keen eye at the girl and then poll his orbs up into the gallery, and without looking at his mark, send a bullet through the fruit. This was put down on the bills as "Pat. Holland's psychological feat of shooting from memory," and drew crowded houses. One night he advertised to shoot apples from twelve young ladies' heads in succession and only take one look at the crowd. Piper's Opera House was packed with men at a dollar a head, and when the curtain rose twelve immaculate ballet dancers were in line along the wings, each with an apple on her head. Pat. stepped to the footlights and bowed amid tremendous applause. He had a six-shooter in each hand, and the stage manager announced that he would shoot the last six apples with his left hand. Casting his eye along the line, he took a long breath, a steady position, and then faced the audience. Lifting his revolver he began to shoot in rapid succession, and the apples began to fly out of sight amid the breathless silence of the audience. The curious part of the performance, however, lay in the fact that by the time Pat. had fired six shots all the apples had disappeared, yet he kept right on banking away with his second weapon from his left hand, amid roars of laughter and derision. To cap the climax, two apples got tangled together and remained dangling from the edge of a scene in plain sight of the audience. The trick was at once apparent. Each apple had a fine thread attached, and at the shot was jerked quickly out of sight. The supes behind the scenes who pulled the strings got confused at Pat's rapid firing, and half the apples disappeared before the time. Two were snatched off simultaneously, and the strings overlapping in the air brought the apples together, where they hung to the edge of the scene, the strings being on each side. This ended Holland's career as a public soloist on the pistol, and the public gradually came to look upon him as an ordinary mortal. Soon after this he got into a street row in Pioche and fired twelve shots in a densely populated portion of the city without killing a man. But for attempting to do too much at once, he might have gone to Congress from this State years ago.—[Carson Appeal.

PASSENGER LISTS.

CARLIN, December 5th.—Passed here to-day, to arrive in Sacramento to-morrow: R. B. Sheldon and wife, Montana; John Boardman, Sandwich Islands; Miss Wilson, Mrs. Couch, Portland, Or.; Mrs. D. Curtin, Jamestown, Dakota; Mrs. A. N. Drown and daughter, San Francisco; Geo. W. Cushing, Union Pacific Railroad, St. Paul; Charles Bernstein, Miss Nilsson, Wm. Rosenberger, Rose Kleman, New York; W. T. Small, Parsons, Kansas; B. Gale, Colorado; J. J. Billingham, Boulder, Colorado; G. Rodoni, Cherry Creek; W. Stinson, Woodriver; M. H. Miller, Elko; T. Russell, Mass.; 108 emigrant passengers, including 78 males, to arrive in Sacramento December 8th.

OMAHA, December 6th.—Left here to-day to arrive in Sacramento December 10th: Mrs. H. M. Wiggin, Alameda; J. F. Secor, Jr. and wife, New York; Sturgis P. Carpenter, Francis W. Carpenter, Providence, R. I.; J. B. Fitzpatrick and family, New York; Mrs. Harry Stocker, San Francisco; Mrs. Ah Fracker, Philadelphia; Miss Louie Derrick, Detroit; D. Ackerman, wife, child and nurse, San Francisco; Mrs. Charles Hadsell, Annie Hadsell, Sunol Glen, Cal.; Louis Bigger, wife and child, Wheeling, W. Va.; Peter Grage, wife and son, Wisconsin; Gus Jacoby, Jr., New York; J. M. Manchaca and wife, Mexico; Charles Marvin, J. J. Broderick, J. S. Phippen, John Reed, San Francisco.

RHEUMATISM, disordered blood, general debility, and many chronic diseases pronounced incurable, are often cured by Brown's Iron Bitters.

BARNSLEY table damask, with napkins to match, at Hale Bros., corner Ninth and K.*

EXTRA value in white and colored blankets, at Hale Bros., corner Ninth and K streets.*

WATERPROOFS, from 50 cents upwards, at Hale Bros., corner Ninth and K streets. *

BUY your toys at Ackerman's, 629 J street.*

MARRIED.

San Francisco, December 3—Julius G. Grundel to Elise J. Eickhorn.
San Francisco, December 3—Wm. J. H. Miller to Annie M. Eberling.
San Francisco, December 3—John Nelson to Josephine Pidcox.
San Francisco, December 4—Paul T. Schad to Maggie F. Price.
San Francisco, December 2—Frederick Schaefer to Julia Hermann.

DIED.

Sacramento, December 6—John Westley Rendell, a native of Ione, 10 years, 5 months and 2 days.
[Funeral from residence of parents, 1828 G street, this morning at 9 o'clock. Interment at Ione on the 7th.]
San Francisco, December 6—Mary Etta, only child of Quincy C. and Nettie Cummings, a native of California, 6 years and 6 months.
[Funeral will take place from the residence of Chas. H. Cummings, corner of Ninth and O streets, this afternoon at 1 o'clock.]
Sacramento, December 6—Mrs. Ann Campbell, 55 years.
[Funeral notice hereafter.]

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BETWEEN J AND K, SACRAMENTO.

One of 654 Acres, in Butte county, three miles from Biggs' Station, being property of MARION BIGGS, JR. Is the best grain, fruit or alfalfa land in Butte county; is well timbered; with good large dwelling, barns, blacksmith shop, tools, granary, etc. WILL EXCHANGE IN PART FOR RESIDENCE IN OAKLAND OR SACRAMENTO.

—ALSO—

A Good Dairy or Hop Ranch of 727 Acres, on Sacramento river. Two good dwellings, barns, stable; is well timbered; has a few hop poles on place. Will be sold for low price of $20 per acre.

—ALSO—

Hop and Grain Ranch of 400 Acres, on Cosumnes river; 250 acres of fine bottom land.

—ALSO—

Fine Fruit Ranch of 160 Acres, situated 7 miles from Sacramento; 17 acres in orchard, 3 acres in blackberries, 4 acres in strawberries, 25 acres in vineyard; steam engine and pump for irrigating; good buildings, etc. This is one of the best fruit ranches on the plains. Price, $10,000. Terms of payment easy.

—ALSO—

Small Farm of 20 Acres, near Penryn, with 800 fruit trees, of all varieties; 1,000 grape vines, 1,500 blackberry and 1,000 raspberry bushes, all in good bearing condition. Price, $2,500.

—ALSO—

Farm of 16 Acres, 1-2 Mile of the City— 500 fruit trees, 2,000 foreign grapes; dwelling, barn, etc. Price, $3,000.

SWEETSER & ALSIP, Sacramento.

CHANGED DAILY FOR MECHANICS' STORE.

Weinstock & Lubin.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1882.

SACRAMENTO TEMPERATURE.

TEMPERATURE YESTERDAY:

Highest,	61
Lowest,	38

TEMPERATURE CORRESPONDING DAY, 1881:

Highest,	60
Lowest,	52

EVENTS OF THE DAY.

First Railroad in Germany, 1835.

Sun Rises,	7:03 A. M.
Sun Sets,	4:41 P. M.
Moon Rises,	5:08 A. M.
Moon Souths,	10:18 A. M.
Day's Length,	9h. 38min.

FANCY KILTS, $6 75.
HANDSOME SCOTCH TWEED PLEATED SUITS, $6 50.

☞ Owing to a largely increased stock this year, and the consequent lack of space in our stores, we shall not open out a separate Department for TOYS as heretofore.

We shall, however, broaden out the lines of goods kept in the various Departments, until our whole store will be brimful of HOLIDAY GIFTS for young and old. Hosts of things ready now.

The new style STEREOSCOPES, in the Notion Department, are an instance of what we have been saying above. Plush-covered, and arranged on Handsome Nickel-plated Stands, with several joints, elbows and pivots—so that the pictures can be seen to the best advantage.

PRICE, $3 75.

For a similar purpose, we have also the GRAPHOSCOPE, a sort of Double Complex Stereoscope—especially suitable for table ornaments; Black Walnut.

PRICE, $5.

For several weeks, we have been suffering for the want of a larger stock of MEDIUM AND LOW-PRICED CHILDREN'S CLOAKS. The early season brought more customers than we had counted on. The relief supply has come, however, and we are now showing a full and interesting line of these goods, including some as low as $3.

DRESS PATTERNS FOR HOLIDAY GIFTS (we spoke of them Monday), are now on sale. The assortment is not yet complete, and new lots will be added from day to day.

Whoever heard of a DRESS PATTERN for a gift coming amiss?

NEW TO-DAY!—MEN'S WOOL, DIAGONAL FROCK SUITS, $17; Young Men's Dark Cheviot SACK SUITS, $9; BOYS' BLOUSE SUITS, $3.

WIDE-END TIES FOR MEN, in rich, dark, full-colored satins.

PRICE, 50 cents.

Best makes in KNIVES, RAZORS AND SCISSORS. TABLE CUTLERY, and quite a collection of SILVER-PLATED TABLE WARE.

Large Variety of

Trunks and Valises,

Including a special line of FINE BELLOWS VALISES.

MECHANICS' STORE,

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

ONE PRICE!

MISCELLANEOUS.

JAMES I. FELTER & CO.

IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN

WINES AND LIQUORS,

Nos. 1016 and 1018 Second street, between J and K. Sacramento.

J. B. KLUNE,

WATCHMAKER AND JEWELER, 226 J ST., BET. SECOND and THIRD

☞ Dealer in WATCHES, JEWELRY AND DIAMONDS. Repairing in all its branches a specialty under MR. FLOBERG. Agent for Rockford Watch Company. au18-3plm

JOHN breuner,

Importer, Manufacturer, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in every description of

FURNITURE and BEDDING

Nos. 604, 606 and 608 K street, bet. Sixth and Seventh, Sacramento. an7-3pif

J. G. DAVIS,

NO. 411 K STREET, SACRAMENTO,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN PARLOR, BED AND DINING-ROOM

FURNITURE and CARPETS

LATEST PATTERNS OF LINOLEUM AND OIL CLOTHS. ALSO, A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF CURTAINS, SHADES, CORNICES, ETC.

☞ I would request the public to call and examine my large stock of goods before purchasing elsewhere, as they will find it to their advantage.

Country Orders Solicited, and Satisfaction Guaranteed. c30-

NEW HOLIDAY GOODS!

Just Arrived at GEO. D. ALLMOND'S Sewing Machine Depot, 806 J st:

LADIES' AND GENTS' FUR TOP GLOVES, PLUSH LINED, AND WITH PATENT SPRING Fastening. Elegant line of Silk Handkerchiefs, from 75 cents to $2 50 each. Fringed Christmas and New Year's Cards—the largest assortment ever brought to this city—prices, from 10 cents to $3 each. TOYS of all kinds. Fancy Cups and Saucers, from 25 cents to $2 50 each. Vases, Dolls, Jewelry, Purses, etc. Now is the time to buy, while everything is new and fresh, and prices are low.

GEORGE D. ALLMOND, NO. 806 J STREET.

Tufts' Yerbine Cough Balsam

WILL CURE YOUR COUGH OR COLD

WHEN EVERYTHING ELSE FAILS, TRY IT.

A. C. TUFTS, DRUGGIST,

CORNER TENTH AND J STREETS,.....[m23-3p6m]....SACRAMENTO.

The Finest and Most Select Stock

—OF—

HOLIDAY PRESENTS!

—CAN BE FOUND AT—

Ackerman & Co.'s

Nos. 629 and 631 J street, Sacramento.

AS WE ARE POSITIVELY RETIRING FROM BUSINESS

JANUARY 1st,

THESE GOODS WILL BE SOLD

REGARDLESS OF COST!

409 J STREET. J. F. SLATER, Hatter, WINTER STYLES NOW READY. o2-3p3m

J. J. Spieker DRUGS. NORTHWEST CORNER SIXTH AND K STREETS. jy31-2pif

GUNS!

ENGLISH AND AMERICAN

Breech-Loading Shotguns,
Winchester Rifles,
Hunters' Supplies,

—FOR SALE BY—

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SACRAMENTO AND SAN FRANCISCO.

—AGENTS FOR—

CALIFORNIA AND HAZARD Powder Companies

ROSEDALE MARKET.

B. DENNERY,

721 J STREET, TAKES PLEASURE in informing his friends and customers that he has opened the above market, and it is now in full blast. He has a large and choice lot of Turkeys, fat Geese, Chickens, Booth's Eastern Oysters, Fish, American and foreign Cheese of all kinds, Eggs, Butter, and all kinds of Vegetables and Fruits. His goods are first class, and will be sold at the very lowest bedrock prices for cash. Please call and examine for yourself and you will find it to your advantage to deal at the Rosedale Market. n23-tf3m

TO MY OLD PATRONS.

I STILL OFFER MY VALUABLE SERVICES IF you are so unfortunate as to require them. With a mind matured and enriched by studies of an advanced order, I can safely say that there is hardly a disease in the catalogue of human ills that I cannot treat to a successful issue.

LADIES—I am always ready to assist you. My past knowledge has been increased