THE DAILY RECORD-UNION.

TUESDAY.....JANUARY 15, 1884

DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

UNITED STATES SIGNAL OFFICE,
SACRAMENTO, January 14, 1884—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.....
Tatoosh....	30.81	—.03	38	....	E.	....	Fair
Olympia....	30.43	—.02	33	0	Calm.	....	Clear
Portland....	30.45	—.03	38	—2	N. 6	....	Clear
Fort Canby.	30.33	—.06	37	....	N. E.	....	Clear
Roseburg...	30.30	—.04	35	—1	N. E.	....	Cl'dy
Mendocino..	30.05	+.05	45	....	N 22	....	Cl'dy
Red Bluff...	30.13	.00	48	—3	N. 14	....	Clear
Sacramento.	30.01	+.01	43	—2	N. 8	....	Clear
S. Francisco.	30.00	+.01	52	0	S.	....	Clear
Los Angeles.	29.94	—.01	55	+1	E.		.33 Cl'dy
San Diego..	29.89	—.01	54	0	E.		.01 Lt rn

Maximum temperature, 58.0; minimum, 38.0.
River, 9.5 feet—a fall of 3 in hes in 24 hours.

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

Weather Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, January 14th.—Indications for North and Middle Pacific coast, fair weather followed by local rains; South Pacific, local rains following clear weather.

ADVERTISEMENT MENTION.

Fine dwellings for sale—Leonard & Son.
Married man wants a situation.
Respectable woman wants a situation.
Sacramento Chapter, R. A. M., to-night.
Removed. Kromer & Laue.
Wanted—A man of good address.
Capital Lodge, I. O. G. T., to-night.
Caledonian Club this evening.
Exempt Firemen—Election Friday.
A. O. U. W.—Lily of the Valley to-night.

Auction Sales.

D. J. Simmons—Business property, January 16th.
Sherburn & Smith—Fisher's restaurant, January 22d.
Bell & Co.—Furniture, etc., Wednesday.

Business Advertisements.

P. H. Russell—Fresh Eastern oysters.
Mechanics' Store—Three advantages.
Golden Rule Bazar—300 J street.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

POLICE COURT.

There were several cases on the Police Court calendar yesterday morning, but Judge Henry put them through in short order. The first was that of Mrs. Doe, accused of being drunk. She pleaded guilty, but declared it was the first time she had so transgressed against the peace and dignity of the community. She explained that she was a stranger in the city, having come up from San Francisco looking for work, but, being disappointed, she took a little whisky to ease the trouble. The Judge seemed to be impressed by her eloquent statement of the matter, and let her off with a fine of $1 and costs.

Louis Tripps, aged 65 years, pleaded guilty on a charge of vagrancy, as he had on previous occasions—in fact he was released from the county jail last Saturday. He was given thirty days.

Ed. Fellows entered a plea of guilty to a charge of being a common drunkard. He coincided heartily with the Judge's views concerning idleness and two-story cocktails as demoralizers, and promised to reform thoroughly, but got forty days for reflection.

William Jones, a drunk, forfeited his deposit. William Davidson, the veteran "Old Billy," who was under arrest for being a common drunkard, could not appear in Court, having had a fit, and his case went over until to-morrow.

The cases of the boys, Harvey Mitchell, Tom Donahue and Tom Anderson, accused of robbing John Heins at Front and R streets, last Thursday night, were continued until next Saturday, and their bail fixed at $500 each.

Ed. Watson pleaded guilty of petty larceny in appropriating six hop sacks, property of T. B. Lovdal, and valued at 75 cents each. His statement was that he had been working for Mr. Lovdal some time and took the sacks with the intention of using them as blankets; didn't think to ask the owner's permission. The Court was requested by the City Attorney not to be very severe in passing sentence, and imposed a fine of $30 or thirty days in the County Jail.

The last cases on the docket were those of Hermann and Amelia Schumett, accused of battery upon Susan Moore, and also of vagrancy. The trial developed a large amount of hard swearing on both sides, but the Court on hearing all the testimony promptly declared the defendants guilty of the battery, and the charge of vagrancy was dismissed. His Honor remarked that complainant and defendants were evidently an accession to the city's population that was far from desirable, and advised the police force to see that they did not make Sacramento their permanent abiding place, unless a very great reform in their way of living was shown. Hermann and Amelia will receive sentence to-day, and if Susan does not leave town soon she will be arrested as a vagrant.

THE WEATHER.—The temperature, wind and weather at 12 M. yesterday, from the Signal Service reports, were: For Olympia, 38°, north and cloudy; Portland, 36°, northwest and fair; Fort Canby, 43°, east and clear; Roseburg, 34°, north and cloudy; Mendocino, 45°, north and clear; Red Bluff, 51°, north and clear; Sacramento, 53°, northwest and clear; San Francisco, 55°, northeast and clear; Los Angeles, 56°, east and light rain; San Diego, 62°, south and cloudy; Salt Lake, 31°, northwest and fair; Cheyenne, 16°, northeast and light snow; Denver, 24°, northwest and light snow; North Platte, 25°, north and light snow; Omaha, 19°, north and cloudy. There appears to be a storm to the south of Los Angeles and San Diego, or, more properly speaking, a storm approaching the coast from the sea, causing easterly winds to be felt at the nearest point to the storm. There has been in the last eight hours .33 of an inch of rain at Los Angeles, and more expected, while it was raining at San Diego at 8 o'clock last night. The wind is generally from the north and east all along the coast from Tatoosh to San Diego, with high barometer north and low barometer south.

RECOVERED THE PROPERTY.—A well known druggist of this city is the proprietor of a diminutive black-and-tan pup, which he has brought up "on the bottle," and of which he thinks a great deal. Yesterday three officers were standing in front of the drug store, when the dog wandered out upon the sidewalk. One of the officers picked the animal up and put him in his overcoat pocket, while one of the others sent a boy into the store to say that a tramp had carried the pet off with him. The proprietor of the store jumped into his delivery wagon and dashed off to recover his property, and all the attaches of the store that could leave proceeded to make it hot for everyone in the vicinity who could be suspected of being the tramp. After the search had been conducted in this spirited manner for a few minutes, the officers concluded the joke had gone far enough, and two of them, aided by a Deputy Sheriff, who had meantime arrived, proceeded to "recover" the stolen property. Its owner was so well pleased that he provided refreshments, and "no questions asked."

THE STEAMBOAT BORROWERS.—The three men who stole the steamer Hi Yah from Washington Saturday, as mentioned in our last issue, are said to have been strangers, who were noticed idling about that place during the previous day. They were well-dressed, affecting narrow-gauge pants, neat coats and black hats. When they left the Hi Yah, after she got around, they took their departure in her skiff—a rather small boat, painted yellow, with a red streak around the gunnel—and carried with them five pairs of blankets, two lanterns, a hatchet, gum boots, etc. They left the steamer about 3 A. M., being frightened away by the approach of the San Francisco steamer. Nothing has been heard of them since. They evidently intended to make a long run with the little steamer, as they not only took the fuel they found on board of her, but also a large portion of the coal that was on the steamer Margie, alongside of which the Hi Yah had been lying.

FOR GRAND LARCENY.—Officer Ash and detective Arlington arrested yesterday two men, named R. Leaman and Frank Groth, who are supposed to be the individuals who took Frank Gregory's horse and buggy from in front of the Postoffice Saturday evening, and proceeded to enjoy a wild ride. The charge against them is grand larceny. Their friends feel confident that they had no intention of stealing the turnout, but took it by way of a joke, they being on a spree at the time. It seems to have been a double-acting joke—they had all the laugh Saturday evening, while Mr. Gregory was scouring the country in search of them, and yesterday he could afford to feel cheerful while they were cooling their heels in the station house.

THE TIVOLI.—The Elite Comic Opera Company will resume its performances at the Tivoli this evening, again presenting the pleasing opera of "Giroflé Giroflá."

CITY LICENSES now due. Pay on or before 15th inst., and don't forget.

CITIZENS' COMMITTEE AND FIRE COMMISSIONERS.

Last night a special meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners was held to confer with the committee appointed by the Citizens' organization, consisting of T. B. Hall, R. Wittenbrook and G. W. Carey. The object of the conference was stated by Mr. Carey to consider the powers of the Board to establish another engine-house and company in the eastern portion of the city. City Attorney W. A. Anderson was called upon by the President of the Board for his opinion regarding the powers of the Fire Commissioners in the premises. Mr. Anderson stated that, under the Act of 1872 (Fire Department Act), the Board is limited to two engines and equipments, and has no authority to exceed that number; that it was certainly the intention of the framer of the Act to repeal all other laws relating to the government of the Fire Department, but, upon close examination, the peculiar wording of the Act declares the fact, that such is not the case, only those provisions "inconsistent" with that Act being repealed. Nearly every provision of that Act closed with these words, "as constituted by this Act," showing that the matters legislated upon are confined to that Act alone. Under the charter we find in Section 2, Subdivision 6, that the Board of Trustees are empowered to establish and regulate fire companies and a fire department; and in Section 26 of the charter there is a provision for the apportionment of seven cents of each one hundred cents of the general tax, into a Fire Department Fund. While it was intended doubtless to abrogate these provisions and place the Fire Department entirely under the control of the Fire Commissioners, it seems the Act has failed to do this.

Mr. Carey asked Mr. Anderson if the Board of Trustees would not have power to submit the question, "Whether a new engine house and equipments should be constructed?" to the vote of the people. He answered that under Sections 20, 21 and 22 of the charter, whenever the interest, good health or safety of the city required any outlay, and there was no money on hand to meet the obligation, the Trustees would have the power to submit the question of incurring the obligation to a vote of the people, and if two-thirds voted in favor, the debt could be created and the city could levy a tax to pay the same.

The Citizens' Committee being satisfied that the Fire Commissioners had no power in the matter, concluded to wait upon the Trustees, and, if possible, get that body to act in the matter. It was suggested, however, that some legal steps be taken by way of an agreed case to determine whether the seven per cent. tax apportionment would be legal. There was considerable discussion of various matters and plans by the committee and Commissioners, also by Trustee Nielson, who was present in behalf of the Trustees. No definite action was taken; but it was evident that the interested parties intend to "push things" in the direction of securing another "machine" in the eastern part of the city. It was deemed impracticable to use any part of the new exposition building, for the reason that during fair time, when it might be most likely to use the engine, it would have to be removed. All agreed that a new house and another company is a necessity.

CITY TRUSTEES.

The Board of City Trustees met in the new City Hall at 10 A. M. yesterday, all the members present.

Mark Foster, Chief Engineer of the Water Works, made his weekly report, showing that the machinery had been in operation 139 hours, and that 9,983,000 gallons of water had been pumped.

A. N. Buchanan appeared on behalf of the Board of Trade, presented a letter from Congressman Glascock, asking the Trustees' signatures to a petition requesting Congress to make an appropriation of $100,000 for the erection in Sacramento of a building for Government purposes. The request was granted, the petition signed, and a resolution will be drafted and forwarded with it.

Joseph Wiseman and N. N. Denton, a delegation from the Citizens' Committee, appeared before the Board, and asked that additional police be appointed, or else the present force be reorganized, so that they would be of some service to the community. They referred to the demoralized force, and also to the present terrorized state of the community. The force, in its present divided and unofficered condition, they contended, was powerless to cope with the petty larceny thieves and burglars, who apparently had the town in their possession. They were of the opinion that under the circumstances citizens and taxpayers had a right to demand a change, and should have better protection. The Mayor informed them that nothing could be done in the premises at present, as the funds on hand were not more than sufficient to pay the present force. A citizen who was present suggested that it would be a good time to reorganize the force, but his remark, sotto voce, did not reach the ear of the Mayor.

A remonstrance, signed by a large number of property-owners in the block between I and J, From and Second streets, protesting against the proposed improvement of the alley in that block, was received, read and referred to the Street Commissioner.

The Clerk was authorized to advertise for sealed proposals for the construction of a boiler for the water works, the bids to be opened on Monday, January 28th.

After auditing a large number of bills and ordering them paid, the Board adjourned.

SOCIETY ENTERTAINMENT.—Grangers' Hall was filled to its capacity last evening, the occasion being the public installation exercises of California and Unity Lodges, Knights of Honor. Beside the members of the two Lodges, the members of Harmony Lodge, Knights and Ladies of Honor, were present, and a very large number of invited guests. The installation was conducted by Deputy Grand Dictator D. O. Cook, assisted by Past Dictator E. F. Aiken and Past Dictator W. D. Stalker. The names of the officers installed have already been published in these columns. At the conclusion of the exercises Dictator F. W. Sauze, as Chairman of the Committee of Management, took the chair and introduced E. F. Aiken, who made an interesting address on the history of the Order, the character of its foundation principles and purposes of the organization. The Dyer Brothers and V. D. Sano then gave an instrumental trio, and were repeatedly recalled; Alexander Lyons made an effective recitation; Miss Katie McGraw gave a reading; the Dyer Brothers again played musical selections, and the exercises concluded by the singing of the "Ode of Welcome" by the Lodges. The floor was then cleared for dancing. The supper-room of the hall was filled with tables bearing an excellent luncheon, to which the Lodge members freely invited their guests. There was liberality, special attention to strangers, and good management throughout. The Committee of Management consisted of Messrs. Sauze, Adams, Cooper, Morris, Avery, Poorman, and Mrs. Eaken and Mrs. Thorpe.

THE MASQUERADE TO-NIGHT.—Everything indicates that the masquerade ball of the Ancient Order of Foresters at Armory Hall to-night will be a grand success. The popularity of the Order of itself insures this, but the most complete arrangements have been made to guard against failure in any particular. About $200 will be distributed in prizes, and every ticket-holder will be entitled to a chance. One of the features of the evening will be an exhibition drill by Company A, City Guard. Carriage spectators and ladies' tickets can be obtained at Jelly's, 422 J street; at G. F. Parker's 1007 Fourth street, and at Day & Joyce, 1023 Eighth street.

FISHER'S RESTAURANT AT AUCTION.—Sherburn & Smith, auctioneers, announce that they will sell the entire furniture and fixtures of the well-known restaurant of Henry Fisher, at 510 J street, at 10 A. M. January 22d, consisting in part of 40 round and square tables, 100 chairs, 125 table cloths, 1,500 napkins, 40 triple-plated casters, plated knives and forks, glassware and crockery, 200 yards linoleum, carpets, two large ranges, two hot-water boilers, an immense lot of kitchen utensils, baking utensils, cupboards, large ice-chest, showcase, office stove, hat racks, candy pyramids, candy jars, canned fruit, etc.

BUSINESS PROPERTY AT AUCTION.—D. J. Simmons & Co., auctioneers, will sell at 10:30 to-morrow, on the premises, the south half of north quarter of lot 8, J and K, Second and Third streets, and known as Arnold's Saddle Rock Oyster House, now under a five years' lease at $50 per month. This is a valuable piece of business property, on the line of street railway. Special attention of capitalists and others is called to this important sale.

FURNITURE AUCTION.—Bell & Co., auctioneers, will sell at their salesroom, corner of Eighth and K streets, at 10 A. M. Wednesday, January 16th, without reserve, a large lot of new and elegant furniture, consisting of parlor and bed-room sets, kitchen furniture, parlor stoves, kitchen ranges, lounges, sofas, tables, chairs, crockery, glassware, etc. Also a large lot of oil paintings, chromos and steel plate engravings.

BRIEF NOTES.

To-night the Caledonians will install their new officers.

One car load of immigrants arrived from the East last night.

Kromer & Laue, merchant tailors, have removed from 728 K street to 413 J street.

Capital Lodge, I. O. G. T. will give an entertainment at Firemen's Hall this evening.

The strong north wind of yesterday made the farmers feel cold and blue mentally as well as physically.

The annual election for officers of the Exempt Firemen's Association will be held Friday, the 25th instant.

A Deputy Sheriff will take down to Napa to-day two insane persons—Ernest Eldridge and a Chinaman named Sue Chung.

The Germania Building and Loan Association was to have had an election of officers last night, but there failed to be a quorum present.

We learn that the Natoma Water and Mining Company intends to plant many additional acres in grapes as soon as the weather is favorable.

Fish Commissioners Buckingham and Dibble will go over to Truckee next Thursday, to examine into the necessity for fish ladders in the Truckee river.

John T. Coyle, agent for John L. Sullivan, was in the city yesterday, making arrangements for the great knocker-out's appearance at the Metropolitan next Tuesday night.

Thieves visited the premises of Mr. Van Saun, Third and N streets, early yesterday morning, and stole a number of chickens, and also the supply of milk left by the milkman a short time before.

A Sacramentan who returned yesterday from above Auburn stated that it was rumored up that way that there was still considerable hydraulic mining being done in the neighborhood of Dutch Flat.

The arrests recorded on the station-house slate last night were those of B. Leaman and Frank Groth, by officer Ash and detective Arlington, for grand larceny, and Mrs. Reardon, by officer Leavy, for being drunk.

George Horning, a brewer employed at the Pacific Brewery, was assaulted by two men at Ninth and L streets, about 12 o'clock Sunday night, and robbed of a nickel watch, which was about all the property he had in his pockets.

Night before last some thief or thieves visited McHale's stable, in the alley between Fifth and Sixth, Q and R streets, and stole properly. The same night the house of a colored man at Fifth and R streets was robbed of blankets and clothing.

Yesterday the California Wire Company was making preliminary arrangements for the erection of a handsome wire fence, extending from the Court-house to the west line of the Hall of Records grounds, and along the west side of that property.

Dr. Gardner, of this city, went over to the Carey ranch, near Davisville, yesterday, in response to a dispatch stating that a son of Len. Spurgeon, residing there, had been severely wounded in the hand by the accidental discharge of his gun.

R. W. Gay attended service at the Congregational Church Sunday evening, leaving his horse hitched near by. He covered the animal up carefully with the blanket—a new one—but when he returned the blanket had disappeared, having probably been taken by some tramp.

It is a fact worthy of notice that the Eastern papers come to us filled with accounts of burglaries, robberies, etc.; and it would seem that all over the country thieves are levying forced contributions, much after the manner recently practiced in Sacramento. The cold weather makes them desperate.

A woman named Mrs. Reardon was arrested at the depot yesterday by detective Arlington and officers Ash and Leavy for being drunk. She was convicted in the Police Court last Friday of disturbing the peace by wrangling at the depot with a man named J. Mace. The latter was fined $60 for his part in the disturbance, but she was let off with $5, on promising to immediately leave the city.

Detective Arlington and officer Ash, while prospecting the Chinese quarter yesterday afternoon, discovered in a basement on I street, between Second and Third, a large quantity of tobacco, some cigars and a set of molds, with partially made cigars in them, the whole indicating that some enterprising Chinaman had established an illicit factory. The officers waited a while for him to put in an appearance, but, as he failed to do so, they conveyed the tobacco, etc., to the station-house.

"Now, young man," said Henry A. to a reporter whom he met yesterday, "you have made lots of items about Caulfield in your time, and there wasn't many among them that made him feel very good. But now I want you to do the right thing. You know the other day I was arrested for disturbing the peace, because of some words about a piece of land, but they let me off on payment of costs. Well, now, Mr. Reporter, you just say this, that the man who had me arrested has since paid the costs and the attorney's fees, and bought the land from Caulfield. How's that!"

PENSIONERS IN SACRAMENTO COUNTY.

The following list of pensioners of the United States on the roll January 1, 1883, is furnished by the Department of the Interior:

Name of pensioner.	Cause for which pensioned.	Mo. rate.
Hugaboom, Cor.....	wd. rt. arm.....	$8 00
Kent, James.....	g. s. w. l. elbow.....	12 00
Cox, Hugh P.....	g. s. w. rt. leg.....	5 00
Conrad, John.....	g. s. w. rt. leg.....	10 00
Negus, Vernon.....	g. s. w. l. thigh.....	4 00
Pierpont, John B.....	wd. l. shoulder.....	6 00
Philbrook, L. D.....	chronic rheu.....	6 00
Payne, Abram D. L.	rheu., dis. heart.....	4 00
Sprague, Martin H..	inj. r. hand.....	12 00
Simmons, David.....	g. s. w. r. hand.....	14 00
Robson, Helmuth...	dis. heart.....	8 00
Kelley, John.....	g. s. w. r. foot.....	4 00
Coleman, Hugh F...	g. s. w. l. hip.....	10 00
Kerrigan, Andrew...	g. s. w. of arm.....	8 00
Jones, James T.....	sh. wd. r. ankle.....	6 00
Wise, Michael L.....	g. s. w. l. arm.....	6 00
Thorp, David M.....	chr. diarr.....	4 00
Thomas, David.....	g. s. w. r. foot.....	4 00
Bickers, Henry C...	g. s. wd. thigh.....	6 00
Baylam, Wm. C.....	inj. to spine.....	5 33½
Birdsall, John.....	sh. wd. back.....	2 00
Bryan, Robert.....	g. s. w. head.....	8 00
Baker, Angelo.....	g. s. w. l. leg.....	4 00
Bretenbucher, J.....	g. s. w. r. thigh.....	4 00
Ole, Anderson.....	g. s. w. r. thigh.....	.....
Ewin, William.....	g. s. w. l. leg.....	4 00
Lock, Henry J.....	g. s. w. l. hand.....	1 00
Meagher, Daniel....	amp. r. leg.....	18 00
Menroe, Francis....	frost-bite.....	12 00
Martin, Samuel J...	amp. r. leg.....	18 00
Guthrie, John.....	g. s. w. l. side.....	2 00
Hoffman, Reinhold..	g. s. w. r. arm.....	4 00
Fuller, Wm. W.....	g. s. w. l. hip.....	2 00
Finley, James B.....	g. s. w. l. leg.....	2 00
Benchley, Wm J.....	g. s. w. breast.....	6 00
Russell, Erastus C.	chr. bronchitis.....	18 00
Sullivan, Thomas..	dis abdominal viscera.	8 00
Maxias, Chas. W....	injury to abdomen.....	8 00
Mitchell, Harrison..	g. s. w. r. thigh.....	6 00
Havey, Arthur.....	.....	6 00
Jacobs, Edwin S....	wd. of elbow.....	8 00
McCarty, Jerome N.	chr. diarr.....	8 00
Hart, Eden A.....	widow.....	8 00
Webster, Charlotte..	widow.....	15 00
Plettig, Annette W..	widow.....	8 00
Sarchett, Edith.....	widow.....	8 00
Carey, Catharine....	widow, 1812.....	8 00
Shiermeyer, Mary...	mother.....	8 00
Olive, Emily A.....	mother.....	8 00
Mener, Harriet J...	mother.....	8 00
Hart, Sarah M.....	mother.....	8 00
Harris, Josiah.....	surv. 1812.....	8 00
Hartnell, Seth E...	minor of.....	14 00
Beckingsall, P.....	g. s. w. l. thigh.....	6 00
Ditson, Minott S...	wd. l. arm.....	8 00
Bates, Wm.....	dis. eyes.....	14 00
Brown, John P.....	inj. to. l. shoul.....	6 00
Hastings, Henry S..	g. s. w. r. hand.....	5 00
Murray, James C...	wd. l. shoul.....	6 00
Freese, Charles J...	sh. wd. l. foot.....	6 00
Greene, Joseph.....	g. s. w. of both wrists.	4 00
O'Neal, Charlotte...	widow, 1812.....	8 00
Stout, Moses H.....	surv. 1812.....	8 00
Lynde, James H.....	g. s. w. of face.....	11 25

MILITARY ELECTION.—Company G, First Artillery Regiment, held an election last evening for a First and Second Lieutenant, Major Wm. J. Davis presiding. Much interest was taken, the number of members present being unusually large. M. H. Sheehan and H. W. Rivett were candidates for First Lieutenant, and the former was successful. For Second Lieutenant the contestants were P. Flaherty and A. J. Plant, Flaherty succeeded.

PRISONERS EN ROUTE.—Deputy Sheriffs Wilson and Burns, of San Francisco, brought up from the Bay last night, en route for the prison at Folsom, five prisoners, who will be taken up to that institution this morning, viz: William McNamara and William Stewart, who are to serve four years each for robbery; Chun Kee, four years for robbery; Ah Kim, three years for burglary in the second degree, and Lee Ben, five years for burglary in the first degree.

Locals from Hale Bros.

Important and marked reductions in the prices of staple and well-known brands of goods at our sterling clearance sale.

We propose to give you values that you have never before received.

Our immense overstock must be sold, and prices are cut so low that the goods will be speedily purchased.

Hale's sterling clearance sale commences to-morrow morning, at 8 o'clock.

OLIVE BRANCH BUTTER.—We beg leave to call the attention of the public to the fact that we have made arrangements for a daily supply from the dairy at Point Reyes, Marin county, of this excellent brand of butter, which is not excelled by any other in the market, and we will sell in quantities to suit purchasers. D. DeBernardi & Co.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Chris. Hobbert, of Lincoln, was in town yesterday.

A. Ackerman went up to Chico yesterday afternoon.

James Duwan left for San Francisco yesterday to spend a few days.

Judge A. B. Dibble returned to his home at Grass Valley last evening.

Columbus Waterhouse and wife, of San Francisco, are visiting Sacramento.

James McCudden, railroad agent at Vallejo, came up last evening, en route for Penryn.

Martin Arenz left last evening for a visit to Woodland and an inspection of crops in Colusa county.

George P. Sharpless, of Sacramento, is among the passengers who are to arrive from the east this evening.

Mrs. Edward Carragher and daughter and Miss Nellie Gallagher left for a visit to San Jose yesterday.

A. G. Miller, engaged in the banking business at Camptonville, came up from Napa yesterday on his way home.

M. and Emanuel Heller, capitalists of San Francisco, came up from that city yesterday, bound for Marysville.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Stettheimer, of Marysville, passed through the city yesterday en route for home from San Francisco.

Miss Alile Lozier, of San Francisco, and Miss Ada Smith, of Oakland, are in this city, visiting Mrs. Charles McCreary.

Major John Miller and wife, of Tyler Island, who have been spending a day or two in Sacramento, return home to-day.

Mrs. William Beckman and Mrs. J. J. Keegan left yesterday for a visit of a week or ten days to Mrs. William Dunlap, at Auburn.

Dr. Mary Walker, attired in a full black suit, fur-bound overcoat and black plug hat, paid her respects to the President on New Year's Day.

Captain J. A. Rapp, of Nevada City, commander of Company C, of the First Artillery Regiment, returned home yesterday from a visit to San Francisco.

Professor Welcker, Superintendent of Public Instruction, and Hon. H. M. LaRue came up from San Francisco last night. So also did Dr. Cluness and Sheriff Estill.

J. W. Strobridge, Superintendent of Track-building of the Central Pacific Railroad, accompanied by his family, left yesterday in the car California for the end of the track of the California and Oregon Railroad.

Frank Noble, a well-known Sacramentan, who is now on a visit to his old home in Canada, writes back that he is having a jolly time visiting friends and relatives. He says he has had a Christmas dinner every day, and if the supply of roast goose does not give out soon he will be so fat that he will have to pay extra fare on his return to Sacramento.

Arrivals at the Golden Eagle Hotel yesterday: S. A. Porter, Lincoln; C. E. Wilcoxson, Yuba City; L. C. Morehouse, San Leandro; H. C. Shaw, Stockton; William Singer, Jr., Marysville; W. F. Peck, Sutter; Carl White, Jr., Chicago; B. Hodskin, New York; A. L. Stone, E. Bishop, J. D. French, W. S. Hobart, A. Hayward, M. Stafford, A. M. Simpson and wife, W. H. Mahoney, J. W. Smith, William B. Culvert, San Francisco; Rev. J. B. McNally, West Oakland; M. D. Slattery, Napa.

SUPERIOR COURT.

MONDAY, January 14, 1884.

DEPARTMENT ONE—ARMSTRONG, Judge.

Estate of Laura E. Cross, deceased—Hearing of citation argued, submitted, and taken under advisement.

Estate of P. Brannon, deceased—Petition for letters of administration—Matthew J. Brannon appointed administrator; bond, $250. Thomas O'Niel, J. J. Cadegan and W. J. O'Brien appraisers.

Estate of John H. Wilson, deceased—Petition for probate of will and for letters testamentary—Lucinda Blue appointed executrix without bond. C. H. Johnson, J. L. Huntoon and John Skelton, appraisers. Notice to creditors in RECORD UNION.

Estate of John James, deceased—Petition for letters testamentary—William H. James appointed executor without bond. F. H. Slack and J. G. Vantine, appraisers.

Estate of Marim D. Real, deceased—Petition for letters of administration. M. F. Real appointed administrator; bond, $450. T. L. Acock, W. S. Real and A. Folley, appraisers.

Estate of A. M. Vallean, deceased—Order suspending powers of administratrix set aside, and administratrix ordered to file a new bond within twenty days. Public Administrator ordered to make an account of his proceedings.

Guardianship of Maud Barbara Stohl, a minor—Wm. Counsman sworn and appointed guardian. Bond, $300.

Estate of B. Corbett, insane—Hearing of final account set for January 28, 1884, at 10 A. M.

Estate of Lorenzo Henblein, deceased—Final discharge of executor granted.

Estate and guardianship of A. O'Niel et al., minors—Referred to W. B. Hamilton to examine and report upon the account.

Albert M. Johnson vs. The Board of Supervisors of Sacramento county—Passed by consent.

H. Gerhardt vs. C. Zwickel—Continued until to-morrow at 9:30 A. M.

W. R. Grimshaw vs. Mary A. Lansing—Ordered that the demurrer be overruled. Ten days to answer. Notice of ruling on demurrer waived.

In rel. C. F. Mosher, an insolvent debtor—Hearing of final account and report of assignee. Ordered that upon payment of fees the document be filed as of the date of December 29, 1883. Cause submitted and taken under advisement.

H. S. Beals vs. Frank Swift et al.—Plaintiff's motion for new trial overruled.

Charles M. Campbell vs. E. P. Figg—Argued, submitted, and taken under advisement.

DEPARTMENT TWO—HON. J. W. ARMSTRONG presiding.

MONDAY, January 14th.

Ordered that a trial jury of eighty jurors be drawn for the January session, 1884, drawing to take place January 15, 1884, at 10 A. M.; venire returnable January 29, 1884, at 10 A. M.

In the matter of H. A. Gear, an insolvent—Order entered setting aside to insolvent certain exempt property.

Daniel Meyer vs. James N. Porter—Ordered by consent of counsel that the hearing of the return to the alternative writ of mandate may be taken up on notice to either party.

William Bartels vs. V. J. Gregory—Demurrer to complaint argued, submitted and overruled. Ten days to answer.

George F. Bronner vs. A. Wertheim—Demurrer to amended complaint argued, submitted and overruled. Ten days to answer.

Remainder of law calendar continued for one week.

MERCHANDISE REPORT.

The following freight for Sacramento passed Ogden January 11th and 12th:

For Scofield & Tevis, 86 barrels linseed oil; J. F. David & Son, 57 top buggies and belongings; Mebius & Co., 1 case cigarettes; Neubourg & Lozes, 1 box hardware; Huntington, Hopkins & Co., 1 box machinery, 1 wash boiler, 1 case and 171 pieces iron axles, 1 bundle forks; Baker & Hamilton, 5 cases iron, 20 bundles wood, 5 barrels plowshares; Hall, Lohrs & Co., 44 barrels hams; A. Coolot, 1 case shoe lacings; Kirk, Geary & Co., 1 case and 2 boxes magnesia, 1 box licorice, 1 barrel and 1 keg ginger, 1 bag, 2 cases and 19 boxes drugs, 1 bag chalk, 1 case medicated paper, 1 box pill boxes; W. R. Strong & Co., 10 bags canary seed; J. G. Davis, 1 box walnut chair frames; A. J. Rhoads, 2 barrels whisky; Booth & Co., 50 cases mincemeat; G. Lavenson, 4 boxes shoes.

For Shingle Springs—R. D. Smith, 1 box hardware.

For Stockton—Westlake & Co., 34 bundles gas pipe; J. T. Hickenbotham, 8 bundles shafts; Steinhart, Goldsmith & Co., 1 show trunk; H. C. Shaw, 1 case harness; Austin Bros., 10 rails, 8 bolsters.

For Grass Valley—Bart & Luke, 1 case shoes.

For Marysville—Mrs. H. H. McCloud, 1 case clothing.

For Red Bluff—Hallett & Loy (care L. S. Schoenf), 3 bundles and 4 racks school furniture, 1 box domes.

Passed New Orleans, January 6th to 9th: For Sacramento—Hale Bros. & Co., 2 cases shoes; A. A. Van Voorhies & Co., 6 cases linen goods; Lindley & Denery & Co., 3 cases glassware, 2 cases waiters, 1 case pans, 2 cases japanned ware, 5 cases cuspadores; Lindley & Co., 2 cases citron, 4 cases nutmegs, 2 packages cloves; Huntington, Hopkins & Co., 10 cases hardware, 17 boxes presses, 1 crate saws, 3 bundles wood in shape, 2 cases copper, 2 cases oilers, 2 cases braces, 2 cases pruners, 1 package plumb and levels, 1 case planes, 6 bundles hoes, 2 cases boring machines, 1 case mouse traps, 1 barrel pulleys, 2 cases sledges, 1 case spelter, 1 case hooks and staples; A. A. Van Voorhies & Co., 1 bale and 1 case leather; E. C. Peart (care Capt. Foster), 6 cases shoes; P. H. Russell & Co., 1 case extract of beef, 7 cases macaroni, 3 cases vermicelli; J. J. Spieker, 1 case fancy soap, 2 cases perfumery, 1 case drugs, 1 case show cards.

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Sacramento, January 14—Wife of N. T. Piper, a son. (Woodland papers please copy.)
Sacramento, January 11—Wife of John L. Orr, a son.
Sacramento, January 6—Wife of John D. Jost, a daughter. (Ogden, Utah, papers please copy.)
Chico, January 10—Wife of Philip Peters, a daughter.
Greenville, Plumas county, January 4—Wife of Henry Stevens, a daughter.
Greenville, Plumas county, January 6—Wife of Charles Stevens, a daughter.
San Andreas, January 10—Wife of A. J. Culbertson, a daughter.
Susanville, January 1—Wife of E. Bonyman, a son.

DIED.

Dixon, January 7—George Adams, a native of Sacramento, 27 years.
Sonora, January 7—Paul Baule, 53 years.
Yreka, January 7—Annie L. Wheeler, 12 years, 2 months and 4 days.
Near Winters, January 4—Andrew Marshall, 68 years.
Grass Valley, January 10—Mrs. Susan Leech, 84 years and 2 days.
Near Grass Valley, January 10—Margaret Hall, 10 years, 4 months and 15 days.

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