COMMERCIAL.

Sacramento Produce Market—Wholesale.

[Corrected daily for the RECORD-UNION.]

SACRAMENTO, January 8th.

FRUIT—Lemons, Sicily, $7½@8 ₩ case; Oranges, California, $2 25@2 50 ₩ box; new crop, $4@5; Mexican Oranges, $2 50@3 ₩ 100; Limes, $1 25@1 50; Bananas, $3 50@4 ₩ bunch; Pineapples, $2@4 ₩ dozen; Cocoanuts, $7@8 ₩ 100; Apples, $1 50@2 ₩ box; Pears, $1 25@2 ₩ box; Cranberries, $16 50@17 50 ₩ bbl.

VEGETABLES—Potatoes, 60c@$1 30; Onions, 75c@$1 10; Cauliflower, 90c@$1; Cabbage, 65@75c; Carrots, 60@75c ₩ hundred; Turnips, 60c ₩ sack; bunch vegetables, 12½c ₩ box; Parsnips, 1c; Beets, 1c; Horse Radish, 6@7c ₩ ℔; Artichokes, 75c ₩ dozen; Jerusalem Artichokes, 3½@4c ₩ ℔; Sweet Potatoes, $3 25@3 50; Celery, 60@75c ₩ doz; Garlic, 3@4c; Nevada Potatoes, $1 25.

BREADSTUFFS—Flour, $5 75 ₩ barrel; Oatmeal, $5 ₩ 100 ℔s, latter for Eastern; Cornmeal, yellow, $3 50; white, $3 50; Cracked Wheat, $3 25.

POULTRY—Live Turkeys, 21@22c ₩ ℔; dressed, 26@28c; full grown Chickens, $7@7 50 ₩ dozen; young Roosters, $4@5 ₩ dozen; Broilers, $3@5; tame Ducks, $8 50@9; Geese, $1 50@2 ₩ pair; Eggs, choice lots, 35@37½c ₩ dozen.

GAME—Hare, $1 75@2; Rabbits, $1@1 50; Mallard Ducks, $8 50@4 ₩ doz; Teal, $1@1 50 ₩ doz; Sprigs, $2@2 50 ₩ doz; Quail, $1 25@1 50 ₩ doz.

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter, choice, 32½@37½ ₩ ℔; mixed lots, in rolls, 28@30c; Cheese, California, from 17@18c; Western, flats, 16@17c; Marin's Cream, 19@20c.

MEATS—Beef, 8@9c; Mutton, 5@6 ₩ ℔; Lamb, 6@7c; Pork, 8@9c; Veal, small calves, 10@11c; large, 8c.

HAY, GRAIN AND FEED—Oat hay, $12@14 ₩ ton; Alfalfa hay, $8@9 ₩ ton; bran, $ ₩ ton; middlings, $22 ₩ ton; barley, whole, $20 ₩ ton; ground, $1 15; wheat, $1 75@1 85 ₩ cwt; wild oats, $1 75; tame oats, $2; corn, $1 65 ₩ cwt.

PIE FRUITS—Assorted, 2-℔ cans, ₩ doz, $1 75; assorted, gallon cans, $5; Peaches, 2½-℔ cans, $2; Portland Blueberries, 2-℔ cans, $1; Whortleberries, $1 75; Capital Asparagus, $2 50 ₩ dozen cans.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, sliced, 9@10c ₩ ℔; do quartered, 8@9c; pears, peeled, 7@8c; do, unpeeled, 4@5c; Plums, pitted, 15@16c; Peaches, 11@12½c; do, peeled, 19@20c; Prunes, German and French, 13@15c; Blackberries, 15@17c; Figs, California, 7@8c ₩ ℔.

TABLE FRUITS—Assorted, 2½-℔ cans, ₩ doz, $2 10; Peaches, $2 60; Bartlett Pears, $2 50; Plums, $2 65; Blackberries, $2 30@3; Gooseberries, $3 25; Strawberries, $3 25; Apricots, $3 25; Muscat Grapes, $2 50; Red Currants, $3 25; Cherries, $3 50.

MISCELLANEOUS—Seeds—Alfalfa, 9@10c; Timothy, Eastern, 7@8c ₩ ℔; Oregon, 7@8c; Pop Corn, 6@8c ₩ ℔; Red Clover, 14@15c; Red Top, 11@12c; Nutmeg, English Walnuts, 9@10c; California Walnuts, 10@11c; Almonds, 15@16c; Peanuts, Eastern, 9@10c; Peanuts, California, 7@8c; Lard (California), cans, 14c; Eastern, 16@18c; Hides, salt, light and medium, 8@9c, and heavy, 9@10c; Tallow, 1@2c; Tallow, 7½c; Hops, offering at 15@18c ₩ ℔.

San Francisco Produce Market

SAN FRANCISCO, January 8th.

FLOUR—The inquiry on export account is not general. Business at the moment is largely confined to local trade. Best brands are firm at $5 75@6; medium grades, $4 85@5 37½; shipping superfine, $4 50@4 75 ₩ bbl.

WHEAT—For lack of custom, the market is all at sea. On export account there is positively no demand, and it is impossible to correctly give a figure at which any great quantity could be placed. To say that the best shipping grades are worth $1 75 would be a more or less hazardous statement, as a canvass of the situation this morning failed to develop any buyers. Holders have nothing to do but patiently await the result at foreign centers. Any change for the better at distant points of distribution would probably give a strong impetus to local business, and more than that, would likely occasion a positive and marked advance in values. Many shrewd operators incline to the belief that an occurrence of this character must happen sooner or later. The Produce Exchange is busy in summing up the various reports of the stock in the State on the 1st instant, and the statement is looked forward to with unusual interest.

At the Produce Exchange call session this morning there was considerable excitement for a brief time. Sellers deluged the market with offerings, and though there was rapid and persistent buying, it was not general enough to stem the downward current. Prices receded nearly 4c ₩ ctl from the figures ruling yesterday morning. Sales footed up some 2,000 tons No. 1 White, as follows:

Buyer January—100 tons, $1 72½; 100, $1 72; 200, $1 70.

Seller season—100 tons, $1 69.

Buyer season—300 tons, $1 80½; 100, $1 80½; 100, $1 80; 900, $1 79½; 100, $1 79½ ₩ ctl.

Closing bids were:

No. 1 White—	Bid.	Asked.
Spot		$1 71½
Buyer January	$1 71½	1 71½
February	1 71	1 73
March	1 72½	1 77
Buyer March	1 75	1 80
April	1 73½	;
Seller season	1 69	1 70
Buyer season	1 79½	1 80

OATS—The market continues quiet and steady except for the choicer grades, which, being in rather light supply at the moment, are meeting with an improved inquiry at slightly enhanced rates. Surprise and Milling, $1 75@1 80; No 1, $1 60@1 65; No. 2, $1 50@1 55; Black, $1 50@1 55 ₩ ctl.

BARLEY—Not a single sack arrived to-day, while Monday's receipts were less than 700 bags. The paucity of supplies for a week past has kept the sample market in steady shape, and it looks at the moment as if matters would continue to incline favorably for the holding interest. Good to choice grades of feed pass from first hands within a range of $1 02½@1 05 ₩ ctl, with pretty fair demand. Brewing is really strong, owing to a good and rather pressing inquiry. There is no large amount of this description on hand, and the bulk of trading is in parcels to arrive. Strictly prime appears to be in greater request than anything else, and custom for lots of this character can be had at close upon $1 20 ₩ ctl, though there is more or less business transacted in medium grades down as low as $1 15 ₩ ctl.

On call at the Produce Exchange there was not much clim displayed by operators. The feeling generally was of an easy character, and a softer tone prevailed in regard to values of future deliveries. Scarcely 3,000 tons No. 1 Feed changed hands as follows:

May—100 tons, $1 10.

Seller season—100 tons, $1 02½; 300, $1 02½; 100, $1 02½; 400, $1 02½.

Buyer season—100 tons, $1 13; 100, $1 12½; 1,100, $1 12½; 100, $1 12½ ₩ ctl.

Bidding at the close is represented by the following table:

No. 1 Feed—	Bid.	Asked.
Spot		$1 04
January	$1 01½	
February	1 03½	1 03½
March	1 05	1 07½
May	1 10	1 02½
Seller season	1 02½	1 02½
Buyer season	1 12½	1 12½

CORN—Recent arrivals have been somewhat light, and the market is not overstocked. The demand at the higher asking rate is, however, anything but pressing. If in dry condition and a really nice article, small jobbing lots of Yellow may bring 5c above our figures. Of White there is more offering than can be placed, and prices are consequently not very strong. The Nebraska article is also again figuring among the offerings. California Yellow is quotable at $1 55 for large, and $1 50@1 55 ₩ ctl for small; White, $1 50@1 55; Nebraska, $1 45 to $1 47½ ₩ ctl.

SEEDS—Demand for the season is light. Mustard, $3@3 25 for Brown, $2 75@3 Yellow; Canary, 5@5½c; Hemp, 4c; Rape, 3@3½c; Timothy, 7½@8c for imported; Alfalfa, 9@9½c; Flax, $1 42½c ₩ ℔.

HAY—Trade continues quiet, with prices favorable to buyers. Alfalfa, $10@12; Wheat, $12@14 50; Wild Oat, $12@14 50; Barley, $10@13 50; Mixed, $9@11 ₩ ton.

HOPS—Quotable at 17@18c for medium, and 20@21c ₩ ℔ for choice.

RYE—Is meeting with a little better inquiry. Choice, $1 40@1 45; fair to good, $1 20 to $1 35 ₩ ctl.

BUCKWHEAT—Stock small. Quotable at $2 50 to $3 25.

POTATOES—Some arrivals of choice Petalumas last week were rather quickly picked up at 1c ₩ ℔ by dealers, but arrivals of the same quality to-day are seeking buyers at lower figures. Early Petalumas are said to have been the choicest of red varieties as yet received this season. River Reds of good quality find ready sale at the outside quotation, while street lots from the Left Bank occasionally realize ½c ₩ ℔ above our figures. Early Rose, 50@60c; River Reds, 40@45c; Tomales, 70@90c; Petalumas, 70@90c; Peerless, $1; Humboldt, 90@$1 ₩ ctl.

ONIONS—Unchanged. Choice, 65c ₩ ctl.

BEANS—There is no particular change to note in prices. Slight signs of excitement in colored are observed, more especially in Pinks, and prices for this variety are somewhat firm, even for round lots. Among the offerings of Pinks is a fair amount of inferior split, which could be had at probably 25c ₩ ctl below our quotation. But few Reds are coming forward. No movement to speak of either in Whites or Limas. Butters hold their own well, through scarcity. Bayos, $3 40@3 50; Butter, $3 10@3 25; Pinks, $3 70@3 75; Red, $4; Pea and small White $3@3 10; Lima, $3 12½@3 15 ₩ ctl.

VEGETABLES—Cucumbers are in light supply at $2 ₩ dozen. Bell Peppers have advanced to 20c, while Dry Okra is a shade easier. Other kinds are generally unchanged. Mushrooms, 50@75c ₩ ℔; Artichokes, 40@60c ₩ doz; Carrots, 50@75c; Turnips, 75@$1 ₩ ctl; Beets, 75c ₩ ctl; Parsnips, $1@1 25 ₩ ctl; Cauliflower, $1@1 50 ₩ dozen; Cabbage, 60@75c ₩ ctl; Garlic, 2@2½c ₩ ℔; Celery, 50c ₩ doz; Dried Okra, 25c; Dry Peppers, 13@15c ₩ ℔; Marrowfat Squash, $15@18 ₩ ton.

FRUIT—Oranges come forward slowly. Sicily Lemons and Mexican Limes cheaper. Good Apples in demand. Apples, Crosses ₩ box; Lemons, $4@5 50 for Sicily, Mexican Limes, $6@7 ₩ box; Tamarinds, 12@13c ₩ ℔; Bananas, $1 75@4 ₩ bunch; California Oranges, $2@3 for old, and $3@5 ₩ box for new; Loretto do, $3@2 50 ₩ M; Cape Cod Cranberries, $18; West do do, $17@17 75 ₩ bbl.

DRIED FRUIT—As the customary annual stock-taking is now in progress, trade is generally very dull, and prices remain unchanged. Sun-dried Apples, 7@8c for sliced, and 6@6½c ₩ ℔ for quartered; Alden and Plummer, 12c; Apricots, 11½@12c; Blackberries, 15c; Figs, 7c for pressed, and 4@5c for unpressed; Smyrna, 18@20c for layers and 11½@14½c for kegs; Nectarines, 11@11½c; Peaches, 15@16c for peeled and 11½@12½c for unpeeled; Pears, 5@6c for whole and 7@8c for sliced; machine dried, 10@12½c; Plums, 12½@13c for pitted and 2@3c for unpitted; German Prunes, 8@10c; French Prunes, 11@11½c ₩ ℔; Raisins, new crop, $1 25@2 ₩ box.

HONEY—Extracted, 6@7½c ₩ ℔ for choice; Comb, 10@14c ₩ ℔.

BUTTER—The situation is largely favorable to the buying interest. Receipts are increasing, and dealers are disposed to shade sooner than carry stock. Fancy, 33@35c ₩ ℔; choice, 32½c; medium grades, 28@30c; mixed lots from country stores, 16@19c; firkin, 25@30c for choice, 20@22½c for fair to good, and 17@19c for common; pickled roll, 25@27½c; Eastern, 14@18c ₩ ℔.

CHEESE—Current rates are fairly maintained. California, 17@18c for choice; 15@16c for fair to good; Eastern, 16@ 0c ₩ ℔.

EGGS—The market has a softer tone, and buyers can purchase to better advantage than a few days ago. California, 26@37½c for choice; 24@35c ₩ dozen for fair to good.

POULTRY—The market is firm and rather buoyant. Live Turkeys, gobblers, 23@25c; do Hens, 23@25c; do dressed, 23@26c; Roosters, $6@7 50 for old, and $6@9 50 for young; Hens, $7@9; Brothers, $6@7, according to size; Ducks, $10@12 ₩ doz; Geese, $2 50@3 ₩ pair.

GAME—Supplies are fairly free, but the demand is good, and the market is kept well cleaned up. Quail, $1 37½@1 50 ₩ doz; Hare, $2@2 25; Rabbits, small, $1@1 25; cotton-tail, $1 25@1 50 ₩ dozen; Teal, $1; Sprigs, $1 50@2; Widgeon, $1@1 25; Mallards, $3 25@3 75 ₩ dozen; Canvasbacks, $1 50@5; common Snipe, 50@75c ₩ dozen; do, English, $1 50@2 ₩ dozen; Gray Geese, $2 50@3 ₩ dozen; White Geese, $1 25@1 50 ₩ dozen; Honkers, $1 50@5 ₩ dozen; Brandt, $1 25@1 50 ₩ dozen.

WOOL—The past week has resulted in the placing of a large share of the poor, low grade Fall Wools from southern and San Joaquin sections, as well as a considerable quantity of the Mountain Wools with good growth. There are yet, however, heavy lines of both kinds to be had, but it is probable that the end of January will see most of these Wools marketed. While trade has been fairly active, prices keep very low, and, considering the fact that there is a large surplus of Wool in the country at large, no improved values are looked for. Sales are reported of 400,000 ℔s heavy and fair grades of Plains and Southern defective Fall stock at 7@9c; 260,000 ℔s Mountain at 9@12c ₩ ℔. We quote Fall:

Humboldt choice Free	16@17c
Humboldt, short and defective	12@14
Mendocino choice Free	16@17
Mendocino, defective	12@15
Mountain, poor to fair	9@11
Mountain, good to choice	11@12½
San Joaquin Mountain	10@12
San Joaquin Plains	8@10
Coast Wool, heavy	8@9
Coast Wool, good condition	10@11
Red Bluff, Colusa, etc., defective and heavy	9@10
Red Bluff, Colusa, etc., free, good condition	10@14
Southern Burry	8@10

San Francisco Meat Market.

Beef is firm at quotations, with light arrivals. Mutton is moderately abundant, and not strong at prices quoted. Pork is fairly active, with moderate arrivals, which are freely taken for packing. Following are rates for whole carcasses from slaughterers to dealers:

BEEF—First quality, 5½@6c; second quality, 7½@8c; third quality, 6½@7c ₩ ℔.

VEAL—Large calves, 10½@12c; small ones, 10@12c ₩ ℔.

MUTTON—Wethers are quotable at 5½@6c, and ewes at 4½@5c ₩ ℔.

LAMB—Spring is quotable at 7@8c ₩ ℔.

PORK—Live Hogs, 5½@6c for hard grain hogs on foot; dressed do, 7½@8c ₩ ℔.

Eastern and Foreign Markets.

NEW YORK, January 8th.

BREADSTUFFS—Flour is steady and Wheat is steady; the latter at $1 50@1 12 ₩ bushel.

WOOL—California is steady at 9@10c for fall burry, and 10@13c for clear fall; spring burry, 16@18c; clean spring, 24@28c; pulled, 28@40c.

HIDES—California are steady at 22½@23c.

CHICAGO, January 8th.

WHEAT—94½c for February.

CORN—56c for February.

PORK—$14 12½ for February.

LARD—$8 85 for February.

SHORT RIBS—$7 65 for February.

LIVERPOOL, January 8th.

WHEAT—California spot lots are dull at 8s 4½ to 8s 7d; cargo lots, 43s for just shipped, 42s 6d for nearly due, and 41s 6d for off coast.

San Francisco Stock Sales.

SAN FRANCISCO, January 8th.

MORNING SESSION.

80 Mexican	2 11	0 Justice	45c
200 G. & C.	1 95	125 Andes	45@50c
100 B. & B.	2 85	165 Union Con.	2 50
1050 Savage	90@$1 05	830 Alta	2 35@2 50
1325 Con. Va.	25@30c	100 Julia	10c
655 Chollar	2 55@2 60	100 Caledonia	20c
650 Potosi	1 20	600 Scorpion	35@40c
880 H. and N.	2 20	1870 Benton	45@50c
330 Y. Jacket	2 50@2 60	250 Navajo	2 40
330 B. Nevada	2 85	1030 Rodie	45@65 50
20 Confidence	1 10	70 Eu Tunnel	50c
140 Utah	1 20	100 Bulwer	50c
130 Bullion	60c	300 Mono	75@80c
500 Exchequer	50c	400 Silver Hill	30c
50 Alpha	1 10	200 Prize	20c
450 Overman	30c		

AFTERNOON SESSION.

40 N Belle	85c	200 Y. Jacket	2 55@2 75
400 G. Prize	45c	80 Alpha	1 25
120 Navajo	2 25@2 30	10 Belcher	1 05
500 Eiko Con	20c	810 Sierra Nev	3 10@3 15
750 Bodie	1 25	100 Utah	1 10@1 25
500 N. B. Isle	50c	425 Exchequer	50c
250 Mono	70c	40 Bullion	70c
500 Mexican	2 05@2 10	250 Overman	30@35c
470 G. & C.	2 65@2 70	540 Justice	45c
270 B. & B.	3	360 Union	2 65@2 70
400 Savage	1 05@1 10	870 Alta	2 30@2 40
500 Con. Va.	30c	600 Silver Hill	30c
500 Cholar	2 70	200 Julia	10c
530 Potosi	1 20	40 Andes	70c
470 H. and N.	2 20	350 Benton	45@50c
100 Point	1 05@1 10		

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CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Flashes of News from all Parts of the World.

Two thousand steel workers in London refuse to work at the reduction in wages.

Senator Farley is expected to arrive in Washington soon, his health having greatly improved.

An effort is being made to force the Burlington road into the new alliance of the Transcontinental Railroads.

Dart & Rodgers, fruiterers, of Liverpool, have failed. Liabilities, £100,000. Financial difficulties of other firms in the same trade are reported.

Frank James is reported seriously ill at his home at Independence, Mo. He is threatened with pneumonia. The physicians pronounce his case quite grave.

H. S. Wiley, Surveyor-General of California, is in Washington, on business connected with land matters, before the Department of the Interior and Congress.

The friends of Herr Lasker in Berlin express the wish that the body be interred in that city. Lasker's will, made in 1880, bequeaths his property to his brothers and sisters.

Governor Ireland, of Texas, says he has used every means to punish evil-doers, but the Constitution of the State does not give him sufficient power to properly protect society.

Work has been resumed in all the departments of the Reading (Pa.) Iron Works. The works employ 1,000 men. In the sheet mill puddlers were reduced from $3 50 to $3 25 per day.

Nubar Pasha, the Egyptian Minister of War in 1878, is reported to have accepted the Premiership of the new Ministry, and to have appointed Edgar Vincent Minister of Finance.

The Senate Committee on Public Lands will report to the Senate a bill to donate part of the Fort Smith Military Reservation to the city of Fort Smith, Ark., for the support of free schools.

The steamer Katahdin, a coaster, is reported drifting at sea, having blown out her cylinder head. Six of her crew are said to have landed in a boat at Cape Porpoise in an exhausted condition.

The House Committee on Public Lands has determined to hear the attorneys of the Texas Pacific Railroad at a special meeting on Thursday to consider the forfeiture of the land granted to that company.

Work has been resumed at McKeesport, Pa., by the National Rolling Mill and Forge Company, workmen accepting a reduction of 12½ to 25 per cent. The National Tube Works will resume to-day at a reduction.

Brewster Cameron, who has been General Agent of the Department of Justice ever since Brewster entered the Cabinet, has resigned his position. He will be appointed Register of the Land Office in southern Arizona.

Rosecrans has introduced a bill to authorize the Secretary of War to relinquish the Camp Douglass military reservation, in Utah, so that it can be opened up for settlement, and for the relief of T. B. Shannon and Frank Soule.

A very large and excited meeting of the shareholders of the Montreal Loan and Mortgage Company was held yesterday. The Auditor's report shows the books to be irregular, and the absconding Secretary and Treasurer, George W. Craig, to be a defaulter at least $50,000.

The President has made the following nominations: Reuben A. Allen, of Ohio, Agent of the Indians at the Blackfeet Agency, M. T.; Postmasters—Bennett A. Pryor, Colusa, Cal.; M. B. Freeman, Tucson, A. T.; Ervin Johnson, Bellevue, I. T.; Edmund K. Orville, Pembina, D. T.

Agent Llewellyn, with a delegation of Mescalero and Jacarilla Indians from New Mexico, had an interview with the Secretary of the Interior Monday. The Jacarillas wanted to get permission to return to the old reservation in northern New Mexico, but the Secretary would not give his consent.

The Union Pacific road announces a cut in rates from points east of the Missouri river to Missouri river points. This makes their rates from far Eastern points correspond with the 25-cent rate of the Denver and Rio Grande from Missouri river points to Salt Lake, without cutting between the latter city and Omaha.

The Woman Suffrage party State Executive Committee of New York denounce Senator Edmunds' proposition to disfranchise the women of Utah as a gross wrong to non-polygamists, and as a punishment without trial of those who believe in polygamy. New York Senators and Representatives are called upon to resist the proposition.

The Senate Committee on Rules, in preparing the revised rules to govern the Senate, struck from the committee list the Committees on Manufactures and Revolutionary Claims. The Senate, in voting upon the rules, restored both committees, and increased the membership of the Committee on Manufactures from five to seven.

The Supreme Court has decided that the question of the right of a State to take the coupons of its bonds for taxes after issuing such bonds with the promise it would take them in payment of taxes, is a Federal question, and has ordered the United States Circuit Court at Richmond to reinstate a case it had remanded to the State Court of Virginia.

The Government of Dutch East India has sent troops to the west coast of Acheen to compel the Rajah to surrender. A crew of twenty-five men of the steamer Nisero was wrecked there in November last. The vessel was plundered and destroyed by the Acheenese. One Moor, two Italians, two Germans, two Norwegians and one American were taken prisoners.

PACIFIC COAST ITEMS.

The Salvation Army is going to Fresno.

Orland has completed a $5,500 schoolhouse.

The hotels and boarding-houses at Los Angeles are crowded.

Kate Field is in Salt Lake studying the Mormon question.

Alfalfa seed in more than usual quantities is being planted in Southern California.

A Chinese girl of 12 years was married to a Celestial of about 50 at Watsonville last week.

Fine, large and fat wild geese sell for twenty-five cents a piece in Williams, Colusa county.

Planters in the neighborhood of Los Angeles are steadily ornamenting their lomes with shade trees.

William Hughes, living at Ainsworth, W. T., was struck Sunday on the head by a falling rock and his skull was fractured.

Lieutenant Charles W. Christopher, of the United States Navy, died at Harbin Springs, Lake county, Monday. He was a native of Ohio.

Thomas J. Dennis, of Alsea Valley, Benton county, Or., was killed last week. His son-in-law has been arrested, charged with the murder.

Work on terminal facilities in Portland and Albina, and on the Oregon and California extension still goes on, and no orders to stop are expected.

Near Cressey Station, Merced, Monday, B. Moran, a teamster employed on the farm of Judge Marks, was thrown from a wagon and instantly killed.

Only one of the Gage (N. M.) train robbers has been captured. He is known as "Nigger George," and he has given his accomplices away.

A Reno man waited until he was 83 years old before he got married. That's like running three miles to get a good start for a fourteen-inch jump.

A gang of confidence men have been operating on the line of the Southern Pacific in Southern California, confining themselves to the passing immigrants.

San Bernardino men are known as "Alfalfa Chewers," Los Angeles men as "Pumpkin Rollers," and San Diego men as "Bee Herders," in Calico City.

The Boise (Idaho) *Democrat* says a man named Peterson, who was in the mountains getting out timber, roasted and ate a lot of wild parsnips, and in an hour afterward died in great agony.

Abraham Wheeler & Co., of Roseburg, Or., have instituted a suit against the Western Union Telegraph Company to recover $1,600 damages. It is alleged the company committed a serious error in sending a message, and plaintiffs sustained damages in the sum mentioned.

Captain Struckmeyer, who returned from Sinaloa on the steamship San Blas, says of the fever which raged recently in Mexican ports that a majority of cases cared for by physicians proved fatal, while in those cared for by druggists the patients recovered as a rule. He thinks that too much medicine was a frequent cause of death.

On Wednesday morning some shabby fellow played a mean trick on Conductor Binney, of the C. N. Railroad. Just as the train was about to start the passenger car was uncoupled from the train, and the engineer pulled out without knowing that he had no passengers behind him. The train went a distance of twelve miles ere it was found out the passenger car had been left. A madder conductor or set of passengers would be hard to find in the State.—[Oroville Register.

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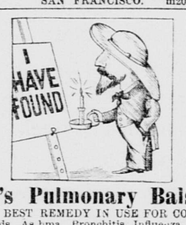

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Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, this 31st day of DECEMBER, 1883.

[SEAL.] CHAS. M. COGLAN, Clerk.
L. S. TAYLOR, Attorney for Petitioner. ja1-10t

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—THE undersigned, Executor of the last will and testament of J. N. FULLER, deceased, hereby offers for sale at private sale for cash, in United States gold coin, and subject to confirmation by the Superior Court of Sacramento county, the following described real estate belonging to the estate of said deceased, viz: Lot number eight (8), in the block bounded by P and Q, Fourteenth (14) and Fifteenth (15) streets, of the city of Sacramento, county of Sacramento, State of California. Bids or offers in writing for said property will be received at the office of CLINTON L. WHITE, southwest corner of Fifth and J streets, of Sacramento city, or may be delivered to the undersigned, or may be left with the Clerk of the Superior Court. Said sale will be made on or after January 19, 1884.

J. F. CALDERWOOD,
Executor of the will of J. N. Fuller, Deceased.
December 29, 1883.
WILBUR F. GEORGE and CLINTON L. WHITE, Attorneys for Executor. d29-14t

SUMMONS—STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY of Sacramento—ss. In the Superior Court in and for said county. The People of the State of California to FREDERICK FRANKS, MARY LOUISA FRANKS, JOHN DOE, JOSEPH DOE, MARY DOE and THOMAS DOE, greeting: You are hereby notified that an action was commenced in the Superior Court of the county of Sacramento, State aforesaid, by the filing of a complaint in the Clerk's office, of said Court, on the 29th day of OCTOBER, 1883, in which action WILL