THE DAILY RECORD-UNION.

SATURDAY.....DECEMBER 23, 1882

ADVERTISEMENT MENTION.

Meeting—Union Lodge, A. O. U. W.
Meeting—Land League.
Found—Milk-can cover.
Notice—Wells, Fargo & Co.
Opening—Norton & Egan.
Christmas Festival—German Lutheran Sunday-school.
Praise Service—Congregational Church.
A correction.

Auctions.

Bell & Co.—This evening.
Sherburn & Smith—To-day, 10:30 A. M.
Bell & Co.—Friday next.

Business Advertisements

Dr. de Derky—Office 818 Eighth street.
Mechanics' Store—Store open until 10 o'clock.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

POLICE COURT.—There was a large calendar in the Police Court yesterday, and the Court was kept in session until nearly dark. Jas. Lewis pleaded guilty to a charge of being drunk, and was fined $10, with the usual alternative. This is the second conviction. Frank Kavanaugh, charged with misdemeanor, was discharged on motion of the City Attorney. Mary May was brought in to answer the charge of being drunk, was convicted and fined $10. George Dresser was charged with grand larceny, but was not found guilty. The two boys—James Duffy and Russell Hapeman—who were arrested by officer Jackson and charged with stealing some knives from the store of Mrs. Fuchs, on K street, were arraigned on a charge of petty larceny. Duffy pleaded guilty, and judgment was postponed until next Wednesday. Hapeman's case was continued to the same day. The case of E. Hammond, manager of the hide and tallow-rendering establishment on Twenty-eighth and K streets, who had been arrested on a charge of maintaining a public nuisance, was called for trial. Defendant's counsel, Freeman & Bates, have filed a demurrer to the complaint, and a jury trial was demanded. The case was set for hearing on next Thursday at 10 o'clock. He is also charged with misdemeanor under a State law, which case will also be tried. Twenty-seven witnesses from the neighborhood of the alleged nuisance were present for the prosecution. There were three cases still to try in which a jury had been demanded—Mrs. Davis and Mrs. Miller, charged with battery, D. T. Cummings, common drunkard, and Jack Sullivan, charged with vagrancy. In each of these the jury brought in a verdict of guilty. In the case of Mrs. Davis and Mrs. Miller judgment was deferred until next Tuesday. Cummings will receive sentence this morning. Sullivan, otherwise known as Arizona Jack, is known to be a gambler, who only ventures his money on a "sure thing." He has been sentenced and served time in chaingangs in other towns. He was notified by the officers to leave the city, but heeded not, and was arrested. He demanded a jury trial, which resulted as stated. He will be sentenced this morning, and will probably be a warning to others.

INDEPENDENT RECLAMATION. — The petition of Henry Hebb and John Kennede for the establishment of independent reclamation districts on Grand Island came up for hearing before the Board of Supervisors yesterday. Grove L. Johnson appeared for petitioners and Thomas H. Williams and George Gordon, of San Francisco, appeared on behalf of Reclamation District No. 3, of which the land asked to be set apart is a portion. On request of Mr. Williams it was ordered by the Board that E. B. Willis should act as reporter in the case. Some testimony was offered on the part of petitioners, but none was offered by the opposition. Gen. Williams, in his argument before the Board, stated that many such petitions had been granted by the Board, and that each of the petitioners had said that they intended to proceed with the work of reclamation, but that not one shovelful of earth had ever been moved in the direction of reclaiming the lands; that "by their fruits ye shall know them;" that each piece of land set apart by the Board from other districts lessened the chances of a reclamation of the district. He said the cost of levees for reclamation purposes was not less than $15,000 per mile, and that some levees had cost $38,000 per mile. He stated that in his opinion the Board had no legal right to grant the prayers of petitioners, and he believed that the Superior Court would declare that such orders are not valid. Mr. Hebb testified that he had paid $1,300 for reclamation on Grand Island, and was now worse off than when he began. When the case was submitted to the Board a vote was taken and resulted in a unanimous vote in favor of granting the prayer of petitioners—excepting that Blair and Dreman declined to vote because they had not been present when the testimony was submitted.

THE WEATHER.—Of the prospects for good weather for the next few days Sergeant Barwick says: The rainfall yesterday was .02 of an inch, making 7.10 inches for the season, which is about two inches in excess of the average for the past six years to a corresponding date of each year from 1877 to 1882, both years included. There is a very heavy storm in Washington Territory, and also in Oregon, and it has a tendency to cover over quite a large territory north and south, and also has a tendency to take in the northern and central portions of California; but from the appearance of the weather last night, as judged by the weather reports received at 8:02 P. M., there is a prospect of the storm not being as severe in the amount of precipitation as was at first anticipated, although from the rapid and sudden fluctuations of the meteorological instruments, the weather is undoubtedly in an unsettled condition. There seems to be a cold wave approaching, for the thermometer has changed 13° at Olympia in the past twenty-four hours—that is, the thermometer last night stood at 39°, and the night before it was 52°. There may, therefore, be anticipated a clear sky and frosty weather Christmas day. The rain of yesterday did not extend below San Francisco—at least it did not reach Visalia. The barometer is rising very rapidly in the extreme northern portion of the Pacific slope. The wind is generally south and southeast, and quite light in velocity. It is west and northwest south of San Francisco.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.—Yesterday was the last day of the regular session of the Board of Supervisors. Present at roll-call, Butler, Bailey, Christy and Beckley—Blair absent in obedience to a subpena of the Police Court. The application for refunding mortgage tax assessed to Adam Nessell was referred to the Assessor and Auditor. The petition of W. K. Lindsay, Jr., for a road on the line of San Joaquin, Brighton and Lee townships, was read and ordered on file. The bond was approved, and John Givens and William Murray appointed viewers, and A. G. Winn surveyor. The report of George N. Gray, Overseer of Road District No. 16, was referred to Supervisor Beckley, reported correct and ordered on file. In the cases of Bixler vs. Parvin et al., Bixler vs. Mudge et al., and Williams vs. Meyers et al., in the Superior Court, a writ of review having been served on the Board, it was ordered that the Clerk, on behalf of the Board, make return of the record, proceedings and evidence given in the cases as the return of the Board. The petitions of Henry Hebb and John Kennede for the establishment of independent reclamation districts on Grand Island, were granted. Adjourned to 10 A. M. to-day.

SUDDEN DEATH.—Mrs Margaret Foster, a hotel keeper at Shake Ridge, Amador county, arrived in this city last Sunday to spend the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. H. S. Lockwood. The lady was taken suddenly ill with a congestive chill, and in about an hour afterwards died. The body of the deceased was sent to her former home on Tuesday for burial. The deceased was held in such high respect in her mountain home, that while the funeral cortege was passing through Plymouth and Fiddletown the bells were tolled and large numbers of the citizens accompanied the remains to Shake Ridge. At the latter-named place a large company of her former neighbors had assembled to pay the last tokens of respect. The deceased was 61 years old at the time of her death.

HAVE you seen those handsome washable dolls which are sold for $1 at Ackerman's closing-out sale? If not, call at once, as they are disappearing very fast; $2 is the price asked for them by other dealers. *

LARGE stock of juvenile books, games, etc., at H. S. Crocker & Co.'s, which can be bought at reasonable prices. *

FIFTY DOZEN silk handkerchiefs will be opened out to-day for sale. Prices 90 cents, $1 and $1 25, at the Red House. *

DOWN AGAIN!—That choice Petaluma Dairy Butter down to 65c a roll, at H. H. Paulk's, 814 K street. *

NOW THEY GO.—Those ladies' French kid shoes—something fine for the holidays—at Red House. *

THE CITY'S HEALTH.

Meeting at the Court-house—Resolutions Adopted.

The public meeting called some days ago by citizens of the city for the purpose of considering sanitary measures was held at the Court-house last evening. A number of citizens, who would probably have been present, were kept away by the rain; but those present were representative citizens.

The meeting was called to order by Rev. Dr. Dwinell, who read the advertised call for the meeting, and proposed S. C. Denson as Chairman of the meeting. Mr. Denson was elected unanimously.

On taking the chair, Judge Denson said the city had been suffering for some time past from diseases which scientific men say are caused by bad sewerage; that unless something was done this city, which had always been considered one of the healthiest of cities, would lose its reputation; that there is nothing which does as much for the happiness and prosperity of a city as a well-earned reputation for healthfulness; that no one seeks an unhealthy town to raise a family in; neither will business men seek to locate in such a place. He believed the matter was one that could be regulated. He said it is a well-known proposition that water will not run up hill, and when the sewerage of the city is brought below the level of the natural drain, it is not an easy matter to get rid of it. He presumed this meeting had been called for the purpose of agitating the subject of relief.

Wm. J. Davis was then chosen Secretary of the meeting.

Dr. Dwinell then addressed the meeting. He said he had given the subject some thought in a general way; that it had seemed for some time that something ought to be done to remove the contents of our cesspools and vaults; there are probably 5,000 such vaults in the city; these are not emptied until it becomes absolutely necessary in order to continue the further use, or else they are covered up and new ones made; such a method is very fatal to the health of a city; the odors from these vaults are either carried into the houses through pipes, or float in the air of the city; something should be done to rapidly remove these elements, or else to transpose them into something which will not be noxious; the question arises as to what is the best method to alleviate this; the present canal system is entirely inadequate; if all the fetal matter were to be pumped into the canal it would become unhealthy to those living in the vicinity; the purpose of making the canal serve the public is in my mind impossible; several methods have been suggested for removing this aggregation of filth. One is by a pneumatic method for removing the matter from the cesspools to a cistern and then pump it into the river, or it might be used as a liquid manure; another method is to apply a force pump at the cesspools and thus force the matter though the pipes to an outlet; both of the methods would require a great outlay at the beginning, and probably the city would not care to go to so great an expense. If the cistern should be located at Second and T streets, near the river, it could be easily pumped over the levee; by sinking a cistern thirty feet below the surface of the ground and placing the receiving pipe about twenty feet below the ground, it could be easily accomplished; the cistern should be air-tight, and the pump should discharge below low-water mark, thereby preventing any noxious gases from arising; by pumping every day there would be no time for decomposition. If the pipe, for instance, was extended up Third street as far as D street, there would be a fall of eighteen inches to the block to the proposed cistern; on Thirteenth street, from D street, there would be thirteen inches fall to each block; on Twenty-first street there would be eleven inches fall to each block. This would be ample to secure the best of sewerage. The branch sewers might be two feet below the surface, which would be ample fall for them. There are two systems of sewerage after the latest approved plans—one the combined system, which has pipes large enough for all purposes, including rainfall; the other, known as the separate system, which requires that the rainfall shall be carried off by some other means. The latter is probably the better. This system is used in Memphis, Tenn., with good results. East of Thirteenth street we have no sewers at all, and in this portion the separate system might be used; in other portions of the city the combined system might be used to a better advantage. In Memphis the cost of the separate system was $685 per mile. On this basis the sewerage of the entire city would cost less than $200,000. The opinion of some of the best practical engineers should be obtained before anything is done.

Calls were made for Mayor Brown, but he declined to speak on the subject, saying that he had come to listen and not to speak, but stated that the canal is being opened through to Snodgrass slough.

L. F. Bassett said the fall that would be gained by the work on the canal that is extending to Snodgrass slough would be almost nothing. The work now being done would amount to about $10,000, and was being done as a compromise with the people living along th line of the canal. It would cost $18,000 more to gain a two-foot fall. In regard to pumping sewage, he said there are four or five methods by which it can be done. It is perfectly practical to perfect a system of sewage which will be complete. The separate system of sewerage would not cost less than $100,000 to do the work that would necessarily have to be done at the present time. Some of our sewers are wooden ones, and others are built of brick, with open joints, and many of them are no better than cesspools. In some places cesspools are formed under the houses, and are never cleaned, but allowed to run over, while others have no ventilation excepting into the houses. He believed the city of Sacramento should own an odorless excavator, and a charge be made only sufficient to pay the expenses of the work done, and that it should be made imperative to have the cesspools and vaults cleaned frequently.

Grove L. Johnson did not believe in the Snodgrass slough canal; the object originally was to carry off the water, and it was only of late years that it had been used for sewerage purposes; he was in favor of a pumping system. He then moved that it was the sense of the meeting that a pumping system should by adopted. He believed that the Board of Health should exercise its power to order the matter of cleaning cesspools attended to at once.

Dr. Dwinell said if the cistern was cleared with the pump every day, the matter would at once mingle with the water of the river.

Other speakers discussed the subject, among which were Samuel Cross, Wm. J. Davis, S. S. Holl, Mayor Brown, A. J. Goddard, J. R. Watson, City Attorney Anderson, F. R. Dray, James McClatchy, W. F. Knox, and others. Several of the speakers thought the cause of the present sickness was not a defective sewerage system, but that the malarial diseases prevailed in all parts of the coast, and that a comparison of the mortality report of the various cities in the United States would show that Sacramento had for the past ten years stood among the foremost in point of health. Prominent among these was Mayor Brown.

A vote was then taken on the motion made by Mr. Johnson, and it was carried without a dissenting voice.

Another motion was then made and carried that a committee of five be appointed by the Chair to report at a future meeting the best method of putting into operation the previous resolution. The committee was appointed as follows: Dr. Dwinell, W. F. Knox, J. R. Watson, L. F. Bassett, Grove L. Johnson.

The meeting then adjourned, the hour being 10:30 o'clock, to meet at the call of the committee.

A LEGAL QUESTION.—There appears to be some doubt as to whether the present Board of Supervisors can legally hold a regular session after the close of this year, consequently, to preclude the possibility of the legality of their action being questioned, they decided yesterday to continue the present session until all the business now pending can be finished.

BONDS FILED.—A. J. Smith yesterday filed his official bond as Constable for Dry Creek Township in the sum of $1,500, with J. W. Beckwith and J. H. Sawyer as sureties. Also George Cone filed his official bond as Justice of the Peace for American township, with J. P. Counts and J. L. Huntoon as sureties.

FREIGHT TO ARRIVE.—Freight for Sacramento passed Ogden on the 19th instant as follows: For Holman, Stanton & Co., 2 carloads plows; Lindley & Co., 415 cases oysters, 1 crate show cases; Continental Oil Company, 1 tank oil; G. W. Chesley, 5 barrels whisky; Booth & Co., 100 barrels oatmeal.

FACTS proven, all-wool and a yard wide—That the Blue House boots and shoes have few equals, and no superior for style and durability; that they are offering unequaled bargains in shoes, men's furnishing goods, hats and clothing, under their special reductions for stock-taking. *

BEST quality triple plated teaspoons only $2 60 per dozen; tablespoons or forks of the same quality, only $5 20 per dozen at Ackerman's closing-out sale. *

THIRTEEN-OUNCE nickel-plated table knives only $3 40 per dozen at Ackerman's, 629 J. *

MISSES' French kid shoes just placed in stock at Red House. *

MINING PATENTS.

At the United States Land Office, in this city, Ed. F. Taylor, Register, there still remains a large number of patents for mineral lands undelivered. Parties whose names are mentioned in the following list, or who are owners or claimants to the same will, upon transmitting or delivering their duplicate receipts, receive their patents, to wit:

Mineral Entry No. 120, for the Round-Out Hydraulic Tunnel placer mine, situated in Benton mining district, El Dorado county; James S. Kennedy, claimant.

Mineral Entry No. 223, for the Doolittle placer mine, situated in Willow Valley mining district, Nevada county; Alonzo J. Doolittle, claimant.

Mineral Entry No. 293, for the Herbertville quartz mine and mill site, situated in Sutter Creek mining district, Amador county; Amanda C. Harris, claimant.

Mineral Entry No. 294, for the Starr placer mine, situated in Red Dog mining district, Nevada county; Edward Williams, claimant.

Mineral Entry No. 319, for the Crescent quartz mine, situated in Grass Valley mining district, Nevada county; Crescent Gold Quartz Mining Company, claimant.

Mineral Entry No. 433, for the Pennsylvania gold and silver quartz mine and mill site, situated in Silver Mountain mining district, Alpine county; Pennsylvania Gold and Silver Mining Company, claimant.

Mineral Entry No. 448, for the Bean Hill placer mine, in Diamond Springs mining district, El Dorado county; Adolph Wenzel and John Krummel, claimants.

Mineral Entry No. 462, for the Meyers Tunnel placer mine, situated in Smith's mining district, El Dorado county; Thomas Alderson and William M. Donahue, claimants.

Mineral Entry No. 498, for the Rock Tunnel placer mine, situated in White Rock mining district, El Dorado county; Caleb Reed, claimant.

Mineral Entry No. 531, for the Gold Slide placer mine, situated in Hogg's Diggings mining district, Placer and El Dorado counties; Michael and Felix Hohmann and Nathan S. Martin, claimants.

Mineral Entry No. 581, for the Volcano Flat placer mine, in Volcano mining district, Amador county; Bartolomeo Figoni, Paulo Lavazzo et als., claimants.

Mineral Entry No. 661, for the Golden Bull placer mine, in the Lowell Hill mining district, Nevada county; James Hill, claimant.

Mineral Entry No. 667, for the Table Rock placer mine, in Placerville mining district, El Dorado county; Charles Towe, claimant.

Mineral Entry No. 705, for the Hydraulic Hill and Pebble Hill placer mine, in Smith's Flat mining district, El Dorado county; El Dorado Water and Deep Gravel Mining Company, claimants.

Mineral Entry No. 735, for the Dahlonega quartz mine, in Emigrant Gap mining district, Placer county; J. A. Hoagland et al., claimants.

Mineral Entry No. 732, for the Spring Slide placer mine, in Scott's Flat mining district, Nevada county; Harvey Cooper, claimant.

Mineral Entry No. 746, for the Curtis Copperas and Fleeson placer mine, in Nevada mining district, Nevada county; C. L. Weller, E. J. Baldwin and S. T. Curtis, claimants.

Mineral Entry No. 756, for the Robinson placer mine, in Robinon mining district, Amador county; Davis and Philip J. Robinson, claimants.

Mineral Entry No. 762, for the West Sugar-Loaf placer mine, in Iowa Hill mining district, Placer county; Charles Rice and W. B. Storey, claimants.

Mineral Entry No. 767, for the Tribute quartz mine, in Grass Valley mining district, Nevada county; Tribute Quartz Mining Company, claimants.

Mineral Entry No. 776, for the Chalk Hill Deep Gravel placer mine, in Chili Camp mining district, Calaveras county; Auguste Bergot, Victorino Billega, et al., claimants.

Mineral Entry No. 783, for the Indian Gulch placer mine, in Golden Gate mining district, Calaveras county; Joseph O'Neill, et al., claimants.

Mineral Entry No. 786, for the Old Hickory quartz mine, in Kelsey mining district, El Dorado county; Old Hickory Gold Mining Company, claimants.

Mineral Entry No. 787, for the Peterson quartz mine, in Kelsey mining district, El Dorado county; Old Hickory Gold Mining Company, claimants.

Mineral Entry No. 791, for the Small Hope placer mine, in Bushey mining district, Placer county; William A. Framage and Joseph Federer, claimants.

Mineral Entry No. 795, for the Young Harmon quartz mine, in Placerville mining district, El Dorado county; Benjamin G. Parlow, claimant.

Mineral Entry No. 796, for the Sucker Flat placer mine, in Wisconsin Hill mining district, Placer county; Sucker Flat Mining Company, claimants.

Mineral Entry No. 800, for the Ætna quartz mine, in Jackson mining district, Amador county; Thomas Hanlon, claimant.

Mineral Entry No. 803, for the St. Martin mine, in Plymouth mining district, Amador county; Martin Snable, claimant.

Mineral Entry No. 804, for the Crocus quartz mine, in Plymouth mining district, Amador county; Nathaniel P. Whitney and Martin Snable, claimants.

Mineral Entry No. 806, for the Arnett placer mine, in Shiugle Springs mining district, El Dorado county; James D. and Rice D. Arnett, claimants.

Mineral Entry No. 807, for the General Grant quartz mine, in Grass Valley mining district, Nevada county; Martin Ford, Joseph Perrin et al., claimants.

Mineral Entry No. 814, for the Pioneer quartz mine, in Plymouth mining district, Amador county; Lawrence Evans, claimant.

CHRISTMAS OBSERVANCES.—Christmas observance will be general in this city. To-morrow evening a Christmas praise service will be given by the choir at the Congregational Church. The Lutheran Sunday-school holds its festival to-morrow evening. At 11 A. M. to-morrow, at St. Paul's Church, Christmas services, with music by a special choir and chorus. At the Sixth-street M. E. Church to-morrow evening a Christmas sermon by the pastor. Monday, at 10:30 A. M., a union Christmas service will be held at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A. At Kingsley Chapel this evening, at 7 o'clock, there will be a Christmas tree. At the same hour a Christmas tree at Calvary Baptist Church. To-night the butchers and market-men make their annual holiday display at their respective stalls. The Protestant Orphan Asylum Christmas tree will be lighted up on Tuesday evening.

AUCTIONS.—Bell & Co., auctioneers, will sell this evening at their salesroom on J street, near Tenth, a lot of oil paintings, chromos and steel engravings. Also, 250 morocco-bound albums. The same firm will sell at the same place, on next Friday, a large lot of household goods of all descriptions. Sherburn & Smith announce the sale to-day, at 10:30 A. M., in front of salesroom, No. 323 K street, of a very large lot of household furniture. Also, the entire contents of a restaurant, including chairs, tables, crockery, floor cilcloth, knives and forks. Also, 50 dressed dolls, balance left from the St. Paul's doll fete.

YOUTHFUL BURGLAR.—Yesterday afternoon, about 4 o'clock, a boy about 9 years of age, named Edward Hornbeck, was caught in the act of stealing a pair of shoes at the store of C. H. Stevens & Co., on the corner of J and Eighth streets. He was arrested by one of the clerks and handed over to Deputy Sheriff Shellars. The parents of the boy reside on Second street, between N and O streets, this city. Other merchants in the city complain of such petty thieving in their stores.

ON NEXT TUESDAY there will be a grand entertainment and ball at Enterprise Hall, near Walsh's Station. Many are going from this city, and a good time is promised to all. Tickets, including supper, $2. *

IF YOU can't find a nice turkey to-day at the retail markets, come down to Nos. 117 and 119 J street. Have some left, with cranberries to match. Come and see the Bronze Lion. *

DON'T FAIL to attend the pigeon match at Oak Hall, on the Riverside road, on Sunday next. The roads are in good condition; 1,000 good, strong pigeons on hand. The best shots in the State will enter in the matches. Bascum & Archer, proprietors. *

THE annual Christmas turkey raffle at Lafayette Hall, 316 K street, will take place on Friday and Saturday evenings of this week at 7 o'clock. Fine Turkeys. *

TURKEYS FOR SALE.—A fine lot of 200, corn-fed, at L-street Market, corner of Seventh and L streets. Call and examine before purchasing. *

GRAND turkey shoot on Christmas at Elk Grove—250 turkeys to be shot for according to rules. Also chicken shooting. *

CHOICE Eastern smoked beef. Choicest Petaluma Dairy Butter down to 65c a roll. Plenty of fresh eggs, only 40c a dozen, at Paulk's, 814 K street. *

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

BALANCE OF TOYS at cost at Red House. Grand bargains. *

CONCISE LOCALS.

To-day is the shortest day of the year.

Forty-four emigrant passengers will arrive this afternoon.

The Sacramento river has reached 9 feet 1 inch above low-water mark, and is still rising.

Wells, Fargo & Co.'s office will be open until 11 to-night. It will be closed to-morrow and Monday.

To-day is the last day for paying State and county taxes before they become delinquent. After to-day five per cent. will be added.

The notice of appeal to the Supreme Court has not been filed in the case of Coglan vs. Beard, but Mr. Beard states that the case will be appealed.

A large number of demands on the Treasury were allowed by the Board of Supervisors this week, and warrants for the same can be had at the office of the County Auditor this morning.

Germania Rebekah Degree Lodge, I. O. O. F., elected the following officers last evening for the ensuing term: Mrs. Dorothea Balze, N. G.; Mrs. Philippine Harrison, V. G.; Mrs. Ida Hillebrand, R. S.; Mrs. Caroline Schweitzer, P. S.; Mrs. Annie C. Griesel, T.

At the last meeting of Pioneer Council, American Legion of Honor, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: C., F. P. Lowell; V. C., W. R. Strong; O., Geo. Pyburn; S., M. R. Beard; C., J. C. Tubbs; T., Geo. B. Blue; G., Mrs. A. Decker; W., N. Harvie; S., Mrs. E. Carter; C., R. H. Withington; T., G. H. Tenbrook, L. E. Smith, C. S. Butler.

The Native Sons of the Golden West elected the following officers last evening: President, H. W. Kluys; 1st Vice-President, Robert T. Devlin; 2d Vice-President, W. Shields; 3d Vice-President, E. Ersuw; Recording Secretary, P. C. Jurgens; Financial Secretary, T. D. Littlefield; Treasurer, Robert H. Hawley; Marshal, J. W. Reynolds; Executive Committee—H. McCann, Jr., G. W. Morrill, George Kuchler; Surgeon, Dr. Brune.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

E. T. McStay, of Stockton, is in the city.

I. G. Truman, of San Francisco, is in the city.

E. E. Leake, of the Dixon *Tribune*, was in the city yesterday.

Ariel Lathrop came down from Vina and went to San Francisco.

Leavitt's Specialty Company left for Stockton yesterday morning.

A. Stettheimer, of Marysville, came to the city yesterday morning

Niles Searls, of Nevada City, came up from San Francisco yesterday.

N. D. Coombs, Assemblyman-elect from Yuba county, is in San Francisco.

Mrs. E. J. Fay has gone to San Francisco to spend the holidays with her parents.

General Charles Cadwalader, of Red Bluff, came up from San Francisco yesterday.

M. Diedsheimer, the mining expert, passed through to San Francisco yesterday.

Mrs. M. H. Cowden carries on a banking business in her own name at Forest Hill, Placer county.

W. R. Andrews, of Oakland, Secretary of the Board of Railroad Commissioners, is in the city.

Jay Gould, one of the kings of Wall street, New York, will arrive in California by the southern route to-day.

Miss Alice Baker, at present attending Howe's Academy, departs Saturday for Galt, to spend the holidays with her parents.

Miss A. Ray Dieterick, teacher of penmanship in the city schools, will leave this evening for Reno, to spend the holidays with her sister, Mrs. S. Beemer.

Arrivals at the Golden Eagle Hotel: John McCreary, Omaha, Neb.; Miss M. Arrowsmith, Reno; C. L. Robinson, Bloomet; W. L. Hill, U. S. N.; Frank Batchelor, I. J. Truman, John C. Ball, San Francisco; J. Odell, city.

Miss Elva S. Elder, of Carson, Nev., was married to Charles F. Derby in San Francisco on the 18th instant. Miss Elder is a daughter of George S. Elder, a pioneer of Nevada. C. F. Derby is a son of C. C. Derby, formerly of Virginia City, and quite a prominent man in mining circles. He made a large fortune in mining speculations in the Alta mine. Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Derby, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Davenport, have returned to their future home in San Francisco. Mrs. Davenport is Mrs. Derby's mother.

Arrivals at the State House Hotel—T. J. Mulvany, O. L. Davis and wife, C. Davis, Nicolaus; J. Andrus, R. Leroy, P. H. Latourrette, T. Hatch, H. Oxender, Galt; Peter Schulp and wife, Cosumnes; J. Burris, Latrobe; G. H. Colby, Tom Graham, S. S. Hinsdell and wife, Clarksburg; John Jenkins, Miss Hattie Costello, Elk Grove; R. D. Beckley, Walnut Grove; John A. Hill, Roseville; Al. Marsh, Franklin; A. Woodward, Folsom; J. A. Durney, Truckee; E. Herrill, Placerville; William Hicks, W. T. Nelson, Hicksville; Mrs. A. Lohfink, Sacramento county; J. P. Cox, H. Robinson, William Dollard, San Francisco; M. Yarbrough, Rocklin; A. Stephenson, J. Lewis, Jackson Flood, Florin; F. M. Shepler, Lake House.

The Bric-a-Brac Club held its regular reception last evening. It was under the direction of the Decorative Art Section, with aid from the Music Section. It was the first effort under the new organization. There was a good attendance. The contributions of decorative art work were: By Mrs. Henry Miller, embroidered chenille apron, muff, Kensington lamberquin and a silk counterpane; by Mrs. C. H. Ross, flower panel in oil; by Mrs. H. Weinstock, embroidered souvenir stand, embroidered camp stool, statuette card receiver; by Mrs. M. M. Blakeney, three fancy Christmas plaques in velvet, oil and gold, one specimen pen drawing; by Miss Daisy Siddons, two fancy chair backs; Miss Fanny Kendall, one ornamental banner in oil on velvet, two ornamental silk wall panels on tartan; by Mrs. W. A. Hughson, thirty-eight specimens porcelain painting and one silk embroidered shawl fifty years old; by Mrs. John M. Milliken, one silk embroidered apron thirty years old; Miss Lilie Evans, one piano scarf in couching, two embroidered chair-backs; Miss Kitty Van Voorhies, one ornamented tamborine in oil, one palette in oil, one panel and one plaque in oil; Miss Nellie Gregory, one painted and embroidered sofa pillow; one life-size crayon portrait, by Jackson; Mrs. J. H. Lewis, one piece of silk embroidery and an appropriate emblem for the main art-room, worked in flowers; Norton Bush, four Christmas panels in oil, one ornamental shell in oil, one ornamental fan in oil; Mrs. M. T. Brewer, one ornamental painted porcelain-plaque table and two oil painted shells; Mrs. E. C. Bingay, eight porcelain plaques; Mrs. L. Tozier, four pieces porcelain painting; Miss Amelia Klippel, ten pieces porcelain painting and oil plaque. By Mrs. Horatio Hurd, one flower plaque in oil. By Miss Minnie P. Carroll, two painted holly easels and palette. Mrs. J. H. Carroll, silver snuffers and tray, 100 years old. Mrs. J. H Lewis, specimens of knitted wool trimming. During the evening a musical programme was rendered, Miss Griffin acting as accompanist: Tenor solos by Dr. Wood, piano solos by Miss Milly Gregory, soprano solos by Miss May Milliken, piano solo by Professor Fleissner, trio by Messrs. Cooper and Ball and Miss Lizzie Griffin (flute, violin and piano), mezzo soprano solos by Miss Pearl McCann, of Santa Cruz, (by request of the Club), piano solo by Miss Lilly Evans. Refreshments were served by ladies of the Club during the evening.

SUPERIOR COURT.

DEPARTMENT TWO—MCFARLAND, Judge.

FRIDAY, December 22, 1882.

William M. Palmer vs. B. W. Wilder—Judgment for plaintiff; stay of execution for fifteen days granted.

W. K. Lindsay vs. John Richards—Testimony closed—Continued for argument to 10 A. M. Tuesday, 26th instant.

Sallie Scott vs. John H. Scott—Default of defendant entered and decree of divorce granted.

In the matter of Ames, Earle & Co., insolvents—A modified order entered by consent.

About four leagues west of north from the town of Arispe, Sonora, is the old mine of South Rosalie, which was extensively worked in the early part of the present century for gold alone, and produced largely for many years. The production of this mine, as proven by the Government and church records, amounted to many millions. It caused the building of the town of Arispe, which became the capital of the northern Spanish possessions (which is now California, Nevada, Utah, New Mexico, Arizona and Sonora) The ore is a white quartz, richer in gold than silver, and free milling. It is being reopened by an American company, and promises, if properly managed, to be one of the most productive in the State.—[Tombstone Citizen.

MOTHER SWAN'S WORM SYRUP, for feverishness, restlessness, worms, constipation. Tasteless. 25 cents.

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WHY BUY WATCHES, jewelry, silverware, etc., at the oleomargarine stores, when you can buy a better article at a low figure at a regular jewelry store? J. Hyman, Jr., 506 J street, where can be purchased anything in the jewelry line at lower prices than heretofore offered in this city. Call and convince yourself that J. Hyman, Jr., is the best and cheapest place to buy anything in the jewelry line. *

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TEMPERATURE YESTERDAY:

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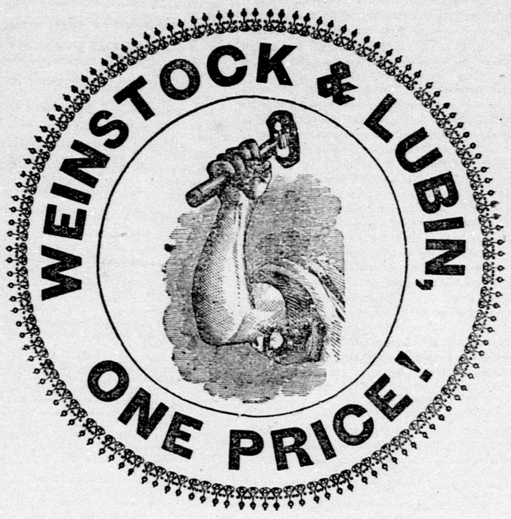
TEMPERATURE CORRESPONDING DAY, 1881:

Highest, ... 49
Lowest, ... 33

EVENTS OF THE DAY.

Isaac Newton born, 1692.
Shortest day in year.

Sun Rises,	7:14 A. M.
Sun Sets,	4:45 P. M.
Moon Rises,	6:11 P. M.
Moon Souths,	11:42 P. M.
Day's Length,	9h. 31min.



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