THE DAILY RECORD-UNION.

TUESDAY.....OCTOBER 9, 1883

DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

UNITED STATES SIGNAL OFFICE,
SACRAMENTO, October 8, 1883—8:02 P.M.

Place of observation.	Barom. High....	Barom. Change in 8 hours.	Ther. Exposed....	Ther. Change in 24 hours.	Direction of wind and velocity....	Rain in 24 hours	Weather.....
Olympia....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....
Portland....	30.10	—.01	59	+5	S W. 6	.06	Cl'dy
Roseburg...	30.27	—.01	56	+5	E	.06	Tut'g
Mendocino..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....
Red Bluff...	30.18	—.04	67	+5	N.W.	....	Cl'dy
Sacramento.	30.18	—.04	63	+5	S. E.	....	Clear
S. Francisco.	30.20	—.04	54	—2	W.	....	Clear
Los Angeles.	30.16	.00	57	—1	N.W.	....	Clear
San Diego...	30.12	+.01	60	+6	N.	....	Clear

Maximum temperature, 72°; minimum, 47.5°.
River, 7.5 feet—no change in 24 hours.

JAMES A. BARWICK,
Sergeant, Signal Corps, U. S. A.

ADVERTISEMENT MENTION.

Metropolitan Theater—Maccabe, Friday night.
For sale—Vineyard property.
Wanted—Situation by a German girl.
"Halloo, Jesse, where you gwine?"
Concord Lodge, F. and A. M., to-night.
Occidental Encampment this evening.
British Mutual Benefit Society to-night.
Wanted—A man and wife.
To rent—A suite of rooms.
Card of thanks—Ezra and Annie Casselman.
St. Paul's Guild social party.
Union Degree Lodge, I. O. O. F., to-night.
Lands for sale—See Strobel.
Vineyard property for sale.
Lost—A shell box.
California Restaurant, 323 J street.

Business Advertisements.

Mechanics' Store—Artistic millinery.
Red House—Found guilty.
J. Guth & Son—Hay and grain.
Dr. George Fyburn—Northeast corner Eleventh and H streets.
Young, Young & Dunn—Attorneys at-law.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

A LONG-LIVED FAMILY.—The Truckee *Republican*, in speaking of a well known Sacramentan, says: R. A. G. Gourlie, of Freeport, Cal., was in Truckee yesterday. As coming from a long-lived family, Mr. Gourlie is worthy of notice. He is 81 years old, has lived in Sacramento county since 1849, and has never until now been out of the county. His residence is at Freeport, 10 miles from Sacramento, where he has a 60-acre orchard. Mr. Gourlie was the third man to plant the United States flag on the heights of San Juan De Arc, on the 14th of August, 1827. For 22 years and 7 months he was a sailor in the British navy, and still retains remembrances of his old ship life. Of a long-lived family, he still clings to the hope of years in advance, equal to the usually allotted span of man's life. His great-grandmother lived to the remarkable age of 123 years. His grandmother at the age of 57 used glasses and was devoid of teeth. The lady lived to the grand old age of 117, and at 95 years of age recovered her eyesight and discarded glasses. The youngest of his uncles, eleven in number, Jean Gourlie, lived to be 102 years old. Bob, the subject of the present sketch, although 81 years old, is as vigorous as most men at 40, and can kick a man's hat off without trouble. Some years ago himself and wife adopted a girl and brought her up to the age of maturity, when she married Victor Mondon, who resides in Sierraville. The occasion of the present visit is to see the adopted daughter, and also to secure the healing advantages of the sulphur springs. Although the first time that he has been out of Sacramento county, he says he is contented to know that he still has a long lease of life, and expects to come back again shortly and see his wife rejuvenated and made young again from her stay at the springs. Mr. Gourlie is a remarkable specimen of a well-preserved old gentleman of the olden time.

CHINESE LAWS.—Yesterday all the principal business houses in Chinatown were closed, and services were held in their chapel and Masonic Temple. Five hundred years ago on the 8th of September the Emperor of China, a ruler that ignored the laws of his country that had been handed down through centuries, was overthrown and the reins of government placed in the hands of another. The code of laws in force under the Chinese Government to-day were made long before the Christian era, have not been amended for 3,000 years, and perhaps will remain the same for the next 3,000 years. An educated Chinaman, in conversation with a reporter yesterday, said: "The laws of Confucius, which govern the entire empire of China—more people than speak the English language—could be printed in a book less in size than the ordinary first reader of a schoolboy. They are as simple as the Ten Commandments, yet they cover every case that can arise between individuals, and between individuals and the Government, and readily settle all diplomatic difficulties. These laws are simple, just and unalterable. There are no legislative bodies to amend, add to or take from these simple declarations of right. Lawyers," he said, "among Chinese are something unknown. The child is taught at school and at the mother's knee all the laws of his country, and an ordinary child of 10 years in China knows more of the laws of his country than does the best educated lawyer in America."

PROUD OF THEIR MEDAL.—Company A, better known as the City Guard, one of the companies of the First Artillery Regiment in this city, are just now feeling very proud of their recent prowess at Stockton. On Admission Day, which was celebrated in an appropriate manner by the Native Sons of the Golden West at Stockton, an elegant and valuable gold medal was offered for the best drilled company in the National Guard of the State. Company A entered for the prize and bore it off with honor. They have decided to give a soiree at Armory Hall in honor of their victory, on some evening during October. The entire regiment will assist in making the event a success. In this connection it can be said of Company A that enrolled among its members are a large number of the best business men in the city. They will spare no pains to make this soiree an entertainment that will be second to no other similar occasion of the season.

ELECTION RETURNS.—As the election which takes place in Ohio to-day is one of unusual interest, and the result is regarded as having material importance and bearing, dispatches received during the day and evening will be placed upon the bulletin board in front of the RECORD UNION office for the convenience and information of such as may desire to obtain "the latest from the scene of action."

POLICE COURT.—In the Police Court yesterday Antonio Garcia pleaded guilty to malicious mischief; judgment deferred until this morning. Dan Drury pleaded guilty to a charge of drunk, and was fined $10 or 10 days in the City Prison. Dan Ryan was fined $5 for being drunk. Al. Lovedale was fined $10 for disturbing the peace.

GOO JUDGMENT.—For several days past Department One of the Superior Court has been engaged in hearing the case of H. E. Clark vs W. F. Huntoon, the administrator of the estate of E. L. Billings & Co. Mr. Clark sued for five years and three months salary for himself and wife, and the jury gave him a judgment for $8,030.

THE CAPITAL WOOLEN MILLS.—The beautiful display of fine blankets, in white and different colors, which can now be seen in the show windows of the Capitol Woolen Mills' depot, at No. 822 J street, between Eighth and Ninth, is worthy of admiration, and should not fail to attract the attention of the most critical observer. The people of Sacramento, and in fact, all those who wish a first-class article, should not fail to call and examine these goods. These blankets are manufactured of the best material and by experienced workmen, and are far superior in quality and finer in make than any that has ever been made at these mills. The stock to be found here does not only consist of fine and costly blankets, but the visitor can find a large assortment of different grades down to the very cheapest quality manufactured. These goods are all sold at prices far below what they can be purchased for at other places. The reasons for this are simple, and require only the following explanation: The Capital Woolen Mills manufacture and sell their own goods, thus giving the purchaser the benefit of the middleman's profits. They also carry in stock a fine line of bugey robes.

"AND the villain still pursued them;" but he suddenly came to a stop; and why? Because his boots gave out. Had he worn Gilman's whole-stock, kip boot, for $3 50, it would not have happened. Boot Department, Red House. *

CONSUMPTION, Coughs and Colds cured by Dr. King's New Discovery. Trial bottle free.

ROCK AND RYE cures colds, coughs and bronchial diseases. G. W. Chesley, agent. *

FOR purity, dryness and exquisite bouquet, Eclipse Extra Dry challenges the world. *

SYNOD OF THE PACIFIC.

The Synod resumed its session yesterday morning in the Westminster Presbyterian Church, at 9 o'clock. The first half hour was occupied in devotional services, under the leadership of Rev. J. M. Smith. Another half hour was similarly spent, the interests of the Theological Seminary being specially presented, and Rev. Mr. Ellis conducting the services.

The Synod accepted with thanks Professor Gamble's proposition making his institution a preparatory department and nucleus for a Presbyterian college, subject to such arrangements as he and the Board of Trustees may agree upon. The Trustees were directed to put forth their best efforts to secure a permanent location, with grounds and buildings amply sufficient to accommodate at least 100 students and their instructors. Also to endeavor to raise $200,000, the first $50,000 of which is to be available for the erection of buildings.

The Committee on Bills and Overtures made a report recommending that the Synod ask Congress to grant Chaplain Blake back pay for the time while he was laid aside from active service. Adopted.

The records of the San Jose Presbytery were again considered, and the exceptions taken to them by the committee as to want of neatness and for their indefiniteness of statement, were sustained. An example of the last objection is the following. On page 155 is the statement: "The Presbytery voted on the alternative in the negative, and then voted the revised book of discipline be received as a whole."

The committee to nominate Trustees for the College named Dr. W. Alexander, Dr. S. P. Sprecher, Rev. F. A. Horton, Rev. A. S. Fiske, and Elders R. Wylie, I. Culbery, Felix Tracy and Peter B. Simmons, and they were elected.

The Synod paid mileage expenses to its members for the present session in full, and levied an assessment for expenses of the next Synod. Also altered the standing rules, so that members of future Synods, who are not present at the opening, or who do not remain until the close, cannot draw any mileage.

On motion of Dr. Breck, the Synod invited Rev. F. E. Shearer to address it concerning the work of the American Tract Society. A highly interesting address by Mr. Shearer followed, and at the close, on motion of Dr. Sprecher, the publications of the Tract Society were recommended to the missionary colporteurs for use in their work.

The committee report on music was considered and a substitute adopted to the effect that the church is justified in securing the best music, instrumental and vocal, that it has ability to pay for.

At 3 P. M. the members of the Synod made a visit to the art gallery of Mrs. Crocker, in response to the invitation extended by her, and were highly pleased.

In the evening the Synod held its closing session. A long discussion followed the reception of the report of the Committee upon Home Missions, and it resulted in a determination to have hereafter two instead of one of the missionaries. Rev. J. S. Macdonald, of San Rafael, and Dr. J. Fackler, formerly of San Francisco, and now of Los Angeles, were elected to said stations. The former is to have for his field the Presbyteries of Sacramento, Benicia and San Francisco, and the latter the Presbyteries of San Jose and Los Angeles.

Los Angeles was selected as the place for holding the next Synod, and the first Wednesday in October, 1884, at 11 A. M., was ordered as the time of meeting. Rev. Mr. Horton was chosen as alternate preacher, and the Stated Clerk was appointed a committee to arrange for railroad transportation. Also for transportation for ministers and elders to the next General Assembly.

Resolutions of sympathy concerning the death of Rev. Dr. Hatfield, late Moderator of the General Assembly, were adopted by a rising vote.

The Committee on Education made a report, and in connection with this the Synod expressed its gratification at the efforts of some of its ministers and elders in maintaining schools of high character; and particularly recommended those of Dr. Matthews, in San Francisco; Professor Tindall's, in Placerville; the Harmon Seminary for girls, at Berkeley, and the McDonald Seminary, at Napa.

The Synod returned its hearty thanks to the Presbyterian churches and good people of Sacramento for their hospitality and kindness to the members of the Synod during its session, and to the efficient Committee of Arrangements for its perfect preparation for the meeting.

The roll was then called, and the session closed by some brief remarks and prayer by the Moderator, and the singing of the Doxology.

SALE OF THE MAPLES.

The Yolo *Mail* of yesterday says: Quite an assemblage was at the sale of the above property yesterday afternoon. There were about thirty from San Francisco and quite a delegation from Yolo county. Promptly at half-past 1 o'clock Mr. Easton commenced the sale. The crowd had tasted the wines and the fruit. Some of them had been here before and had seen our vineyards and orchards, and fully understood what they were doing. A special train had taken all who wished up to the place and the cars were left there until the close of the sale. Mr. Easton stated the terms of the sale. One fourth was to be paid upon the day the papers were given and the remainder in three annual payments, with interest at 7 per cent. per annum.

No. 24, containing 21.15 acres, was sold to T. J. Dexter for $2,170.

Nos. 25 and 26, containing 40.76 acres, were struck off to Frank Loomis for $4,250.

Nos. 27 and 28, containing 51.69 acres, to Captain Wakely, of San Francisco, for $4,475.

Nos. 31 and 32, containing 42.84 acres, to Dr. A. Strong, for $3,941.28, or $92 per acre.

No. 29, containing 37.65 acres, to E. Martin for $3,012, or $80 per acre.

Nos. 5 and 6 were sold to William Lizeut, the former for $97 50 per acre and the latter for $105 per acre. No. 5 contained 23.08 acres, or for both $4,572.90.

Nos. 7 and 8, containing 34.63 acres, sold for $3,289.85, or $95 per acre, to Mrs. Goodman.

Nos. 17 and 18, containing 42.31 acres, sold to R. B. Blowers for $4,759.88, or $112 50 per acre.

No. 30, containing 20.93 acres, to C. P. Sprague, for $2,025.

Nos. 20 and 23, containing 41.53 acres, sold to Mr. Hilliker for $92 50 per acre.

Nos. 10 to 11, containing 45.79 acres, were sold to Dr. Ross at $100 per acre.

Nos. 12 and 13, containing 39.99 acres, to Mrs. Goodman, of San Francisco, for $97 50 per acre.

This closed the sale for the day, and as the train was waiting, everybody seemed in a hurry to get away. It will be noticed that the Maples is divided into 33 lots, and there were 21 of them sold. We have been careful in making this full report to show the prices of Yolo lands to some extent. It will be noticed that the large portion of the land was purchased by persons living here, who knew the value of the land, and those best acquainted with our soil, and the value of this tract, paid the best prices. These facts are in themselves significant.

MACCABE COMING.—Frederick Maccabe, a monologue of English fame, will make his first appearance before a Sacramento audience at the Metropolitan Theater on Friday evening, in his original monologue entertainment entitled, "Begone, Dull Care." This is a vocal, ventriloquial, musical and sartorial melange, in which he will display his marvelous power of changing the voice, figure and face, with rapid changes of picturesque costumes, new and original songs, appropriate music and appointments. "Begone, Dull Care," will be in 10 acts and 200 incidents, and is said to contain exemplifications of the musical, mirthful and ventriloquial, combined in such a manner as to astonish by the marvelous development of character impersonations, stimulate to thought by the ventriloquial nature of the performance, and amuse by the elements of comedy which it is admitted to possess. Unique as an entertainment, it has the attributes of yielding enjoyment to auditors of every age, equally delighting the young and old, the staid and the jovial. The box office will be open on Thursday morning, when seats can be secured without extra charge.

DEATH OF E. GRUHLER.—Elias Gruhler, a well-known and highly respected citizen, died very suddenly yesterday morning at his residence on Sixteenth street, between K and L. He arose early in the morning, called the servant girl, and remarking that he did not feel very well, returned to his bed. His family soon discovered that he was ill and before medical aid could be summoned Mr. Gruhler breathed his last. He was a native of Germany, 58 years of age, came to the United States in 1845 and to California in 1852, when he located in Sacramento, where he has resided ever since. For many years deceased was one of the proprietors of the Columbus Brewery, at Sixteenth and K streets. He leaves a wife and one son.

THE magnetism of the Red House is truly illustrated by the number of purchasers drawn there daily by the attractions shown in the different departments. Red House. *

THE GERMANTOWN ANNIVERSARY.

Two hundred years ago, on the seventy day of October, the first German settlement in America was made at Germantown, Pennsylvania, a few miles from the present site of the city of Philadelphia. Throughout the United States the day was celebrated by German citizens. At New Orleans, Philadelphia, Cleveland and other cities the streets were gaily decorated, and the street demonstrations were equal to that of any former public occasion. In this city, where a large percentage of the citizens are Germans, the occasion was duly honored. The Sacramento Turn Verein, which, by the way, has become one of the first institutions of the city, had been at work for weeks making arrangements for a proper observance of the day. A grand entertainment and ball was given at Turner Hall, which was largely attended by citizens irrespective of nationality. Ex-State Treasurer John Weil, the orator of the evening, delivered a lengthy and eloquent address, which was well received and frequently applauded. Among other things, he said:

"The causes which brought about the early emigration from Germany to America were mainly due to the then existing severe and sometimes cruel persecution of all such persons who differed in their religious views from the Church which held for centuries supreme sway, controlling Government as well as the people. Soon after William Penn took possession of the large grant of land in America, received from King Charles of England in the early part of 1682, he made some offers of land and other liberal concessions to such persons desiring to settle thereon, amongst which was free and unrestrained religious toleration.

"A religious sect, known as Friends or Quakers, had some followers in the town of Griesheim, near Worms and vicinity, Germany, who, being tired of their continued persecution on account of their religious belief, were the first Germans who took advantage of Penn's offer, and in the forepart of July, 1683, about twenty families left their homes for the New World, and on the 27th of the same month took passage at Gravesend, England, on the sailing vessel Concord, for America, where they arrived on the 6th of October following. The land which they then selected and received from Wm. Penn was situated about seven miles from Philadelphia, and here the first German colony was started by the name of German Town. About the year 1700 the emigration from Germany increased considerably, consisting mostly of some of the best, most able and industrious persons, so that Frederick the Great, feeling the loss sustained by the increased emigration, issued a proclamation in which he strongly denounced the existing religious intolerance, and offering all returning emigrants restoration of their property which had been confiscated at the time they left Germany; also, payment of the loss sustained by such emigrants by the confiscation, and free from taxation for several years. But those German settlers had already learned to appreciate and love their new and adopted country and home to such an extent that not a single one of them accepted this liberal offer and returned to their native land.

"The first religious services were held by those Germans in the same month of their arrival, in a small dwelling until a small church had been built, in which William Penn held services—preached the latter part of 1683 and 1684, in the German language, in which he was as well versed as in his own, the English. In 1688 the first strong protest against slavery ever issued was issued by those German Quakers of Germantown. E. Bettle, in notices of negro slavery, says of those Germantown inhabitants: 'To this body of humble, unpretending and almost unnoticed philanthropists belongs the honor of having been the first association who ever remonstrated against negro slavery.'

"The first schools for Indians were already started as early as 1700 by those German-Americans. The first book ever printed on the American continent was in the German language. Germantown can also pride itself on having had the first type foundry, the first paper mill, the first German newspaper."

CITY BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The City Board of Education held a special meeting last evening. Present, Messrs. Tracy, Goodhue, Stevens, Cooke, Slater and Stalker.

The President of the Board stated that the meeting was called to consider the acceptance of the addition to the school-building at Sixteenth and N streets, which has just been completed.

The Building Committee reported in favor of the acceptance of the work and payment of the balance, $2,250, upon the contract; also, with same report, a bill for $65, in favor of same party—E. A. Boyyer—for repairs upon other school-buildings, was recommended to be paid. Both approved.

Messrs. Stevens and Cooke were placed upon the Committee on Furniture and Supplies during the temporary absence of Messrs. Goodhue and Hammer, who are to be absent for a time on account of ill health.

A bill of Babson & Seadler for $62 90, balance due for superintending construction of addition to school at Sixteenth and N streets, was reported and allowed.

Upon motion, the janitor of the Capital grammar school was allowed $5 additional per month, for the care of an additional room.

Complaint was reported to the Board that the teacher of penmanship in the city schools is requiring that all pupils purchase a certain copy-book, of which she is the author, and which she keeps on sale exclusively at one of the city book stores.

Remarks by various members of the Board developed the fact that such method of requiring pupils to purchase any class of supplies from any particular dealer was contrary to regulations, and that the use of the copybook which the teacher required to be purchased by the scholars was also in violation of authority, as it was not the copybook that had been adopted by the Board.

On motion the Superintendent was instructed to notify the said teacher not to send pupils to any particular place to purchase copy-books, and not to require any other kind of books to be purchased than those adopted by the Board.

A requisition for supplies for the school at the Orphan Asylum led to a motion being adopted, directing that the Committee on Furniture and Supplies ascertain what became of the articles furnished said school last year, that should make necessary the furnishing of eighty-four new slates, etc., at present.

Upon representation and request of Professor Johnson, of the Capital Grammar School, it was ordered that only half an hour be allowed for teaching German in the first grade on the first and third Fridays of each month; also, that the German lessons be omitted in the second and third grades on the third Friday of each month. The Committee on Course of Study was authorized to make the same arrangement in regard to classes at the Sacramento Grammar School.

Mr. Cooke stated that he desired to say, as a matter of justice to Messrs. W. A. & C. S. Houghton, that the committee had found that the boxes of large envelopes, furnished under last year's contract by them, contained 500 envelopes instead of 250, as heretofore claimed in the Board, and that therefore the price charged was $10 instead of $20.

The Board then adjourned.

THE LENTINI CASE.—The Lentini case is on argument before a jury in Department Two of the Superior Court. Henry L. Buckley, for the prosecution, occupied the entire forenoon yesterday. Mr. Edgerton, for the defense, spoke during the afternoon, and will finish this morning. He will be followed by Judge S. S. Holl, who makes the closing argument on behalf of the prosecution. The case will go to the jury some time this afternoon.

DR. MONTGOMERY DEAD.—Yesterday afternoon Dr. Jos. F. Montgomery died in his office over the Sacramento Bank, corner Fifth and J streets. Deceased was near 70 years of age, and has resided in this city since 1850. He was at the time of his death a member of the City Board of Health, and active member of the Howards. He was single, and a native of Virginia.

A Street Sensation.

CITY OF MEXICO.—There is a genuine sensation on the streets of this city, from the sale of printed verses, gotten up by an enterprising merchant, setting forth the wonderful cures wrought by the great pain-reliever, St. Jacobs Oil. All classes buy them

WE challenge the world to produce an article like Electro-Silicon, that imparts equal brilliancy with equal ease to gold and silver ware without injuring the finest surface. Its wonderful properties have given it a world-wide reputation.

THE most efficacious stimulants to excite the appetite are Angostura Bitters, prepared by Doctor J. G. B. Siegert & Sons. Beware of counterfeits. Ask your grocer or druggist for the genuine article.

A CARLOAD of boots and shoes for the Red House, direct by rail from Boston, loaded with Gilman's famous Pioneer Boot, $3 per pair. Shoe Department, Red House. *

PARENTS wishing to see their children in good health during the rainy season, will buy the youths' and children's heavy kip shoe. Red House. *

BRIEF NOTES.

"Dot leetle German band" is in town.

The Central Pacific freight depot is receiving a new coat of paint.

Delia Smith, formerly Gallagher, died last evening after a brief illness.

Lee Ah Dar, the Police Court Chinese interpreter, leaves to-day for China.

All of the compositors at the State Printing Office have been discharged except seven.

A little boy has been arrested and locked up in the city prison for killing canary birds.

The ladies of St. Paul's Guild will give a social party at Turner Hall next Thursday evening.

Articles of incorporation have been filed with the Secretary of State by the Presbytery of Los Angeles. The Directors are: John W. Ellis, J. H. Clark, Josiah McCay, John B. Hunt, W. T. Clapp.

Mrs. D. E. Callahan, widow of the late ex-Treasurer, was badly burned a few days since while trying to save property from a burning barn in Placer county.

One hundred and forty-four immigrants will arrive from the East by the overland today.

Hawkins was found sleeping on the sidewalk last night and taken to the station house.

A new sidewalk is being constructed on the south side of I street, between Front and Second.

The new railroad bridge over the Yubs, near Marysville, will be completed in about three weeks.

The officers of the Chebrah Kedusha of Sacramento were installed Sunday evening by Marks Levy, President.

The Chinese tan game cases that were set for hearing before Judge Gilmer yesterday, were continued until this morning.

The town is full of tramps. The alley between Fourth and Fifth streets, K and L, seems to be a rendezvous, or at least they are very numerous in that locality.

The Howards met last evening, but no quorum being present they adjourned until Wednesday evening, after deciding to attend the funeral of Dr. Montgomery in a body.

Judge McFarland has allowed witnesses in the Lentini case, those who are poor and could not afford it, enough to pay their actual expenses while in attendance in Court.

Among the prominent candidates for Warden of the San Quentin Prison is Paul Shirley. It is stated that General John McComb, Warden at Folsom, will not be disturbed.

There was a small fire in one of the rooms of the Odd Fellows building, on the corner of Fourth and J streets, yesterday morning. It was discovered before any great damage was done.

County Expert Hopper is examining the books of the County Treasurer and School Superintendent. One of the books relating to swamp land matters cannot be found, and county officials look wise and ask, "Where is it?"

The law providing for the readjustment of the salaries of Postmasters went into effect October 1st. Salaries of nearly every office in the State are reduced. Only those of San Francisco, Fresno, Los Angeles, Monterey, Sacramento and Santa Ana are raised.

It has been ascertained that the name of the boy who was drowned in the Sacramento, opposite the city, on Sunday, was Alfred Barstow. He is the lad who was convicted some months since for turning a switch at Swingles Station, and had just finished a term of imprisonment at the State Prison at Folsom.

Henry Oschwald, an ex-policeman, was stoopped about 9 o'clock last evening by two footpads near the corner of Third and O streets. He was knocked down and an attempt made to go through his pockets. Oschwald, while down, got hold of his pistol and fired at the robbers, when they let go of him and fled. He is not sure, but he thinks that his shot took effect.

The temperature at 12 M. yesterday, as received by Sergeant Barwick, is as follows for the places named, and shows a very great change in the temperature in twenty-four hours. For instance, Cheyenne is 30° cooler than the preceding twenty-four hours; Denver, 25° cooler; North Platte, 23° cooler, and Yankton, D. T. 15° cooler. The temperature is for Olympia 59 degrees, Portland 56, Roseburg, 54, Red Bluff 71, Sacramento 65, San Francisco 64, Los Angeles 71, San Diego 66, Salt Lake 48, Cheyenne 41, Denver 49, North Platte 57, Omaha 77, and Yankton, D. T., 60. The weather was fair to cloudy at all the eastern points named above.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

G. Politz and wife have returned from San Francisco.

W. A. Selkirk, editor of the *Mountain Democrat*, was in the city yesterday.

J. H. Smith, Jr., J. Hyman and P. Yager, of Folsom, were in town yesterday.

John W. Mackay passed through the city Sunday, en route to San Francisco.

A. J. Lowry, of Placerville, passed through the city yesterday, en route to San Francisco.

Horace H. Briggs, formerly of this city, and now of San Francisco, is visiting friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Krull, of Florin, have returned from a two weeks' visit to the State Grange.

Thomas J. Clunie and wife came up from the Bay yesterday, and will remain in the city for several days.

Miss Sallie McKim, well known in this city, was married at Chico on the 5th of October to Harry Brewer.

Rev. J. Q. A. Henry and wife will leave to-day for Ceres, to attend the Central Baptist Association, which meets with the Baptist Church in that place.

Henry Mahler, of Colima, El Dorado county, passed through the city yesterday en route to San Francisco, to attend the Grand Lodge of F. and A. M.

Misses Susie and Flora Shafer, of Truckee, who have been visiting Sacramento, the guests of Mrs. M. C. Scott, have returned to their home beyond the Sierras.

H. J. McKusick, Superintendent of the railway mail service, was in the city yesterday. He has just completed a tour of Oregon, and came down from there via Redding.

Peter Neuman and his wife celebrated the fifteenth anniversary of their wedding on the evening of the 4th instant. They entertained a large number of friends in their spacious parlors until a late hour.

Major Henry Ward, an old newspaper man of Colorado, but now inspector of Indian Agencies, is stopping at the Golden Eagle, but leaves to-day (9th) for the purpose of inspecting the agencies in California, after which he goes to Oregon and Washington Territory for the same purpose.

In the city: J. P. Berry and wife, J. D. Hauser, E. C. Davis, C. F. White, San Francisco; L. Irish, Oakland; Judge Dibble, Grass Valley; P. J. Everett, Yolo; H. S. Gardner, J. M. Bayley, J. D. Griffin, Oakland; M. J. Biglow, Gridley; Mrs. C. H. Weatherwax, Placerville; J. J. Tracey, Lathrop.

At the State House Hotel: W. Archer, Union House; John H. Long, Clarksville; S. B. Moore and wife, Cosumnes; L. Higgins, Roseville; A. R. Reamers, Wildflower; James H. Louttit, Stockton; J. Renwick, Sacramento county; J. A. Peters, T. O. Ahrens, F. Michel, Nicolaus; A. A. Nordyke, Willows; C. G. Carpenter, Diamond Springs.

On Thursday evening, October 4th, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Israel Luce, their china wedding was pleasantly celebrated. A large number of their friends were present. The presents in chinaware were munificent. After a pleasant social evening, interspersed with music and refreshments, the visitors dispersed, wishing the happy couple another twenty years of married felicity.

Arrivals at the Golden Eagle Hotel yesterday: L. Rutlemelsburg, Chico; E. W. Moore, Pittsburg, Pa.; C. E. Wilcoxson, Yuba City; C. L. Wilson and wife, Nord; L. C. Moorehouse and wife, San Leandro; Mrs. E. A. Hains, C. Hains, Oakland; Mrs. O. M. Bextell, Carson City; A. T. Lightner, Bakersfield; J. W. Hegg and wife, England; Henry Ward, Denver; P. C. Hall, city; George D. Hodges, Colton, Cal.; C. A. Post, J. L. Ward, New York; J. L. Denkelspiel, George A. Knight, N. B. Greensfelder, J. C. Houghton, Jarid Seeler, G. J. Lowangast, R. Brown, San Francisco; J. F. Fairbanks, Petaluma; L. M. McKenny, Oakland.

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Chico, October 5—Harry Brewer to Sallie McKim.

BORN.

Sacramento, October 8—Wife of T. D. Littlefield, a daughter.

Washington, Yolo county, October 7—Wife of Geo. Braune, a son.

DIED.

Sacramento, October 7—Annie Gertrude, daughter of P. and Kate Sullivan, a native of New York, 16 years and 2 days.

[Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, which will take place from the residence of her parents, Sixth street, between L and M, this afternoon at 2 o'clock; thence to St. Rose Church, where funeral services will be held.]

Sacramento, October 8—Elias Gruhler, 58 years, 5 months and 26 days. (Cincinnati papers please copy.)

[Funeral notice hereafter.]

Sacramento, October 8—Delia Smith, a native of of New York, 21 years.

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