DAILY RECORD-UNION

TUESDAY.....NOVEMBER 3, 1885

WEATHER REPORT.

All Observations Taken on the 75th Meridian (Eastern) Time.

SIGNAL OFFICE, U. S. ARMY
SACRAMENTO, November 2, 1885.

10 P. M. (Eastern time), 75th meridian; 7 P. M. (Pacific time), 120th meridian.

Place of observation.	Barom. High	Barom. Change in 7 hours	Ther. Exposed	Ther. Change in 24 hours	Direction wind	Direction wind and velocity	Rain 7 hours	Weather
Tatoosh	29.97	+.06	47	–5	N. E. 6		.19	Thrtng
Olympia	30.08	–.19	46	–5	S. lt		.14	Clear
Sp. Falls	30.02	+.08	45	–5	S. lt		.06	Clear
Dayton	30.09	+.09	45	+2	SW. 12		.04	Clear
Ft. Canby	30.02	+.07	51	+1	W. 18		.04	Cloudy
Portland	30.12	+.07	47	–5	S. 6		.02	Clear
Roseburg	30.19	+.02	45	–5	N. E. lt		.14	Fair
Men'cino	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		.....	.....
Red Bluff	30.16	.00	58	–1	N. 8		.....	Fair
Sac'to	30.09	–.04	59	–7	N. W. 6		.....	Cloudy
San Fran	30.13	–.04	57	–6	NW. 10		.....	Clear
Keeler	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		.....	.....
S. L. Obis.	30.02	–.02	57	–3	W. 9		.....	Clear
L. Angls	29.97	–.01	61	+2	Calm 0		.....	Cloudy
S. Diego	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		.....	.....

Maximum temperature, 68.2; minimum temperature, 50.2.

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

ADVERTISEMENT MENTION.

Clunie Opera House — "Only a Woman's Heart."
Election notice.
Rising Star Rebekah Lodge.
Y. M. C. A. benefit.
Lecture—Rev. E. S. Chapman.
E Company this evening.
Ice cream social—Sunset Council.
Sacramento Chapter to-night.
Sacramento Division, U. R., K. of P.
Stockholders' meeting.

Auction Sale.

By Bell & Co.—10 A. M. to-day, real estate.

Business Advertisements.

Wanted—A young man.
Dr. Nixon, 918 M street.
Brown mule found.
Lady agents wanted.
W. R. Strong & Co.—Bulbs.
H. S. Crocker & Co.—Holiday trade.
Hale Bros. & Co.—Clothing department.
Weinstock & Lubin—Evening toilets.
The Century for November.
Red House—Rubber goods.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Court Items.

In Department One of the Superior Court yesterday, when the case of The People vs. Brown and Eagan, for an assault to do great bodily injury to T. M. Hotz, was called, Charles T. Jones, of counsel for the prosecution, stated, on behalf of Mr. Hotz that the latter was confident that a second trial of the case would result about the same as did the first—in a failure of the jury to agree—because no stronger evidence could be adduced than on the first hearing. He had been at trouble and expense in prosecuting the case, and thought he had done all in that respect, in the interest of law and good government, that could be expected of a good citizen. He had not desired, in the first place, to prosecute the young men, but the papers got hold of the matter, and rumors were circulated by people that he had been bought off. Under those circumstances, to protect himself, he had the defendants arrested. The defendants had suffered some punishment by being compelled to defend, and, as he was satisfied they could not be convicted, he desired the cases dismissed, as a saving of time, trouble and expense. Mr. Jones said he thought the District Attorney felt about as he did relative to the inability to convict and the advisability to dismiss. It was one of those cases, he thought, in which dismissal could be granted on stipulation of satisfaction. Judge Van Fleet stated that he would give Mr. Hotz an opportunity to come into Court and make a statement personally, and meanwhile would look into the authorities relative to dismissal.

The case of the Peoplevs. Michael Zellar, accused of murder in killing Wm. Henry Harris, was called and the defendant arraigned. He entered a plea of not guilty. District Attorney Buckley suggested to the Court his belief that the bail fixed by the Court below for the defendant—$7,500—was inadequate to the offense committed, and moved that the defendant be remanded to the custody of the Sheriff, without bail. Grove L. Johnson, for the defendant, argued against the motion. Judge Van Fleet said that the committing magistrate had acted in the premises in the light of the evidence taken before him, and he did not think it would be proper for him to set that action aside without good reason. He would therefore read over the evidence as taken by the official reporter, and hear attorneys on the subject at 9:30 to-morrow morning.

In Department Two Judge McFarland rendered his decision in the case of Jane L. Conner vs. Lee Stanley, administrator of Wm. Jarvis, deceased, taken under advisement a few days ago, and ordered judgment entered in favor of defendant. This was the third trial of the case, and judgment has been rendered for the defendant each time.

Judge McFarland said, in rendering judgment yesterday, that sufficient evidence had been adduced to prove that Jarvis was influenced by the delusion of Spiritualism, and, if not absolutely insane, could at least be induced to make contracts under the delusion named, which he would not have entered into with people not Spiritualists.

The case of Miss B. Smith vs. S. K. Tretry, in which suit was brought to recover possession of the trotting horse Dick Brown, was not completed yesterday, but probably will be to-day.

In the case of the People vs. C. R. Clark, convicted of murder some months ago, was set for 10 A. M. of Thursday next for hearing of motion for new trial.

NEW INCORPORATIONS. — The following articles of incorporation were yesterday filed in the office of the Secretary of State:

The Bay Shore and South San Francisco Street Railway Company, for the purpose of constructing, owning and maintaining a street railway, to be operated by cable and stationary engine or by horses or electric or other motors, commencing on Powell street, at its intersection with Jefferson, along Powell to Market, thence to Portrero avenue; length of line about five miles. Directors, A. A. Lynch, J. W. Tripp, J. C. Lemar, Rhodes Borden, I. Strassburger. Capital $1,000,000, divided in 10,000 shares.....The Black Channel Mining Company, to mine for gold and other precious metals in Butte county. Principal place of business, Cherokee. Directors, David H. Williams, N. A. Harris, John Rowe, F. W. Day, Wm. Hurburt. Capital stock $100,000, divided into 10,000 shares.....Of the Barton Vinegar Association, to carry on agricultural industries in the county of Fresno. Principal place of business, San Francisco. Directors, Robert Barton, R. O. Oakley, James W. Coleman, A. L. Perkins, J. W. Pew. Capital stock $1,000,000, divided into 10,000 shares.....Of the Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church of Livermore. Directors, E. B. French, Joel M. Jones, G. W. Meese, B. C. Bellamy, J. D. Smith.....The Deutscher Kreiger Verein of San Francisco. Principal place of business, San Francisco. Directors, Carl Paul, Henry Ahlborn, Wm. Schroeder .....Also, of the Tulare Valley and Grant Forest Railroad Company, to construct a railroad from some point on the Southern Pacific, in Tulare county, into the foothills of the Sierra Nevada mountains. Estimated length of road fifty miles. Principal place of business, San Francisco. Directors, R. Butterfield, of Sacramento; Charles F. Keller, of Traver; Henry Miller, Visalia; L. A. Rockwell, Traver, and W. C. Owen, R. A. Gilbride, E. G. Anderson, James J. Martin, James B. Johnson, R. G. Haskell, Martin Schneider, of San Francisco. Capital stock $500,000, divided into 100,000 shares, of which $87,500 has been subscribed and paid.

AUCTION SALE.—Bell & Co. will sell at auction at 10 A. M. to-day, on the premises, northeast corner of Nineteenth and N streets, the handsome residence and lot, 80 by 80 feet, with blue grass lawn, choice fruit trees and shrubbery, etc. The house is of two stories, seven rooms, bathroom, closets, etc. The sale furnishes an opportunity for a good bargain. Sale positive; terms cash.

DR. REID has removed to Masonic Temple, corner Sixth and K streets. *

METROPOLITAN THEATER. — Coming! What? The funniest play on earth, "The Rag Baby," on Friday and Saturday evenings, November 6th and 7th, and Saturday matinee. This is without exaggeration the greatest and most successful comedy that has ever appeared on a theatrical stage, having just finished a four weeks' engagement at the Bush-street Theater to packed houses, many being even unable to get admission. We would advise theatergoers of this city to go early if they want a seat, as without doubt the Metropolitan will be packed from pit to dome. *

The Board of Trustees.

At 10 A. M. yesterday the Board of Trustees met in regular weekly session, all the members present.

Street Commissioner Nielsen said he was in favor of either laying a cement or an asphaltum walk in the Plaza. He said it should be done before the rainy season set in. The asphaltum, 12 feet wide, would cost about $450, and the cement walk, 10 feet wide, would cost about $650. All the Trustees agreed that cement was the best, and decided to advertise for bids for the construction of the same. The bids will be opened on Monday next.

Poundmaster Philip Rumble reported for the month of October four horses and seven cows impounded. Eighty dogs were captured, sixty of which were killed and twenty redeemed. He charged and received for the impounding of animals $31.

The engineer of the City Water Works reported that during the past week the machinery had been in operation 164 hours and 21,657,530 gallons of water pumped.

Chief of Police Jackson reported for October: Arrests, 182; lodgings, 44; meals, 1,405; en routes, 24.

Joseph N. Herndon, Superintendent of the city cemeteries, reported as follows for October: Deaths in the city, 57; brought here for interment, 17; total number interred, 54. They were interred as follows: City Cemetery, 37; New Helvetia, 9; St. Joseph, 6; sent abroad, 2. Collected for sale of lots, $116 25; for permits, $57; total, $173 25.

N. A. Kidder, Harbormaster, reported that his collections for October were: Steamers, $107 50; fish market, $10; levee dues, $10; rent of Harbormaster's office, $2; barges, $40. Total, $169 50.

George M. Mott and A. S. Hopkins presented a petition signed by a large number of citizens. It read as follows:

We, the undersigned residents and taxpayers of Sacramento city, most respectfully represent to your honorable Board that the portion of the city lying east of Fourteenth street, and especially that between Fourteenth and Eighteenth streets, is now wholly without sewers or any means of drainage whatever. We do most respectfully ask that you will have constructed the necessary sewers to give us the relief we so much need, and to which we as taxpayers are justly entitled. The health of not only the inhabitants of the city generally, but those of our immediate families are in great peril, and something must be done immediately.

The Board said to the petitioners that nothing could be done at present, owing to the fact that the portion of the city complained of was lower than the present sewage system. They said they were experimenting with the Shone system and were of the opinion that it would prove all that was promised. In that case the relief asked for would be given. If that could not be done a fund would be provided for in the next tax levy for that purpose.

The bills of L. E. Bassett for his salary as inspector of plumbing, for the months of July, August, September and October, amounting to $70 50, were not allowed, owing to the fact that there was no provision for their payment, the fund for that purpose having not yet been created.

The Trustees directed the City Auditor to notify the railroad authorities that the city had purchased certain China Slough lots, and would deed the same to the company as soon as the latter filled the slough as heretofore stipulated. The railroad company, it was authoritatively stated, had let the contract for the work to Von Schmidt. The latter is now doing some work for the Government, which would be finished in a few days, when the machinery would be removed to this city and the work of filling the slough commenced and pushed vigorously to completion.

The City Attorney advised the Board to pass an ordinance which would cover the regulations adopted by the Board of Health, so that there would be no trouble in prosecuting those who violate the same in the Courts.

Matthew Cooke, who had been engaged to clear the trees and shrubbery in the city of the white cottony cushion scale, reported that the work was progressing finely. He said the scale was found scattered over a much larger area than was at first supposed. They were not only found on orange and lemon trees, but walnut, elm and eucalyptus trees were also found to be infected. He thought the work would be completed by the end of the week.

HOW IT HAPPENED.—A vacancy occurred in the office of Supervisor of District No. 2 in Colusa county some weeks since, occasioned by the death of Claus Kopf. Each of the other Supervisors had a particular person they desired the Governor to appoint to fill the vacancy, and the executive office has been fairly flooded with letters of recommendation, backed by lengthy petitions. The Governor was at a loss to know what to do in the premises, so he wrote a letter to W. N. Herd, ex-Assessor of that county, and asked him if he would accept the appointment. An answer was received from Mr. Herd, saying he had never thought of applying for the position, but he would accept. Accordingly he was appointed, as has been heretofore stated.

COUNTY JAIL REPORT.—Sheriff Wilson reports that during the month of October 85 prisoners were confined in the County Jail, for the following offenses: Murder, 2; assault to murder, 3; grand larceny, 2; burglary, 2; obtaining money under false pretenses, 1; embezzlement, 2; safe keeping, 2; petit larceny, 21; misdemeanor, 6; battery, 4; disturbing the peace, 16; vagrancy, 9; common drunkards, 9; insane, 6. Of these 33 were discharged during the month, viz: By order of Court, 2; on bonds, 1; sent to State Prison, 2; en route to State Prison, 1; on satisfaction of fine, 1; on want of charge, 1; sent to Insane Asylum, 5; on expiration of sentence, 20. Leaving 52 prisoners in confinement November 1st.

POLICE COURT.—In the Police Court yesterday A. J. Silvia was convicted of misdemeanor, in keeping wood piled in the street, and will receive sentence to-morrow. .....Brock Doran was found guilty of being a common drunkard, and sentenced to 60 days in the county jail.....Amy Price, arrested for exhibiting, forfeited her deposit. .....Jake Hurle and Dan. Coleman were ordered to pay a fine of $5, or be locked up five days each, for having been drunk. Harry Sproule, for a like offense, was sent below for 24 hours. Robert Francis, another drunk, forfeited his deposit. Mike Murphy, also arrested for having been drunk, was discharged.....Harry Burns was adjudged guilty of vagrancy, and sent to the county jail for 60 days.

WANTED IN AUSTRALIA. — Governor Stoneman yesterday received the following communication dated at Port Adelaide, South Australia, October 2, 1885, from J. W. Smith, United States Consular Agent, which is self-explanatory: "The local authorities of this Colony are very desirous to secure the person of Henry Alfred Woods, Public Trustee of this Colony, now an absconder, and supposed to be in the neighborhood of San Francisco. The Colonial authorities are most anxious if possible to secure his person, and for which they offer a reward of $5,000. Give all publicity to the fact throughout the United States. May I therefore ask you to render any assistance in your power to secure the success of the inquiry."

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.—The Board met yesterday, all the members present. Minutes read and approved. On motion of Mr. Steinman, it was ordered, upon the application of W. R. Strong, a landholder in Swamp Land Reclamation District No. 317, that an election for Trustees of said district be held at Isleton, at the office of Hart Smith, Justice of the Peace, on the 4th day of December, 1885, commencing at 10 A. M. and continuing until 4 P. M. Further ordered that W. R. Strong be appointed Inspector, and E. A. Denicke and E. T. Donnelly Judges of said election. The Board then adjourned to visit the County Hospital.

OWNED UP.—Robert Granger, who told such a thrilling story of robbery and attempted murder to the police on Sunday, to account for his having serious knife wounds in his neck, owned up yesterday that his narration was a tissue of lies, and that the injuries were the result of an attempt to commit suicide at Davisville Sunday morning, as was intimated in yesterday's RECORD-UNION. His hurts, though not necessarily dangerous, are of such a character that he will probably have to remain in the County Hospital for a while.

MR. MARTIN HIRSCHFIELD, graduate of the Royal Academie of Berlin, Germany, will give a piano rehearsal on Wednesday, November 4th, in the First Congregational Church. He will be assisted by Mrs. O. Wilhelm. *

GENUINE!—Salt Lake spuds, at bedrock prices. Fulton Market, Fifth and K streets. Fresh fruit and vegetables—the best in the market. *

INSTRUCTIONS GIVEN ON THE PIANO.—For further particulars, inquire at 621 J street, Mrs. Barber & Pealer. *

ALL the latest songs at L. K. Hammer's music store, 820 J street. *

BRIEF NOTES.

Sheriff Wilson collected fees to the amount of $105 60 in October.

The steamer Dover arrived from the upper Sacramento yesterday, with grain.

Carloads of raisins were forwarded East yesterday from Orange, Riverside and Fresno.

Bartley Cavanaugh, of this city, was discharged from the Mint at San Francisco last Saturday, with a number of others.

County Clerk Hamilton issued forty-eight marriage licenses last month, and the Superior Court granted eight divorces.

An ice cream social, with literary exercises and dancing, will be given by Sunset Council, Chosen Friends, this evening.

Last Saturday afternoon Mrs. L. W. Billings fell, in consequence of a nail in her shoe catching in the carpet, and fractured her arm.

Rev. E. S. Chapman will deliver his lecture, "The Solomons and Cæsars of To-day," in the First Baptist Church on the 16th instant.

The Sacramento horses—Shaker, Prince, Ackerman, Lucy and Kate Bender—returned yesterday from Nevada county, where they were engaged in races last week.

The street-sprinkling contracts expired November 1st, The Street Commissioner has employed two carts to do the sprinkling for the business streets until the rains set in.

The case of George Sharp, charged with the embezzlement of money belonging to John Toomey, was yesterday, in Justice Henley's Court, continued until 10 A. M. to-morrow.

Surveyor-General Willey yesterday paid into the State Treasury, on account of business done during the month of October, the following amounts: Surveyor-General's office, $706 50; land office, $151. Total, $857 50.

On the complaint of W. McDowell, officer Woods arrested S. A. Shields yesterday for grand larceny, in stealing a chest of tools. The tools were found at the depot, and it is claimed that Shields was about to ship them away.

At a special meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners, held last evening, John Rogers, O. H. Wing and Henry Guthrie, extramen, were removed, and John Kelly, J. H. Moore and Al. Pritchard elected to fill the vacancies.

The Amity Gun Club, of Sacramento, went over to Woodland last Sunday and had a friendly clay-pigeon shoot with the new Woodland club. The Sacramentans were more successful than the Woodlanders, but they have had more practice.

Information was received here yesterday of the death, in her 40th year, of Mrs. J. K. McComber, of Folsom, wife of the well-known Deputy Sheriff, after a short illness. The funeral will take place from her late residence at 2 P. M. to-morrow.

At the Sixth-street M. E. Church this evening, Professor Perkins, of San Francisco, will give an entertainment, consisting of songs, dramatic readings, character impersonations, ventriloquism, etc., for the benefit of the Young Men's Christian Association.

Chris. Grandum was arrested by officer Sullivan yesterday afternoon on a charge of petit larceny. It is asserted that he stole a hide from Knights' establishment, on Front street, carried it around the block and then appeared at the store and inquired if the proprietor wanted to purchase it!

The following officers have been elected for the ensuing term by Cresco Lodge of Good Templars at Galt: W. C. T., P. H. Latourrette; W. V. T., Miss Ida Fugitt; Secretary, John Cogswell; Treasurer, W. H. Meacham; W. F. S., Mrs. Belle Stratton; W. M., Charles Cole; W. I. G., Miss Katie Brewster; W. O. G., James Ferguson. The new officers will be installed this evening.

Second street, near the depot, is becoming a business location. An office is being build there for another nursery, which will occupy a large lot of ground alongside of it. The increase of business in that locality suggests that when the slough is filled in the lots not needed by the railroad company will soon be occupied by business houses, and then it will not be long before there will be an improvement in Chinatown property.

George J. Van Alstine, while under the influence of liquor, went into the Mint Saloon yesterday morning and called for drinks for himself and a companion. Subsequently, on being reminded that he had neglected to pay for them, he became so very abusive that Barney Kane, who was tending bar, knocked him down. In falling his head struck a spittoon and received two severe cuts, one of which included the severing of a small artery. He was taken to the station-house, bleeding very profusely. The City Physician was summoned and stopped the hemorrhage.

CLUNIE OPERA HOUSE.—Last night the three-act drama, "Only a Woman's Heart," was played. The characters are few, but all prominent, and are assumed by J. W. Summers, Miss Boyle, Messrs. Staley, Sambrook, Vinton, Montserratt and Miller, and Misses Marshall and Francis. The central figure is that of the tramp and convict, by Mr. Summers. It was an admirable piece of character assumption, a pronounced success, and an example of acting that arose to the higher levels of dramatic art. It is so well done, so natural, true to life, and so faithfully expressive of human motives, passions, fears and desires, that it entitles the artist to frank acknowledgment of ability of the order that has made more ambitious men renowned in dramatic walks. It is a study from life, and indicates analytical and interpretative powers of an especially good order. Such careful studies and unexaggerated dramatic pictures are not so frequent in this day of rant and extravagant dramatic situations, that this meritorious example can be passed by with ordinary notice. Having measured the possibilities of the part by a first night, it is expected that Mr. Summers will present it with even greater vigor and depth of feeling to-night. Miss Boyle has an emotional and effective and very dressy part; but, unfortunately, the playwright, at the very point where she should manifest deep and natural feeling, has cut her lines short and left her upon the stage in the first act coolly and unmoved accepting the astounding announcement that those who have tenderly reared her as parents, are not her father and mother, but that a rum-blossomed, rugged and coarse old tramp is her father. In short, she is plunged from affluence and bridal preparation into poverty and disgrace without any more ado or surprise on her part, than if she had heard of the postponement of an engagement for an opera night. In subsequent acts she is given, however, full scope for good work. So blundering is the mistake of the text, that the spirited lady sends word to the press of her intention to so write into the part for to-night as to make it conform to the probable action of ordinary human beings on such occasions. This can very easily be done. The other characters were well taken, of which comment is reserved. The piece was warmly received and the recalls sincere. The scenery is handsome, mostly new, the play well mounted, and the stage is set with marked excellence. The play is entirely probable. In the law books and the "Legal Reminiscences" series far stranger and more romantic episodes in criminal annals are recorded. The piece will take well and deserves to. It will be repeated to-night. The management announces that the box sheet for the German dramatic season is now open.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—District Deputy Grand Arch M. Hirsch, assisted by the Grand Officers, installed the following officers of Walhalla Grove, No. 6, U. A. O. D., for the ensuing term, at Pioneer Hall last evening: C. A. V. Meister, N. A.; T. Malatesta, V. A.; Henry Meyer, Treasurer; E. Q. Nagle, Secretary; R. A. G. White, Conductor; J. Lewis, I. G.; S. Alexander, O. G.; Frank Lopez, Jr., P. A. Retiring Noble Arch Frank Lopez was presented by the members of the order with a beautiful solid gold emblem of the order, appropriately engraved. After the Lodge adjourned they proceeded to E. Dieterlie's, on Fifth street, where they were all seated and partook of an excellent collation. Walhalla Grove is in a prosperous condition financially, and has, during the past few months, had a large accession to its membership. The report of the Noble Grand Arch shows an increase in membership in the State since June of upwards of 500.

FINE PRUNES.—The growing and curing of the French prune has been brought to a very high state of perfection by Senator Routier. He has a fine orchard of this fruit, and his experience in preparing it for the trade has brought great success. The prunes grown by him are unusually large and meaty, and when dried and neatly packed in layers, ready for market, are extremely tempting in appearance. Those thus put up by Senator Routier far exceed in attractiveness of appearance any prunes that have ever been seen in this market.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Justus Greeley, of Marysville, was here yesterday.

Daniel Click, of Sheridan, came to the city yesterday.

Miss Mary Taylor, of Marysville, is visiting Sacramento friends.

Mrs. T. N. Crew, of Chico, came down yesterday, going to Merced.

General S. W. Backus returned to San Francisco yesterday from Folsom.

Miss Jennie Filkins, of Marysville, passed through to San Francisco yesterday.

Rev. H. H. Rice went to San Francisco yesterday, and will return this evening.

W. A. Selkirk, Jr., of the *Mountain Democrat* (Placerville), was in town yesterday.

Robert Steere and wife, of Los Angeles, returned home yesterday from Marysville.

J. T. McIntosh, of Chico, passed through yesterday, on his way home from Nevada City.

S. B. Ridgway came down from his ranch near Colfax yesterday, to spend a few days here.

Mrs. Gladding and daughter and Geo. D. Aldrich, of Lincoln, visited Sacramento yesterday.

Professor Welcker, Superintendent of Public Instruction, left for San Francisco yesterday.

Deputy Sheriff Tim Lee, who has been sick for some weeks, left yesterday with his wife for Alameda.

Mrs. W. R. S. Foye and her sister, Miss Stevenson, went to San Francisco yesterday, to remain a week.

The Misses McConnell, of McConnell's Station, are in the city, visiting at the residence of Dr. Huntington.

Wm. Barklage, ex-Assemblyman from El Dorado county, came down from Georgia Slide yesterday, and will spend a few days in Sacramento.

Rev. O. C. Wheeler and wife, Mrs. C. F. Crocker, H. G. Smith, Ed. M. Martin and C. S. Givens were passengers for San Francisco yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. J. B. Wright and Mrs. Lucy L. Arnold, escorted by George F. Crocker, leave this evening for New York, where they will be the guests of Mrs. Charles Crocker.

Arrivals at the Capital Hotel yesterday: J. W. Haines, Genoa, Nev.; Charles Petrie and wife, Rocklin; William S. Chapman, A. P. Armes, William Myers, San Francisco; Al. Sutherland, Ione; A. E. Knowles, Vallejo; C. P. Berry, O. P. Richardson, Wheatland; J. Ryan, Rocklin; J. S. Emery, Oakland; Marion Biggs, Biggs.

Arrivals at the Golden Eagle Hotel yesterday: F. T. Neibling, Geo. F. Laubelli, J. A. Laurance, Chas. A. Watson, Henry Williams, H. Kruse, J. Franklin, A. D. Levy, J. A. Mason, Louis Bien, C. A. Bowers San Francisco; E. C. Mix, New York; Geo. Lark, Philadelphia; M. Meyberg, L. T. Baldwin, Los Angeles; D. McKay, city; J. C. Caldwell, Chicago.

In the city yesterday: Henry Miller, John Roach, Cosumnes; George W. Prosser, Rocklin; J. W. Lee, J. M. Bayles, Freeport; Thomas Ross, Los Angeles; Hiram Little, Routiers; S. Prouty, Galt; John Miller, Plymouth; Francis Mitchell, Sebastopol; George M. Skinner, Green Valley; Samuel Hawkins, Hill Top; William Zimmerman, Elk Grove; W. S. Jennings, Michigan Bar.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.—The City Board of Education held a special meeting at the office of the City School Superintendent last evening, all the members present. The meeting was called for the purpose of taking action as to the receiving of the new school building at Tenth and P streets. All the members were present except Director Stevens. The architect, N. D. Goodell, sent in the following communication: "This is to certify that Thomas McCaffery has finished the school-house on P street, between Ninth and Tenth, as per contract." Bills were allowed as follows: Thomas McCaffery last payment on contract $3,992; N. D. Goodell for services as architect and superintendent of construction $500. The rules and regulations as recently printed were adopted with a slight amendment in Rule 56, relative to daily sessions of grammar schools first term, which reads as follows: Grammar schools — Fifth, sixth, and seventh grades of primary schools and ungraded schools—Commence at 9 o'clock A. M., and close at 3 o'clock P. M. Forenoon recess from 10:20 to 10:40 o'clock; noon recess from 12 M. to 1 P. M.

A SMALL BLAZE.—At 11 o'clock last night an alarm of fire was turned in from box No. 32. The department responded and found smoke coming out of the transoms in the clothing store of Godfrey Politz, Sixth and K streets. It was caused by a fire in a small room back of the store used as a pressing room. No damage was done unless by smoke, and that was got rid of as soon as the doors were opened. It is thought that some fire must have been left in the furnace that is used for heating irons.

DRAMATIC READING.—To-night at the lecture room of the E. B. Crocker Art Gallery, Geo. Chainey, the accomplished elocutionist, will read the play of "Hamlet." To cover expenses a charge of 25 cents is to be made. It is announced that life membership privileges of the Musuem Association will be recognized. The reader is pronounced by those who have heard him as an elocutionist of great power and dramatic quality.

ARRESTS.—The following arrests were made yesterday: Charles Jones, by officer Sullivan, for vagrancy; Tom White, by the same officer, petit larceny; S. A. Shields, by officer Woods, for grand larceny; Chris. Grandum, by Chief Jackson, for disturbing the peace.

A "FRETFUL" QUIETED.—The Dixon *Tribune* of October 31st, says:

One evening last week, Thomas Duncan in the employ of L. F. Walker, observed a strange-looking animal running along the fence. His first impression was that it was a skunk. Closer observation, however, convinced him otherwise. He pursued it with a gun, and a well-directed shot killed it. It proved to be a porcupine. A few of these animals have heretofore been seen in the mountains and foothills, but this is the first instance, so far as we know, where one of them has ventured out on the open plains. This particular porcupine, no doubt, came from the Sacramento river bottom, as burs were found in its quills and hair, indicating that it had traveled through the tules.

FIREARMS IN SCHOOL.—The Grass Valley *Union* of October 31st is responsible for this:

Not long since an eight-year-old boy created a sensation in one of the public schools of the town by his hip-pocket pistol going off with a loud report. At the request of the teacher all the scholars now leave their pistols at home during school hours, as it is not considered entirely safe to carry such playthings into the temples of learning.

HERE!—Quail and cottontail to-day—fresh and plump, from brush and plain. Fulton Market, Fifth and K streets. Send orders. *

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MARRIED.

Sacramento, November 2—By Rev. H. H. Rice, at the residence of the bride's mother, Fred. J. Hollis to Ella A. Johnson, both of Sacramento.
Sacramento, November 2—By Rev. Dr. Charles Taubner, at the residence of H. Schaumloffel, John Kolb, of Sacramento, to Louisa Markert, of Yolo county.

BORN.

Sacramento, November 2—Wife of E. H. Gould a son.
Sacramento, September 24—Wife of Frederick Balhorn, a daughter.

DIED.

Sacramento, October 31—John Brown, a native of New York, 70 years.
Folsom, November 2—Wife of John K. McComber, 39 years and 10 months.

CURE OF PNEUMONIA.

Mr. D. H. Barnaby, of Owego, N. Y., says that his daughter was taken with a violent cold, which terminated with Pneumonia, and all the best physicians gave the case up and said she could live but a few hours at most. She was in this condition when a friend recommended DR. WM. HALL'S BALSAM FOR THE LUNGS, and advised her to try it. She accepted it as a last resort, and was surprised to find that it produced a marked change for the better, and by persevering in its use a permanent cure was effected. fe24-1sly&wly

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Now that we are verging again on the season for social festivities, silks and other materials for evening toilets are assuming fresh importance. Our collection of Colored Silks includes everything in dark and medium shades. Also, Evening Silks and Satins, both plain and brocaded.

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Embroidery Frames; can be adjusted for work of any size, 50 cents. Embroidery Hoops, with rests, 40 cents. Straps, 10 cents.

Misses' Heavy Red Knitted Underwear (all-wool), 55, 65 and 75 cents.

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16 lbs Choice Dried Figs	1 00
28 Bars "Housekeeper Soap"	1 00
16 lbs Dried Grapes	1 00
Half-gallon Cans Strained Choice Honey	55
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