WEATHER REPORT.

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

SIGNAL OFFICE, U. S. ARMY
SACRAMENTO, February 24, 1886.

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

Place of observation.	Barom. High	Barom. Change in 8 hours	Ther. Exposed	Ther. Change in 24 hours	Direction wind and velocity	Rain 7 hours	Weather
Tatoosh	.....	.....	43	.....	S.W. 1t	.....	Cloudy
Juan de F	30.17	.....	41	.....	S.E. 1t	.....	Clear
Olympia	30.19	—.03	41	—3	N.E. 1t	.....	Clear
Sp. Falls	30.15	—.08	41	+1	S. 1t	.....	Cloudy
*W. Walla	29.05	—.11	45	0	N.E. 1t	.....	Clear
Ft. Canby	30.24	—.02	44	.....	S. 1t	.....	Clear
Portland	30.14	—.15	45	—1	Calm 0	.....	Clear
Roseburg	30.11	—.14	45	—4	Calm 0	.....	Clear
Men'cino	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Red Bluff	29.91	—.10	62	+3	N.W. 1t	.....	Clear
Sac'to	29.92	—.05	59	+3	S. E. 1t	.....	Clear
San Fran	29.96	—.04	54	—4	W. 1t	.....	Fair
*Keeler	26.28	—.05	57	+2	N. 8	.....	Clear
S. L. Obis.	29.94	.00	54	—1	W. 8	.....	Clear
L. Angls	29.96	—.04	59	0	S.W. 1t	.....	Clear
S. Diego	29.95	+.02	59	—12	S.W. 1t	.07	Lt Rain

*The barometer readings for Walla Walla and Keeler are not corrected to sea level.

Maximum temperature, 67.5°; minimum temperature, 45.2.

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

Weather Probabilities.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 24th.—8 P. M.—Indications for the succeeding 32 hours: California, continued fair weather, with winds generally variable.

ADVERTISEMENT MENTION.

Clunie Opera House—"The Jilt."
Metropolitan Theater—"Hot Water," Saturday.
Sacramento Commandery—To-night.
Sumner Corps—This afternoon.
J. W. Rock—For Second Trustee.
John Ryan—For Second Trustee.
O. C. Jackson—For Chief of Police.
H. F. Dillman—For Chief of Police.
Court Sacramento—This evening.
Sacramento Band of Hope.
Normal Musical Institute—Next Monday.
St. Rose Church—This evening.
The Olive Branch Ladies' Society.
Business meeting—W. C. T. U.
Reception—Y. M. C. A.
Resolution of thanks—G. A. R.

Business Advertisements.

Fruit trees at 8 cents.
Whittier, Fuller & Co.—Frames.
Situation wanted by man and wife.
Kentucky Jacks for sale.
Red House—Clearance sale.
Weinstock & Lubin—Boys' and men's clothing.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

The Zeller Case.

The whole of yesterday was occupied in trying to get a jury in the case of Michael Zeller, charged with the murder of Henry Harris. Ten jurymen were secured on Tuesday. Yesterday two venires, one of fifteen, the other of ten, were exhausted and but one juryman obtained. At 4 P. M. Judge Van Fleet issued an order for a venire of twenty jurors, returnable at 9 A. M. to-day, to which time the Court adjourned.

James O'Neal, one of the individuals summoned by the Sheriff on the last venire, failed to put in an appearance, and the Court ordered him brought in upon a bench warrant. Up to the time the Court adjourned the Sheriff had not made his return, and it was stated that Mr. O'Neal had left for his place of business in the neighborhood of Courtland.

H. Heyman, who also failed to appear at 2 o'clock, was brought in upon a bench warrant. He claimed that he did not understand Deputy Sheriff Rider that he was wanted for a juryman. The Court postponed action until the return of the Sheriff, promising Mr. Heyman that he would be punished if found to be in contempt of Court.

Nearly all those summoned as jurymen yesterday were excused for cause, most of them stating that they had formed an opinion of the case, from reading the testimony before the Coroner's inquest and examining magistrate, which went to the guilt or innocence of defendant, and which it would take evidence to remove. One juryman said he was prejudiced against any man who used a pistol, unless it was clearly shown that it had to be used to protect his own life.

Much interest seems to be manifested in the case, and the Court-room has been crowded from the time the case was called. The names of the eleven jurors obtained are: George Little, J. T. Chinnic, James Hamilton, E. Comstock, J. M. Overmeyer, I. J. Darling, James Jackson, J. E. Parker, Clarence Nelson, John Wolck, John Batcher.

Certificates of Incorporation.

Articles of incorporation have been filed in the office of the Secretary of State of the Southern California Mining and Industrial Company. Objects, to deal in mining property and water rights. Principal place of business, Colton, San Bernardino county. Trustees—George L. Ghiselin, George B. Silliman, Robert Castle, Henry Goodcell, Jr., Geo. E. Otis, Albert S. White and L. M. Holt. Capital stock, $1,000,000, divided into 100,000 shares.

Also, of the Hermit Valley Land and Irrigating Company. Objects, to deal in land and water rights in the San Jacinto mountains. Principal place of business, Colton, San Bernardino county. Trustees—George R. Ghiselin, G. B. Silliman, L. H. Taylor, S. B. Wright and W. H. Pennycook. Capital stock, $500,000, divided into 50,000 shares.

Also, of the M. E. Church property of the "Ballard Circuit," Santa Barbara county. Trustees—J. D. Knight, A. F. Munch, S. J. Root, R. Saunders and S. Lyons.

Also, of the Garfield Mining Company. Object, to mine for gold and silver in the State of Nevada. Principal place of business, San Francisco. Directors—W. E. Norwood, Stephen Roberts, Wm. Farrington, Charles Page, Chas. P. Evans. Capital stock, $1,500,000, divided into 15,000 shares.

Also, of the Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, of Los Angeles. Trustees—G. Wiley Wells, J. P. Widney, C. H. Bradley, L. F. Gay, Samuel Strohm, A. E. Pomeroy, H. C. Sigler.

Also, of the Sacramento River Packing Company. Objects, to can fruit, fish, vegetables, etc., and to do a general canning business in all its branches. Principal place of business, San Francisco. Directors—W. S. Gage, Sol. Wangenheim, W. B. Bradford, Juda Newman and John J. Scotchler. Capital stock, $80,000, divided into 800 shares.

Also, of the Bristol Bay Canning Company. Same objects, directors and place of business. Capital stock, $200,000, divided into 2,000 shares.

NORMAL MUSICAL INSTITUTE.—The eminent success of the recent musical convention in this city, under the direction of Professor Straub, has induced those who attended it, and others, to procure the holding of another one of the same character, under the same director, but to increase the length of the course of study and drill. As a result, it is announced that a Normal Musical Institute will be organized on Monday, March 8th, at the First Baptist Church, to continue ten days. The faculty will consist of S. W. Straub, Principal; W. F. Werschkul, voice teacher; A. M. Straub, pianist—all eminent teachers of Chicago. The following classes will be taught daily: 2 P. M., church music; 3 P. M., harmony (two grades); 4 P. M., elementary (for children and adults); 7 P. M., voice culture; 8 P. M., grand chorus class. Tickets for the full course of fifty lessons will be only $5; any one class, $2.

LECTURE LAST NIGHT.—The last lecture of the Delphian course took place last evening at the Congregational Church. Rev. Horatio Stebbins, D. D., of San Francisco, spoke an hour and five minutes, upon the subject: "The Two Grand Divisions of Human Nature—Man and Woman." The lecture throughout was of that mold, in clearness of thought and purity of diction for which Dr. Stebbins is well known, and which attracted the closest attention of his audience throughout. In speaking of woman's sphere, he opposed giving her the ballot on the ground that her condition would not be thereby improved, and as he believed the better class of women would not vote even if they could, he did not think it wise to extend the elective franchise in that direction.

METROPOLITAN THEATER.—At the Metropolitan Theater next Saturday afternoon and evening Miss Alice Harrison, the favorite comedienne, assisted by her able company, will appear in the musical comedy, "Hot Water," which has been doing a fine business at the Bush-street Theater, San Francisco, recently. It is one of those pieces in which plot is almost an unknown quantity, but it serves to give the vivacious little star opportunity to delight the audience with music and mirth, and she is ably seconded by a quartet of pretty girls and several fun-creating gentlemen. The box sheet will be open at Houghton's. Buffalo Bill and his peculiar company are underlined for next week.

PUBLIC SCHOOL FUNDS.

How They are Distributed According to Districts.

County Superintendent of Public Schools, Charles E. Bishop, has apportioned the $61,917 15 received from the State to the various districts of the county at the rate of $6 10 per census scholar, as follows:

DISTRICTS.	School Fund	Library
American River	$573 00	$41
Alabama	295 55	32
Alder Creek	194 60	21
Arcade	204 28	22
American	239 80	26
Brighton	237 48	37
Brown	288 14	32
Buckeye	243 74	27
Brannan	212 36	23
Courtland	270 38	30
Capitol	558 52	62
Carroll	284 20	31
Center	274 42	30
Carson Creek	189 66	21
Carson Creek (joint)	180 35	19
Davis	270 38	30
Elk Grove	297 02	33
Elder Creek	272 85	30
Enterprise	342 42	37
Excelsior	306 90	33
Freeport	313 31	34
Florin	328 60	36
Franklin	301 96	33
Galt	1,025 26	113
Granite	1,007 59	111
Grant	275 32	30
Grand Island	275 32	30
Georgiana	321 66	35
Highland	252 50	28
Hicksville	284 20	31
Howard	264 28	22
Hutson	27 56	.....
Isleton	243 74	27
Jackson	310 84	34
Kinney	369 06	40
Lisbon	275 32	30
Lee	275 32	30
Lincoln	257 56	28
Laguna	257 56	28
Michigan Bar	306 90	33
Mokelumne	243 74	27
Nye	284 20	31
Natoma	173 18	19
Onisbo	248 68	27
Oak Grove	198 54	22
Prairie	279 26	31
Point Pleasant	266 44	29
Pleasant Grove	355 24	39
Pacific	301 96	33
Richland	252 62	28
Roberts	243 74	27
Reese	301 96	33
Rio Vista	37 50	.....
Rhoades	301 96	33
Sacramento City	40,025 04	.....
Sylvan	346 36	38
Sutter	590 10	65
Stone House	242 27	26
San Joaquin	270 38	30
San Juan	243 74	27
Slough	16 25	.....
Union	212 36	23
Victory	399 64	44
Wilson	284 20	31
West Union	301 96	33
Washington	346 36	38
White Rock	119 90	13
Walnut Grove	328 60	36
Contingent	47 25	2

The Arson Case.

In the Police Court last evening the case of John Senich, arrested for arson in setting fire to the Universal Restaurant, of which he was proprietor, last Saturday morning about 2:20, came up for examination, City Attorney Anderson prosecuting and Grove L. Johnson appearing for the defense. The evidence showed that an incendiarism had been committed, but as against Senich it was purely circumstantial, there being nothing to indicate positively that he was at the restaurant, or in its vicinity, after the hour at which he says he went home—10 o'clock the previous night—though it was in evidence that a man resembling him in size was seen to dodge into the doorway of Hoyt's tinshop, a few doors from the restaurant, as if to escape the observation of passers-by, a few minutes prior to the fire. The most damaging testimony, if it is not contradicted or explained away, is that of Chief Jackson, who, in narrating the statement made by the defendant after arrest, testified that Senich said that he bought the can of coal oil, found in the basement of the restaurant, a few days before the fire, to accommodate a patron concerning whose name or identity he could give little or any information. The can was about half full of oil when found after the fire. The testimony of several witnesses was taken, and then, as it was evident that the hearing could not be finished that evening, as there were a number of witnesses for the prosecution yet to testify, with the defense also to hear from, the case was continued until 7 o'clock this evening.

Clunie Opera House.

Boucicault's latest comedy, "The Jilt," is unquestionably one of his happiest conceits. The plot is just intricate enough, and the action just vigorous enough. The dialogue is sparkling and witty, and the three love adventures it involves are neatly plotted, and worked out as to be wholly satisfying. The company met a rather irresponsive audience. The leading character is in the hands of J. M. Ward, too well and favorably known here to call for comment upon his capacity. Miss Agnes Thomas and Clyde Heron have the leading female parts, and presented them with even ability. Mr. Vinton, Mrs. Ward, Mr. Hamilton, Miss De Lorme and Mr. Grover are cast in roles they fill acceptable. Walter M. Leman, the pioneer actor, and a prime California favorite, had the "old man" part of the play. His reception was flattering in the extreme. The comedy calls for the best work on the part of every character in it. It puts a stock company to a severe test, and there is none organized that is too good for it. We can readily conceive of its being more brilliantly presented than by the troupe at the Opera House. But the dozen people to whom it was committed are faithful and painstaking, and make the play fill an evening of thoroughly enjoyable entertainment. It should, and certainly will, draw well. The prices have been placed on the popular schedule of 75 and 50 cents for the lower sections, and 25 cents for the family circle. "The Jilt" will be repeated to-night.

The New Catholic Cathedral.

Quite a large number of the members of the Catholic congregation of this city met last evening at St. Rose's Hall, to take action for the immediate construction of the new cathedral. Bishop Monogue presided, and explained in detail his plans for the erection of the new church, which he claimed would be, when finished, one of the finest churches on the coast, and an ornament to Sacramento. Several speeches were made by gentlemen present, welcoming the Bishop to his new see, and pledging their support in all his undertakings for the advancement of the material and spiritual interests of the people of Sacramento. On motion, a committee consisting of ten residents of Sacramento and vicinity was appointed, which committee will meet to-morrow evening, to complete arrangements for commencing the work.

Policy Holders in Council.

A meeting of those interested in the Mutual Self-Endowment and Benevolent Association of America was held at the Court-room last evening. A large number of ladies and gentlemen, the holders of policies in the Association, were present and took part in the proceedings. A committee appointed recently by local policy holders to make an examination into the affairs of the office of the Pacific Coast Department, submitted a lengthy and carefully-prepared report. As the matter is one that concerns only those directly interested, their request that the report should not be made public is complied with.

CANDIDATES' ANNOUNCEMENTS. — Candidates' cards are published this morning, announcing J. W. Rock and John Ryan as candidates for Second Trustee, subject to the decision of the Republican Convention; O. C. Jackson (present incumbent), for Chief of Police, subject to the same Convention; and H. F. Dillman, for Chief of Police, subject to the Democratic Convention.

CHICKERING & SONS' PIANOS!—L. K. Hammer, No. 820 J street, sole agent. *

BUY no sewing machine until you have seen the light-running "Domestic;" it is the best of all. Office, 505 J street. *

MEN'S KIP BOOTS, three solid sole-leather soles, branded "C. H. Gilman," $2 50; boys' kip boots, same quality, $2; youths' kip boots (11, 12 and 13), $1 50. Red House.*

THE finest line of valises, bags and satchels ever seen in Sacramento, now on sale at Red House. *

LOWER THAN EVER!—Mohr & Yoerk have again reduced the price of their hams, bacon and lard. *

THREE HUNDRED sample valises and ladies' promenade bags, now on sale. Red House. *

COME and see our line of fine valises and hand-satchels—all samples. Red House.

BRIEF NOTES.

At the 7 o'clock weather report last night rain was falling at San Diego, and .08 of an inch had been precipitated up to that hour, according to the Signal Service report.

The appendices to the Journals of the Senate and Assembly of the twenty-sixth session of the Legislature, comprising five volumes, have been issued from the State Printing Office.

Henry Sholl, of 2808 North Tenth street, St. Louis, has written to Sacramento inquiring for information concerning his brother Jacob, who, when last heard of, was residing in this city.

The Olive Branch Ladies' Society will hold their first social and ball on Thursday evening, March 4th, at the hall of the Y. M. I., on Seventh street. Tickets (including refreshments), 50 cents.

The Sacramento Band of Hope will give a social and literary entertainment at the Presbyterian Church to-morrow evening. Mrs. M. E. Richardson, Superintendent of the juvenile work, will be present.

These arrests were made yesterday: Cadwalader Jones, by officer Ash, for obtaining money by false pretenses; Louis Tripes, by officer Farren, for vagrancy; Mrs. Anderson, by officer Kent, for being drunk.

Two carloads of excursionists from Los Angeles and vicinity came up yesterday, and went East last evening. They occupied emigrant cars, which, however, they had fitted up with cushions, curtains, etc., and made very comfortable.

The Young People's Union, connected with the Sixth-street M. E. Church, met Tuesday evening at the residence of James Ough, Eighth and N streets, where a profitable evening was enjoyed with the works and characters of Charles Dickens.

People who seem to think they know more about the weather than the weather clerk, are beginning to growl because of the dust, and assert that rain is required—not a deluge, of course, but a few showers. And yet the river is still over the 20-foot mark.

It is reported that Alex. Dougherty, living on Locke & Lavenson's farm, near Walnut Grove, went out about 5 o'clock Tuesday morning to feed the horses. Since that time he has not been heard of, and it is feared that he fell in the river and was drowned.

On the complaint of J. J. Nagele, officer Ash yesterday arrested Cadwalader Jones for obtaining money by false pretenses. Mr. Nagele lent him $30 on his stating that he had money coming to him from the country, and would return the amount borrowed next morning.

Charles Ott, foreman of Fuller & Van Bergen's winery, at the Homestead, fell from a scaffolding upon which he was standing last Tuesday, and fractured his right arm. He went to the County Hospital, near by, where Dr. White attended to the injury, and then left for home.

In Department One of the Superior Court yesterday Simon Wild, a native of Germany, was admitted to citizenship on the testimony of J. Frees and S. Wasserman. In Department Two, Philip Peyran, a native of Italy, was admitted, on the testimony of S. P. Lusk and Martin Boyle.

The work of repairing the steamer Varuna on the ways on the Yolo side of the river is about completed, and she can be launched at any time, but a little drying out will be beneficial. The San Joaquin No. 2 will probably be hauled out for repairs before she goes into service again.

Mrs. Hattie Levison, who shot her husband last Monday at San Francisco, was yesterday admitted to bail in the sum of $5,000, as the wounded man's symptoms were not unfavorable. In case his situation becomes critical the physician in attendance will notify the authorities so that she can be again taken into custody.

Chief Jackson received a dispatch last evening from the Boston *Herald*, asking for the record and a picture of Ah Moy, or Moy John, who is said to have shot and killed a man in this city some time ago. The Chief would be pleased to give the desired information, but no one recollects any murder by a person of that name.

The Sacramentans who went to San Francisco to appear as witnesses in the Foster case before the United States Grand Jury have not been able to give their testimony as yet, owing to the fact that California is without an United States Marshal, and consequently without deputies to attend Court, etc., Mr. Franks not having as yet received his authority to act in place of M. M. Drew, term expired.

The revival meetings at the Christian Church, conducted by Rev. R. L. McHatton, are still in progress. Up to last evening there had been fifteen conversions and fourteen baptisms. The house is now filled every evening, and the interest good. Mr. McHatton is a young man of much zeal and energy in his calling, and seldom fails to interest and instruct an audience. He is especially successful in winning young men to the cause he advocates.

The Woodland *Mail* says that last Monday afternoon Dr. L. B. Holmes and R. S. Spaulding, of that place, went down into the tules to hunt ducks. They placed their decoys in one of the pools and lay in wait for the expected game. While they were waiting a large number of carp came swimming by and they turned their attention to them, shooting and securing no less than thirteen large fine ones, some of them weighing as high as six pounds each.

There have been no new developments in the matter of J. W. McCarthy and the Supreme Court clerkship. Clerk Spencer is in possession, and will not vacate unless the Courts decide against him. McCarthy claims to be the bona fide Clerk, having been elected by the people, and not having been, he declares, deposed by due process of law. It is expected that he will be arraigned in San Francisco next Saturday to plead to the indictment charging him with embezzlement.

D. S. Jackson, residing on G street, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth, had about fifty chickens in his coop a few months ago, but thieves raided the premises at different times, and stole all of the fowls except thirteen. Last Tuesday night the rascals made a final visit, taking all of the chickens that remained, and thus relieving Mr. Jackson of a great deal of anxiety on their account. The same night the chicken-house at the County Hospital was robbed of a number of its feathered occupants.

Police Court.

In the Police Court yesterday Henry A. Caulfield was tried by jury on two charges of disturbing the peace of Jacob Bowman, and was acquitted.....The case of Ah Dayuck, for obtaining money by false pretenses, was further continued until 1 P. M. to-day.....Jack Robinson's case of battery was dismissed at the request of the prosecuting witness, against whom the costs were taxed.....The charge of felony embezzlement preferred against Joe Churchill, in stealing a wagon belonging to R. Woods, was tried and continued for argument until to-day.....Hook Sing, convicted of misdemeanor in obstructing the sidewalk on I street, was fined $5, or five days.....G. W. Baker, who had been tried on the previous day on two charges of battery, the argument being postponed until yesterday, was discharged.....George Hayes, previously convicted of an indecent exposure of person, was fined $180, or six months in the county jail.....James Devine pleaded guilty of disturbing the peace, and was fined $10, or ten days.....John Collins, also accused of disturbing the peace, was discharged..... W. P. Hawkins pleaded guilty of having been drunk, and was fined $5, or five days. .....The cases of A. Berard and George O. Bates, for misdemeanor in allowing soapsuds to run over a lot back of their laundry at Twelfth and D streets, were continued until March 3d, the defendants undertaking to have by that time a proper drain and cesspool constructed for the disposal of the water from the laundry.

The Central Committees.

The City Trustees having called an election for certain city officers, to be held a week from next Tuesday, inquiry was being made yesterday as to when the primaries and conventions would be held. The two City Central Committees have been looking at each other and humming, "I'm waiting, my darling, for thee," but the Democrats seem to be able to do their waiting more easily than the Republicans, as there is not as much competition for nomination in the Democratic ranks, and the Republicans will probably have to make the first move. A meeting of their committee will be held to-morrow evening. The "Unterrified" may be expected to commence operations immediately afterwards.

"BEWARE OF THE FRAUD."—A man representing himself a special agent sent out from the East by the Wheeler & Wilson Manufacturing Company to repair their machines on this Coast, is a fraud, and people should have nothing to do with him. Those having W. & W. machines that need attention can leave word at the office, 527 J street, and they will have prompt attention, and the Company is then responsible for work done. Wheeler & Wilson Manufacturing Co., J. Donner, Manager. Sacramento, February 24, 1886. *

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Mrs. N. M. Fay is visiting friends at the Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Palmer have returned from San Francisco.

Governor Stoneman returned from San Francisco yesterday.

Dr. H. L. Nichols returned yesterday from a visit to Chico.

Bishop Monogue came down from Marysville yesterday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Whitney, of Rocklin, were in the city yesterday.

L. D. Stephens, of Woodland, returned from Sacramento yesterday.

Mrs. F. L. Southack and family, of San Francisco, are visiting Sacramento.

A. E. Taylor, Chas. Taylor and Charles Turrell, of Brighton, have gone to Ashton, Dakota.

Mrs. D. Jerrett, of Georgetown, El Dorado county, is paying a visit to her daughter in San Bernardino.

Byron McCreary, N. D. Goodell, Senator F. Cox and Robert Forbes went to San Francisco yesterday afternoon.

R. M. Clarken returned yesterday from Galt, where he was one of the speakers at a large anti-Chinese meeting on the previous evening.

General W. H. Brown, of Placerville; Hon. E. A. Davis, of Marysville, and Hon. A. Walrath, of Nevada City, came up from San Francisco yesterday noon.

A. N. Towne, General Manager of the Southern Pacific Company, and party, including Mrs. J. B. Wright, of this city, will arrive from the East by this morning's train.

In the city yesterday: Daniel McNeil, Thos. Whyte, San Francisco; Jas. Nightingale, J. G. Davis, J. Miser, Michigan Bar; John H. Ward, Elk Grove; P. R. Beckley, S. W. Marks, Franklin.

Major J. W. B. Montgomery, of Cana, Butte county; R. C. Goodspeed, Superintendent of the Batt ranch, Durham; and Major A. F. Jones, Oroville, passed through to San Francisco yesterday.

Miss Olive Ray, of this city (daughter of J. R. Ray), and J. E. Moore, of Live Oak, Sutter county, were married in San Francisco last Saturday, and yesterday went up to their future residence at Live Oak.

James B. Lawson and Miss Francisca V. Dinzler, of Woodland, young people well known in that place and vicinity, were married at the Golden Eagle Hotel in this city, by Rev. E. B. Ware, yesterday afternoon.

Captain I. Polhemus, Superintendent of the Colorado Steam Navigation Company's boats, who has been spending a few days in San Francisco, came up to Sacramento yesterday noon, and left by the evening train on his return to Yuma.

Arrivals at the Capital Hotel yesterday: J. M. Stephenson, Franklin; Miss M. Crist, Cosumnes; W. H. Myers, Folsom; W. C. Sheldon, Cosumnes; William Hood, J. W. B. Montgomery, Miss Montgomery, Chico; L. Mativia, Wheatland; Mrs. Spencer, Chico; J. F. Welch, F. A. Hyde, San Francisco; J. Littlefield, Woodland; J. B. Gilbert and wife, city.

Arrivals at the State House Hotel yesterday: J. S. Manner, G. W. Spence, Sheridan; George Kelly, Sheldon; Miss Mary Belcher, Miss Allie Belcher, Cosumnes; Mrs. Shepply, city; W. Woodward, Carson Creek; Fernando Crothers, Ben Bailey and wife, Michigan Bar; Mr. Ener, White Rock; John Pierson, Cosumnes; A. J. Peck, Courtland; Geo. Harlow, Santa Cruz.

Arrivals at the Golden Eagle Hotel yesterday: F. H. Breyfogle, San Francisco; Alfred Smith, London, Eng.; A. T. Ogilvy, Toronto, Canada; E. A. Hubbard, W. A. Vandercook, San Francisco; E. A. Davis, Marysville; S. H. Kohn and wife, H. Franklin, San Francisco; G. N. Folsom, Carson, Nev.; W. H. Brown, San Francisco; J. B. Lawson and wife, Woodland; Allen C. Reid, Colonel A. Andrews, W. G. Winn, San Francisco; C. A. Foster, New York; F. B. Woodruff, Chicago; Mrs. G. H. Hunt, San Francisco.

A well-conceived, successfully executed and most enjoyable surprise was given to Mrs. George B. Katzenstein at the family residence, by neighbors and friends, on Monday evening last. The occasion was made commemorative of the anniversary of her birth, it being remembered that the estimable lady and the Father of our Country were born "on the same day"—February 22d. The company came fully prepared to take entire possession of the household and spread their own tables, which was done in a bountiful and elegant manner. Fun, frolic and an impromptu musicale prevailed, and so entertaining was the occasion that it was not until the "wee sma hours of morn" that the company separated amid mutual congratulations. Among those present were Judge and Mrs. S. C. Denson, Colonel and Mrs. J. W. Guthrie, Major and Mrs. E. H. McKee, Major and Mrs. W. M. McLaughlin, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Alsip, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dwinell, Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Wolfe, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Fitzgerald, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Tryon, Mr. and Mrs. G. Melander, Mr. and Mrs. S. Katzenstein, Mrs. May McKee, Mrs. L. Dolan, Mrs. M. Moore, L. Eugene Vandercook, Miss C. Galligan, Miss C. E. Sanborn.

The Writ Ordered to Issue.

Judge McFarland yesterday afternoon rendered his decision in the matter of the application of the Funded Debt Commissioners of the city of Sacramento for a writ of mandate to compel the Board of City Trustees to levy a tax of 10 cents on each $100 of the taxable property for the funded debt sinking and interest fund, which was argued before him on Tuesday and taken under advisement. He held that the Act under which the Commission was created, and the authority to request such an assessment given, was constitutional, and, the proceedings having been in accordance with it, he ordered that the writ issue as prayed for. As the assessment roll aggregates this year $11,089,850, the 10 cent levy will raise for the sinking fund something over $11,000, which, with the amount the Commission will have on hand, will make a good-sized fund to operate with. It brings the city tax up to a healthy figure, however—$2 20 on each $100.

Merchandise Report.

The following freight passed Ogden February 21st:

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SUPERIOR COURT.

Department One—Van Fleet, Judge.

WEDNESDAY, February 24, 1886.

People vs. M. Zeller, murder—Continued until 9 A. M. to-morrow.

Matter of Chenoweth & Wilkins, insolvents—Transferred to Department Two.

Estate of M. Esquival, deceased—Continued one week.

Department Two—McFarland, Judge.

WEDNESDAY, February 24, 1886.

Estate of Chenoweth & Wilkins, insolvents—A. L. Bragg elected assignee on filing bond in the sum of $500.

Emma Allen vs. John F. Allen—Default of defendant entered. Cause referred to James P. Brown, of San Francisco, to take the testimony of Mrs. Belle Allen in that place.

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San Francisco, February 20—By Rev. H. B. Heacock, Dr. J. E. Moore, of Live Oak, Sutter county, to Olive Ray, formerly of Sacramento.

BORN.

Winters, February 20—Wife of G. W. Andrews, a son.

Grass Valley, February 22—Wife of A. M. Stokes, a son.

Oroville, February 21—Wife of J. H. Johnson, a son.

Grass Valley, February 21—Wife of Enoch Holland, a daughter.

Alturas, Modoc county, February 10—Wife of James Powers, a daughter.

DIED.

New York City, February 13, 1886—Elijah Weston (suddenly of paralysis), a resident of Buffalo, N. Y. *

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