THE DAILY RECORD-UNION.

WEDNESDAY.....FEBRUARY 21, 1883

ADVERTISEMENT MENTION.

Metropolitan Theater—Ellmenreich.
Lodge Meetings—Owesso Tribe, Imp. O. R. M.; Walhalla Grove, U. A. O. D.
Meeting—Ladies' Choral Society.
Funeral Notices—Sacramento Grange, P. of H.
Lost—Gentleman's dolman.
For Sale—Dining-room.
Notice—Sale of personal property.

Business Advertisements.

William M. Lyon—Nevada potatoes.
Baker & Hamilton—Steel barbed wire.
Mechanics' Store—Catalogues and samples.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

BRIEF NOTES.

Sixty-eight emigrant passengers will arrive this afternoon.

The Sacramento river remains about stationary at ten feet above low-water mark.

There are but four through passengers to arrive by the overland train this morning.

Yesterday was the warmest day of the season, the thermometer reaching over 70° in the shade.

The case of the Mexican murderer Rosalio Ybarra was yesterday in the Superior Court set for trial on March 6th.

The first annual reunion of Friendship Council, Order of Chosen Friends, will take place this evening at Pioneer Hall.

Yesterday A. C. Dietz & Co., of San Francisco, filed with the Secretary of State their claim to "Valvate Oil" as a trade-mark.

G. Deluchi's place, on Fifth and I streets, was broken into on Monday night, and a gold watch, a silver watch and about $45 in money taken.

Yesterday officer Frazse took H. P. Duffey to San Francisco to answer before the United States Circuit Court for selling unstamped matches.

There were but two cases in the Police Court yesterday, those of Ma Lung Wing, for robbery, and L. J. Diersen, for misdemeanor. They were both continued until to-day.

A. and A. Heilbron are erecting a two-story fire-proof warehouse in the rear of their store on J street, near Second. It will be 40 by 90 feet, and cost, when completed, about $5,000.

The announcement that the concert of the Philharmonic Society will be given to-morrow evening is incorrect. It will be held on Friday evening of this week at the Congregational Church.

A. N. Buchanan, assignee of G. V. Smith, will cause to be sold by public auction on next Monday the stock of merchandise contained in the store No. 725 J street. It consists of pictures, picture frames, moldings, and other similar goods.

Yesterday morning in the Police Court, the case of L. J. Diersen was continued until to-day. In the afternoon another complaint was sworn to by C. A. Luhrs, charging the man with defrauding his creditors. A bond was given for his appearance this morning.

There was considerable comment on the streets yesterday in regard to the action of the officers in inducing the Governor to offer a reward on the very day of the arrest; but, at all events, it is not payable until a conviction is obtained, and the money has yet to be earned.

CHARGES AGAINST AN OFFICIAL.—Mr. Sergeant-at-Arms Farrelly is about to be overhauled by an investigating committee of the Assembly. It is time. It is charged that when he was Sergeant-at-Arms before he had to be brought up with a round turn. In these columns attention was first directed to this autocrat of the north wing of the Capitol. It was then pointed out that he was overbearing, insolent and altogether too much on "the make." It is charged now that he drinks too deeply of the dark waters Chris. Buckley serves in "the well;" that he places the names of parties on the pay-roll who do no service; that he has compelled pages to divide their poor earnings with him; that when Secretary of State Thompson gave a vender of cigars and fruit the privilege of selling in the north hall, Mr. Farrelly cinched the man to the tune of $50, and attempted to bleed him thereafter still more, but the dealer resented the imposition; that he wants "a piece" for courtesies he should accord gratis; that he charges, or attempts to charge, members a lively fee for sets of bills; that he is a brawler and draws pistols freely; that generally Farrelly is an incompetent, overbearing and unscrupulous official, and sadly wanting in those gentlemanly qualities which should characterize one in his position. The House has appointed Messrs. Johnston, Crumpton, Storke, Rhiel and Kerrick to inquire into the conduct of this man. As to the charges made this paper has no knowledge outside those of the discourtesy and rudeness that prevail in his office. The others are matters of rumor, and as to them the air is "full of it."

MADAME ELLMENREICH.—Madam Ellmenreich, who is to appear at the Metropolitan Theater this evening, comes with a reputation which entitles her to the name of the Queen of Tragedy. The company which will support her is the strongest that has appeared in this city for some time, being the entire company from Haverly's California Theater, of San Francisco, and in addition Miss Louise Sylvester, formerly leading lady of the Union Square company, of New York. A very successful engagement in San Francisco has just been closed. This and to-morrow evenings "Mary Stuart" will be presented, and to-morrow at the matinee the well known play of "Camille," which will be reproduced on Friday evening. "Mary Stuart" will be again presented at the Saturday matinee, and the engagement will close on Saturday evening with "Adrienne Lecouvreur." There is no extra charge for reserved seats.

SUTTER'S FORT.—The old adobe building on Twenty eighth and K streets, which is all that is left of Sutter's fort, and the only Sacramento relic of the days previous to the gold discovery, is fast falling to pieces. It will be but a comparatively short time until it will be a thing of the past, and all that will remain will be some of the adobe brick deposited in cabinets. The walls are cracked, and general dissolution pervades the entire building. The windows, doors and stairs are all gone. Of late the lower portion has been used to shelter some young stock from the inclement weather. There was some talk a few years ago of the Pioneers preserving the place, but it is now too far gone. The pretty green knoll on which it stands is now the property of a resident of Chicago. Curiosity and relic-hunters have begun to carry away pieces of the adobe, the adobe portion of the walls being all that remains of the original building erected by General Sutter.

SABBATH SCHOOL UNION.—The annual meeting of the Sabbath-school Union was held last evening at the Congregational Church, Sparrow Smith presiding. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: President, C. A. Maydwell; Secretary, F. H. Farris; Treasurer, Miss Alice Griffith. An address upon the Bible was delivered by Rev. H. H. Rice, in which he said that the present age is largely devoted to physical culture and to the accumulation of physical culture. Unless this is counteracted in some way, the result will be killing out the higher, spiritual life, just as the clinging ivy finally kills the monarch oak. We are something more than well-trained animals, notwithstanding this is the theory of the materialist. If we are to make our education complete or helpful, every window of the soul must be opened in all directions, and no education is liberal unless the soul is enlightened by the knowledge which the Bible furnishes.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.—The Board of Supervisors were in regular session yesterday, all the members present. A further reduction of Court-house insurance was ordered, leaving the amount at $20,000, being less than one-half the former insurance. Steinman voted no. A second reconsideration of the vote on the resolution substituting horse-power for steam at the County Hospital was had, and the original resolution was adopted, and it was ordered that the clerk advertise for bids for the work. The Board then adjourned until 10 A. M. to-day.

FOR SALE, the finest and cleanest stock in Sacramento—from the Blue House—will be sold at immense reduction from first cost. Boots and shoes, hats and caps, gents' furnishing goods. Do not miss this opportunity at Hale's stupendous clearance sale. *

A CLEAN SWEEP.—Not only one or two department lines marked down, but through every department. Shoes from 25 cents a pair; boots for men from $1 50; clothing from $5 a suit, at the great combination sale at the Red House. *

TABLE LINENS AND NAPKINS.—Splendid values at Hale's stupendous clearance sale. *

A WOODLAND SENSATION.

Yesterday morning an item appeared in the RECORD UNION stating that the day before the Governor had offered a reward of $500 for the arrest and conviction of the murderer or murderers of John E. Maltby, which took place in Yolo county about the 27th of last March. The reward was offered at the suggestion of District Attorney Craig, of Yolo county. Later in the day Deputy Sheriff J. D. Lawson, of Yolo, and officers Arlington and Jackson, of this city, made the arrest through which it is expected to obtain the reward, the person arrested being Frank M. Rahm, a highly respected citizen of Yolo county, and late Sheriff, his term having expired on January 8th. The ex-Sheriff's cousin, George Rahm, was also arrested.

John E. Maltby was at the time of his disappearance Under Sheriff of Yolo county. He was last seen alive on March 27th of last year. He was a man of peculiar disposition, and was addicted to strong drink, and was frequently missing for several days at a time, and but little was thought of him until six days afterward, when a young man named Will. Moore, who was out hunting, found his dead body about two miles northeast of Woodland. By the side of the corpse was found a bottle labeled "poison." This and some other slight evidence caused the Coroner's jury to render a verdict of suicide. The stomach was sent to San Francisco for analysis, and after the verdict of the Coroner's jury had been rendered it was found to contain no poison. This strengthened the suspicion already held by many that there had been foul play. A still hunt was kept up by friends of the dead man, assisted by detectives, but it was not until the new District Attorney, Mr. Craig, assumed his office and Sheriff Rahm had retired, that matters were pushed. The services of detectives Arlington and Jackson were secured, and with the counsel of attorney Charles T. Jones and Chief Karcher, the matter was worked up and the arrests made. It has been an open secret for some time that the ex-Sheriff was suspected, but the officers requested that the attention of the public should not be called to the matter until the arrest was made. So public had it become, however, that the man when arrested stated he was not surprised, as he knew it was to be done.

Monday afternoon Deputy Sheriff Lawson and detective Arlington drove from Woodland to the ranch of the ex-Sheriff's father, M. A. Rahm, about fifteen miles north of Woodland, and arrested George Rahm, reaching Woodland on the return some time after dark. The Deputy Sheriff and officer Jackson then went to the ranch of the ex-Sheriff, about one mile from town, and found the man in the house of his family. He was returned to the town, and taken in through the back door of the jail unknown to the residents of the place. George Rahm was taken to the office of the District Attorney and questioned at some length, and it was finally decided to bring him to this city, which was done, and the prisoner now lies in the city prison. So quietly was the whole thing done that newspapers published in Woodland yesterday morning contained no account of the arrest. The officers, with their prisoner, did not arrive in this city yesterday morning until after the RECORD UNION had gone to press.

The officers claim the evidence against the ex-Sheriff is of the strongest kind, being mostly circumstantial, excepting that of one witness, a young married man named Renz Stoenberg, a laborer in Woodland, who, it is stated, will swear to having seen the fatal blow struck by ex-Sheriff Rahm in the Court-house yard. George Rahm was at that time in the employ of the Sheriff at his house, and occasionally took charge of the chain-gang when the others were engaged. He was arrested as accessory to the deed. The jailer at that time was Augustus Appleby, and he was to be arrested yesterday.

There are two theories as to the reasons for the alleged murder. It is known that the ex-Sheriff a short time before the disappearance of Maltby took the man into his room and told him in severe language that he must stop drinking. This the man promised but did not fulfill, and it is thought possible that when the man next appeared intoxicated there may have been a difficulty, and Maltby had been struck on the head and accidentally killed, and after realizing what had been done the body was taken away and concealed where found. The other theory is that the murder was committed for financial gain, and it is claimed by Maltby's friends that the deceased had more money than could be found.

George Rahm was found by a RECORD-UNION representative at the city prison last night. He expressed the opinion very strongly that the matter would be all explained at the examination, and had no fear that anything serious would result from it. He expressed surprise when told that his former employer had been arrested. He said he had frequently heard the ex-Sheriff speak of Maltby's death, being much affected by the sad end to which the man had come.

The prisoners both come from a highly-respected family. There are persons in this city who knew the father of the ex-Sheriff when he resided near Mercersburg, Franklin county, Pennsylvania, and previous to the birth of the prisoner. The family arrived in California in 1852, and are highly spoken of by all who know them. The ex-Sheriff has two brothers. One of them, Ed. Rahm, was for many years Sheriff of White Pine county, Nevada, and is now engaged in merchandising in Cherry Creek, in that State. The other brother is engaged in business in Montana. The deceased was a member of Sacramento Commandery, Knights Templar, and was well known in this city. The ex-Sheriff also stands high in the Masonic Order.

District Attorney Craig has sworn to the complaint, and the examination of the prisoner will take place before Justice Cronan in Woodland on Friday next at 1 o'clock.

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IT is impossible to disguise the fact that the Vegetable Compound, prepared under the personal direction of Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham, with the superior science and art of modern pharmacy, is the most successful medicine for female debility and diseases hitherto known.

A case of syncope is reported in the family of Charley Williams, an Indian living on the McPeak ranch. A child died at 8 P. M. last Sunday. All arrangements for the burial were made, but the interment was postponed by the reanimation of the supposed corpse, which occurred about 7 o'clock Tuesday morning.—[Ukiah Press.

HORSFORD'S ACID PHOSPHATE for nervousness. Dr. H. N. D. Parker, Chicago, says: "I have thoroughly tested it in nervous diseases, dyspepsia and general debility, and in every case could see great benefit from its use."

DO NOT be deceived. Insist on having the genuine Brown's Iron Bitters, made only by the Brown Chemical Company, and take nothing else.

BUY your boots and shoes now, and save 50 per cent. while we are offering the entire Blue House stock for sale, at Hale's stupendous clearance sale. *

READ advertisement in this paper of Hale's stupendous clearance sale. *

THE best pure linen towel in the city for 25 cents. Hale's stupendous clearance sale. *

GRAND clearance of the Blue House stock, at prices never equaled. Hale's stupendous clearance sale. *

BLACK CASHMERES in great variety marked away down at the great combination sale at Red House. *

FANCY GOODS, hosiery, combs, brushes, ribbons, etc., marked away down. Fine corsets reduced to 50 cents, at the great combination sale at Red House. *

ANOTHER line of fine bedspreads reduced. Ask to see them at Hale's stupendous clearance sale. *

MEN'S SHAKER WOOL SOCKS, in white and gray, at 10 cents per pair, at Hale's stupendous clearance sale. *

DRESS GOODS AND DOMESTICS.—Remnants at prices which demand attention. Look them over at Hale's stupendous clearance sale. *

"A PENNY saved is twopence earned."—Go to Hale's stupendous clearance sale, and save a hundred. *

VERY cheap are those remnants of Nottingham lace curtains, at Hale's stupendous clearance sale. *

THE ENTIRE STOCK of millinery goods to be closed out at and below cost, at the great combination sale at Red House. *

FOR whooping cough, nothing equals Chesley's Rock and Rye. *

GENTLEMEN'S furnishing goods from the Blue House stock, at astonishingly low prices. Hale's stupendous clearance sale. *

THE LEGISLATURE.

The Confirmation of Regents of the University—Ex-Governor Irwin Appointed Harbor Commissioner—Irrigation.

Both houses of the Legislature held long sessions yesterday, and transacted considerable business.

The Senate met at 10 A. M., Lieutenant-Governor Daggett in the chair.

Spencer of Stanislaus was granted one day's leave of absence.

Johnson, from the Committee on Education, reported back adversely Reynold's bill to abolish Teachers' Institutes.

Filcher, from the Committee on Public Printing, transmitted the report of the State Superintendent of Printing on the cost of printing a State series of school books. One thousand copies of the report were ordered printed.

Kelly of Solano reported back adversely McClaskey's bill which declares null and void all swamp land locations made before 1874, and not certified to by the Surveyor-General.

Cross, from the Committee on Judiciary, reported back a large number of bills.

Baldwin, from the Committee on Federal Relations, reported back favorably S. C. R. 8, relative to the appointment of Captain John Mullen as the agent of California in the District of Columbia.

Kellogg, from the Committee on Elections, presented a report, signed by Kellogg, Reddy and English, in favor of seating J. W. Brooks, in the seat now occupied by George Steele, as Senator from Santa Barbara, San Luis Obispo and Ventura. He also presented resolutions, which were adopted, making the consideration of the subject the special order for to-day at 11 o'clock, and limiting the time of the speakers to half an hour.

McClure, from the Committee on Elections, presented a report signed by Vrooman and himself, in favor of Steele retaining his seat.

Spencer of Napa and Sullivan subsequently reported in favor of Steele retaining his seat.

Langford introduced a bill to provide for the erection of residences for physicians at the State insane asylums.

Kellogg's bill to protect the sidewalks in unincorporated towns and villages, and Vrooman's bill to provide for the classification of municipal corporations, were read a first time.

McClure's city and town government bill was denied a first reading.

The apportionment bills, the road law, Vrooman's street and improvement bill, and McClure's amendment to the Constitution, to provide for the submission of proposed amendments to the Constitution to the people, were passed on file.

Considerable discussion was had over Del Valle's resolution changing the rule so that the third reading file shall precede the second and first-reading files. The amendment failed because it did not receive a two-third vote. Notice of a motion to reconsider was given.

The Senate then took up the general file and proceeded with the first reading of bills.

A message was received from the Governor announcing his appointment of William Irwin as Harbor Commissioner, vice George S. Evans.

On motion of Cross, the consideration of the message was made the special order for to-day at 2 o'clock P. M.

The Senate then took up, read the third time and passed A. B. —, relating to roads and highways.

Taylor introduced a bill vacating the offices of Port Wardens, Harbor Commissioners and Board of Health of San Francisco.

Ryan introduced a bill appropriating $1,000 to pay the deficiency for repairs of furniture, etc., in the State Capitol.

When the bill to regulate insurance companies (known as the valued policy bill) came up for first reading, quite an animated discussion took place. Spencer of Napa, Cross, Routier and Kelly of Solano spoke in favor of the bill, and Vrooman, Maddox and Chandler against it.

Vrooman insisted strenuously that it was vicious legislation, and would simply lead to an increased number of incendiary fires.

After recess the Senate took up the special order, which was the consideration of the majority and minority opinions of the Committee on Judiciary, concerning the Regents of the State University. The arguments on the subject have already been published. The majority reported that in their opinion the appointments of Regents should not be submitted to the Senate, and if submitted the Senate should take no action. The minority took exactly the opposite views. The majority report was signed by Senators Kellogg, Kelly of Solano, Reddy, McClure, Whitney, Vrooman, Johnson, Porter and Baldwin. The minority report was signed by Senators Spencer of Napa, Cross, Del Valle, Sullivan and Taylor.

Governor Stoneman occupied a seat on the floor of the Senate during the argument of the question.

On motion of English a call of the Senate was ordered, and the Sergeant-at-Arms instructed to bring in the absent Senators.

Ryan, Cronan and Wallis were brought in, and upon making a good showing were excused.

Further proceedings under the call were then dispensed with.

Spencer of Napa moved to postpone the consideration of the subject until 7:30 P. M. The motion was lost.

Kellogg moved the adoption of the report of the majority of the committee.

Cross moved to amend by striking out the word "majority" and inserting the word "minority." He then proceeded to argue at length in favor of the adoption of the minority report. He said that he intended to stand up for the prerogative of the Senate. It was simply a question as to whether these appointments should rest alone with the Governor, or whether the Senate should be consulted in regard to such appointments.

Kellogg spoke in favor of the adoption of the report of the majority. This appointment was not an original appointment, but an appointment to fill a vacancy. He held that the Governor had a right to appoint to fill a vacancy without having it confirmed by the Senate, reading from the organic Act in support of his position. His speech was a pointed and powerful one.

Johnson favored the majority report, arguing that under the Constitution the Legislature could not interfere with the government of the University. The Regents of the University, under the Constitution and under the organic Act, were not officers, but private Trustees.

Sullivan spoke in favor of the minority report, holding that the position of Regent was an office. He asserted that the Hon. Joseph Winans, who was Chairman of the Committee on Education in the Constitutional Convention, had sent a telegram to a member of the Judiary Committee, saying that if the action proposed by the majority of the committee was taken, it would lead to usurpation.

Vrooman said they were here to decide upon the question as a legal proposition, and not as a political one. He did not propose to be influenced in his vote upon this question by the opinion of any person outside of the Senate, no matter what position he had held. He did not propose to announce any names, but he had in his desk a very exhaustive brief, which was written by one of the ablest men of the State, holding that the Senate had no jurisdiction in this matter. He hoped Senators would not be influenced in their votes by the fear that we might at some time have a Butler for Governor. We have a Governor who would appoint gentlemen worthy of holding the position.

Taylor took the same view of the law as Cross. He believed that the Senate was a part of the appointing power. He was opposed to the centralization of power, and in favor of holding it in the hands of the people as represented by the Senate in this instance. He argued at great length that the position was an office. It was well enough to admit that there was no politics in this question, but if such was the case it was singular that all the Republican members of the committee had signed the majority report, while the minority report was signed only by Democrats.

Reddy held that there was no ambiguity about the law, and there ought to be no difficulty in the decision. The law was as plain as the English language could make it, and under it the position of Regent could not be claimed to be an office. He was glad to know that the Senate had a guardian in San Francisco, who telegraphed whenever he found the Senate was going wrong. No doubt Mr. Winans was a good lawyer, but in this case he couldn't follow his advice. The minority could not explain away this provision of the organic Act: "No member of the Board of Regents of the State University shall be deemed a public officer by virtue of such membership, or required to take any oath of office, but his employment shall be held and deemed to be exclusively a private trust."

The motion to substitute the word "minority" for "majority" was carried by a vote of 17 ayes to 16 noes.

Kellogg asked that the question be put upon his motion as amended, but the President refused to entertain it, on the ground that the adoption of the motion of Cross settled the question. A motion was made to take a recess until 7:30 P. M. Kellogg appealed from the decision of the Chair, but the President declined to entertain the appeal, because the motion was being put on the question of taking a recess. The motion to take a recess was lost.

At 5:20 P. M. the Senate adjourned.

The Assembly met at 10 A. M., Speaker La Rue in the chair.

Atwell presented the following petition, bearing 356 names:

To the honorable Legislature of the State of California at Sacramento city assembled: We, the undersigned citizens of Tulare county, State of California, most respectfully represent to your honorable body: That Tulare county is one of the most extensively irrigated sections in the State; that water and irrigation is the life of the county; that without it the county is a barren waste and useless; that there are large sections of our county where the settlers have expended nearly all their worldly possessions in the construction of canal systems for the purpose of watering the country, and building up homes for our inhabitants; that by reasons of late decisions of the Courts upon riparian rights, the leading interests and paramount rights of our citizens are jeopardized, and without legislation we are homeless. In view of these facts, we most earnestly petition the Legislature now assembled to immediately pass some bill upon irrigation, relieving us from our present condition, and giving us greater assurance in the future of the security of our interests and the preservation of our homes. Believing, as we do, that the right of petition is sacred, and confidently hoping and expecting from the hands of the present Legislature a law upon the question of irrigation that will finally settle the matter. And we will ever pray, etc.

Several committees made reports.

Atwell introduced a bill for the protection of the forests at the head of the natural water-courses and the construction of reservoirs for impounding the waters in time of plenty, so that they can be used in time of scarcity for irrigating purposes.

Johnston introduced the following concurrent resolution:

Whereas, the waters of the State are the common property and inheritance of the citizens thereof, and the navigable waters are a trust in the hands of the State, to be forever maintained in that condition as common highways, free to all the citizens of the State and of the United States. Therefore,

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the use of the navigable rivers or their tributaries as places of deposit for refuse matter from hydraulic mines or other matter or substances, whereby their channels are filled up or destroyed, is inimical to the public welfare, contrary to sound policy, and if continued, will obliterate the channels of our rivers, destroying them as drainage of the valleys or for navigation, ruin our bays and harbors, and bring irremedial loss to the State.

Placed on file.

Campbell introduced the tax levy bill.

Irwin introduced a bill providing that when a receiver is appointed and takes possession of a railroad which had been in operation prior thereto, the receiver shall continue the operation of the road, and if he fails to do so for a period of thirty days the Court shall remove him from such office.

Other bills of minor importance were introduced.

Booth moved that each odd-numbered Senatorial district elect a Senator at the general election in 1884, and that each even-numbered district elect a Senator at the election in 1886.

Johnston moved as a substitute that no Senators be elected until 1886, when one should be elected from each Senatorial district.

The substitute was adopted by a vote of 46 ayes to 23 noes.

After recess the apportionment bill was again taken up, the question being on the engrossment of the bill. Wharton, Ryan, Barry, LaRue and Brown spoke against the bill as unjust. Wharton expressed a doubt as to whether this Legislature had a right to make an apportionment. He said that the Constitution provided that the apportionment must be made at the first session of the Legislature after the taking of the census. That not having been done, it was a grave question as to whether any apportionment could be made until after the taking of the census in 1890.

The bill was finally ordered engrossed.

Weaver's A. B. 356, amending sections of the Politics's [illegible] repealing Section 2534, and adding a section relative to the powers, duties and salaries of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners, was taken up on the special file and read the second time, without material amendment, ordered engrossed and to a third reading.

Weaver's A. B. 331, conferring further powers upon the Board of State Harbor Commissioners, was also read the second time. The substitute was adopted and ordered engrossed and to a third reading.

Coleman moved that the two preceding bills be made a special order for Friday, at 2 P. M. Carried.

The appropriation bill was next considered.

An unsuccessful attempt was made to reduce the salaries of certain deputies in the State offices.

On motion of Cutter the appropriation for the deaf, dumb and blind was reduced from $40,000 to $30,000.

Flynn of San Francisco had the appropriation for the State Prison at San Quentin cut down from $50,000 per annum to $30,000.

At 5:30 the House adjourned to 10 A. M. to-day.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Colonel R. E. Phillips, of Middletown, O., is visiting friends in Sacramento.

George K. Fortescue, of the Rice's Surprise Party, who was left here very ill, has nearly recovered, and will join the company again at the Bay the latter part of this week. W. T. Doyle, of the same party, who had nearly lost his voice, and remained with Mr. Fortescue, will resume duty at the same time.

The mother of E. T. Taylor, of this city, and Captain W. H. Taylor, of San Francisco, completed her eighty-eighth year on last Sunday. She has four children living, fifteen grand-children and one great grand child. The old lady is healthy and hale for one of her age, and bids fair to add a number more years to her already long life.

Arrivals at the Golden Eagle Hotel: T. B. McClure, J. S. McClure, Napa; J. M. Upham, Benicia; E. W. Yolland, Mrs. R. R. Rankin, Stockton; J. McRae, Marin; J. A. Lindsey, Fresno; Mrs. S. A. Lindsey, Woodland; William Johnston, Richland; D. P. Durst, Wheatland; Sam Prager, Los Angeles; John H. Glascock, Oakland; E. K. Campbell, J. C. Bunner and wife, J. J. Mone, A. P. Van Duzer, J. P. Allen, E. B. Mastick, J. J. O'Brien, P. S. Fay, J. E. Lyon, San Francisco.

The Young Bachelors' Club gave their second masque ball at Jacobs' Hall last evening. This club was formed about three months ago, and is composed entirely of young bachelors. The officers are: John A. Gill, President; Frank D. Ryan, Vice-President; C. E. Colby, Secretary, and C. E. Parker, Treasurer. There are 37 members. Since its organization weekly dances have been held, and previous to this, one masque ball. There was a good attendance last evening and some unique and handsome costumes. The reception Committee last evening was composed as follows: George Criswell, E. A. Curtiss, A. J. De Zyke, W. M. Hatch, F. Remle, C. E. Wright. A. Olsen acted as floor director, and the floor managers were C. E. LaGrave, H. C. Lester, E. E. Meyers and W. I. Orth.

SUPERIOR COURT.

TUESDAY, February 20, 1883

DEPARTMENT ONE—ARMSTRONG, Judge.

Estate of Tyler J. Hill, deceased—Order denying motion to correct description of homestead property set forth in former decree.

DEPARTMENT TWO—MCFARLAND, Judge.

The People vs. Rosalio Ybarra—Case set for trial March 6th.

W. C. Felch vs. W. B. Ragsdale—Demurrer to complaint argued, and taken under advisement.

John Donahue et al. vs. Sacramento Bank et al.—Order of Justice Court dismissing action with costs affirmed.

Margaret Keller vs. J. L. Atwood—Copy of summons substituted for original summons.

C. Klink vs. C. Helsch—Cause tried and submitted.

H. G. May vs. H. Longton—Cause tried and submitted.

DEPARTMENT TWO—WILLIAMS, Judge.

Smith, assignee, vs. Odd Fellows' Savings and Commercial Bank—Argument concluded and case submitted.

FREIGHT FROM THE EAST.

Passed Ogden on the 18th for Sacramento: Central Pacific Railroad, 76 car wheels; Adams, McNeill & Co., 5 tierces hams; Continental Oil Company, 1 tank oil.

For Woodland: S. J. Sill, 1 box cigars.

Passed Deming on the 16th for Sacramento: Baker & Hamilton, 60 bundles rakes, 10 bundles hooks, 478 bundles forks, 4 bundles cradle fingers, 10 bundles cradles.

"FOR four years I suffered agony from a skin disease. Dr. Benson's Skin Cure cured me."—C. B. McDonald, Plantersville, Ala. $1, at druggists.

MARRIED.

Sacramento, February 20—By Rev. Dr. Charles Taubner, at the residence of the officiating pastor, Claus Eggert to Mrs. Lena Stick, both of Solano county.
San Francisco, February 13—Harry B. Cloak to Julia B. Ruggles.
San Francisco, February 18—Wm. F. Goodwin to Pinola Fuller.
San Francisco, February 3—Edward Green to Mary McGunigal.
San Francisco, February 17—Olif Peterson to Clara S. Salisbury.
San Francisco, February 15—James Walker to Louise Harman.
San Francisco, February 16—R. G. Wilson to Lizzie Boyd.

BORN.

Sacramento, February 19—Wife of Sylsby W. Harris, a son. (San Francisco papers please copy.)
Sacramento, February 19—Wife of S. Lindberg, a son.
Sacramento, February 9—Wife of H. Senf, a son.

DIED.

Sutterville, February 20—Charles K., son of S. S. and Ellen Flint, a native of New Jersey, 21 years, 7 months and 5 days.
[Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, which will take place from the residence of his mother, in Sutterville, to-morrow (Thursday) afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.]
Sacramento, February 20—Bertha, wife of Emil Buckow, a native of Gera, Saxony, 26 years, 1 month and 21 days. (San Francisco papers please copy.)
[Funeral notice hereafter.]
Woodbridge, February 15—Minnie L., wife of J. H. Wallace, 25 years.
Chico, February 17—Mattie Wright, 28 years, 2 months and 16 days.
Marysville, February 16—Elizabeth Seymour, 81 years, 7 months and 10 days.

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TEMPERATURE YESTERDAY:

Highest	70
Lowest	43

TEMPERATURE CORRESPONDING DAY, 1882:

Highest	51
Lowest	31

EVENTS OF THE DAY.

Copernicus born, 1473.

Sun Rises	6:42 A. M.
Sun Sets	5:45 P. M.
Moon Rises	6.00 P. M.
Moon Souths	12:01 A. M.
Day's Length	11h. 3min.

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