DAILY RECORD-UNION

FRIDAY.....JANUARY 21, 1887

ADVERTISEMENT MENTION.

Clunie Opera House—Howard Comedy Company.
"The Milkmaid's Convention," Friday evening.
Sacramento Lodge, F. and A. M.
Sacramento Parlor, N. S. G. W.
Bobby Burns' Anniversary, January 24th.
Occidental Encampment, I. O. O. F.
Pacific Encampment—Funeral notice.
Sacramento Lodge, I. O. O. F.—Funeral notice.
Veteran Odd Fellows—Funeral notice.
Capitol Lodge, I. O. O. F.

Auction.

Sale of Winters' thoroughbreds, January 29th.

Business Advertisements.

Notice to creditors—Arnell estate.
C. W. Baker—Attorney at law.
Fine bottom land for rent.
Warner's Safe Cure.
Sacramento Bank—Annual statement.
Sacramento Savings Bank—Annual statement.
Red House-Semi-annual clearance sale.
Weinstock & Lubin—Valuable goods.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Drowned in the Sacramento.

Andrew Peterson, a native of Sweden, aged about 21 years, fell from a boat into the Sacramento river, about 8 A. M. yesterday, at Jacobs' Landing, opposite the Twin Houses, 15 miles from this city, and was drowned. His body was recovered a few hours later, and an inquest held last evening. William Jacobs, in his testimony before the Coroner's jury, said: "Deceased was working for me on the farm, and I was present when the accident occurred. About 8 o'clock this morning we started with a small ferryboat load of cattle from the east bank to the west. When the accident occurred we were opposite the landing, some sixty or eighty feet from shore. We had on board sixteen head of cattle and four men, viz: Ed. Carberry, William Anderson, myself and the deceased. The cattle were apparently all right, but the bar at the bow end broke, and that up-ended the boat. When the bow broke my back was to deceased and William Anderson. Ed. Carberry called out to deceased to catch one of the animals by the horns, and he did so, and he had hold of the cow's horns when I saw him last, some fifteen feet from the shore. I fell off, and Ed. Carberry helped me back in the boat. I did not see deceased when he was drowned, as I thought he was all right, and was watching William Anderson. The boat is 10 feet wide, from 24 to 30 feet in length, with a high railing on the sides and bars on the ends, and was built expressly for ferrying purposes. After we got to the shore and changed our clothing we returned and found the remains after some two hours search, about forty feet from shore. The boat is worked with oars."

The jury rendered a verdict of accidental drowning in accordance with the above facts.

Sons of St. George.

A meeting of Englishmen was held last night at Pioneer Hall, Seventh street, to organize a Lodge in this city of this prosperous beneficial Order. It was well attended. This Order, for which Englishmen, their sons or grandsons only are eligible, was organized in the State of Pennsylvania in 1871, since which time it has attained a membership of 25,000, and there are over 250 subordinate Lodges in the different States of the Union. It was organized on this coast by Deputy Williams one year ago, and there are now two Lodges in San Francisco, one in Oakland and one in Los Angeles, with an aggregate membership of 650, and increasing very rapidly.

The Order does not concern itself with religion or politics, nor is there in its elements anything antagonistic to the country of its adoption, or likely to lead to ill-feeling or jealousy. It seeks the unification of Englishmen in this country for good and wholesome purposes, conducive alike to the benefit of its members and the general welfare of the State. After some preliminary business was transacted it was resolved to meet again, in the same hall, Sunday afternoon at half-past 2, for permanent organization.

Apron and Necktie Social.

The ladies of the Olive Branch Ladies' Society gave an apron and necktie social at Turner Hall last evening, which was largely attended and very enjoyable. In the grand march each lady was presented with an apron and each gentleman a necktie. At the conclusion of the march the gentleman had to hunt up the lady whose apron corresponded with his necktie, and she was his partner for the first dance. This produced much merriment, and the fancy-colored and fancifully-cut aprons worn by the ladies gave the assemblage the appearance of a milkmaids' soiree. The dresses were plain, high-necked, and long sleeves. There was a total absence of low-cut and armless dresses, and in this respect much more sensible and more in keeping with hygienic laws than the more aristocratic but absurd and foolish costumes worn at the inaugural ball this week. The young men were neatly attired in business suits, steel-pen coats were prohibited, the cutaway and sack coat being the only ones admissible. Good music, plain dances, and a jolly good time was the consequence. The floor managers were O. P. Dodge and J. Lafferty. Reception Committees—Mrs. E. Morehouse, Mrs. Dr. Magill, Mrs. Knox, Mrs. C. A. Gill, and Mrs. L. E. Mead.

The Burns Anniversary.

The 128th anniversary of the birth of Scotland's favorite poet will be celebrated by the Caledonian Club at Armory Hall next Monday evening with a grand promenade concert and ball, which the Caledonians intend to make superior to anything of the kind they have yet invited the public to attend. The following ladies and gentlemen will take part in the musical and literary exercises: Mrs. Addie Carter, Mrs. Jas. Sealder, Mrs. Percy Ross, Mrs. Samuel Katzenstein, Mrs. R. H. Auerbach, Miss Gertie Gerrish, Miss Gertie Jones, J. S. Graham, and Master Charles Heisen. Included in the programme of the evening will be Scotch reels by the lads and lassies, and a Highland fling by the two little pets of the club. Jones, Fisch & Watson will furnish music for the occasion.

HOWARD STAR SPECIALTY COMPANY.—This organization, which visited Sacramento a few weeks ago, and was unanimously voted to be one of the best variety companies ever formed, will return to the city to-day, and this and to-morrow evenings, and at a matinee on Saturday, will give entertainments at the Clunie Opera House. The company will introduce new acts, songs, etc., and consequently the programmes will be fresh even to those who attended during the previous engagement; while those who have not seen any of their entertainments will do well not to miss this opportunity, as every member of the company is competent to give an audience pleasure and amusement, and earnestly strives to do so; and some of the performers are really artists in their respective lines.

CLEARANCE SALE.—That winter will soon be over is evidenced by the fact that the large dealers in dry goods, clothing, etc., are preparing to dispose of their cold weather goods at low figures, in order to make room for articles suitable for the spring and summer. The Red House was closed yesterday afternoon to give the clerks an opportunity to place in order the great quantity of fall and winter goods, marked down for the twenty-third semi-annual clearance sale at that establishment, which sale is to commence at 8:30 o'clock this morning, and continue until the articles are disposed of.

EMMA ABBOTT's season here promises to be a successful and profitable one. Although the sale is large there are still a number of desirable seats to be had. *

THE public are still judging which are the best pianos. Proof: Ten Mathusheks sold to one of any other make. See the new style "H" at Cooper's Music Store. *

DRY GOODS, clothing, boots, shoes, hats and millinery in large variety in our commencement of our twenty-third semi-annual sale to-day. Red House. *

SATURDAY morning, dress goods, 3 cents; cheaper than calico, at Clunie & Kiley's. *

DAMASK table linen worth 50, for 25 cents, at Clunie & Kiley's. *

"MATHUSHEK" PIANOS are the best on every point. John F. Cooper, agent. *

BUY a tract in the Citrus Colony; it is going like hot cakes. Alsip & Co., agents.*

IN our sale goods are piled to the ceiling. See for yourselves at Red House. *

THE PLAZA MURDER.

Trial of Josephine Wiezel for the Killing of Jacob Klein Last June.

The taking of testimony in the case of the People vs. Josephine Wiezel, charged with murder, was begun in the Superior Court yesterday before Judge Wilson, of San Francisco. It will be remembered that the crime for which the defendant is on trial was the shooting of Jacob Klein, a musician, in the public plaza in this city on the 27th of June last. The deceased had shown considerable attention to the defendant, and the latter alleged that while in his company one night in February last, in a secluded place, Klein by force accomplished her ruin; that she had repeatedly besought him to marry her, and that he had persistently refused to do so. On the night referred to—June 27, 1886—the defendant went to the plaza, where Klein was engaged, as a member of one of the local bands, in giving a concert, and as he was about leaving the plaza she stepped up behind him and shot him in the back of the head, death resulting almost instantly. Information for murder was lodged against Miss Wiezel, and the case was finally set for hearing this week. The jury was secured on Wednesday, and—as before stated—the taking of testimony was commenced yesterday.

Long before the hour for opening the Court every seat and possible bit of standing room was occupied by spectators, many of whom were intimate friends or relatives of the accused, while the great proportion were attracted thither by mere curiosity. Among the spectators were many ladies and young girls. The defendant appeared in Court with her infant, born in November last, accompanied by her parents and numerous brothers and sisters. She sat by her attorney, Grove L. Johnson, most of the time absorbed in the duty of attending to the wants of her infantile charge. The demeanor of the defendant was calm, yet most of the time tears were slowly trickling down her pale cheeks.

The prosecution was conducted by District Attorney Bruner, assisted by Charles T. Jones. After a few preliminary motions regarding the placing of witnesses under the rule, etc., both sides announced their readiness, and the prosecution called as its first witness Dr. G. A. White, Superintendent of the County Hospital, who testified to having held the post-mortem examination on the body of Jacob C. Klein on the 28th of June. A gunshot wound was found on the back of the head, the nature and necessarily fatal effects of which were explained. The bullet inflicting the wound was produced and identified by witness. [There was no cross-examination.]

Coroner J. Frank Clark was the next witness. He testified to the circumstances connected with the post-mortem examination. [No cross-examination.]

Henry Eckhardt, a gunsmith, testified to the defendant having visited his place of business in May last to purchase a pistol, saying that she desired to make a present of it to her brother. Under these circumstances witness sold her the weapon, and at her request loaded it. The next time witness saw her was on the evening of the shooting, when she came to exchange the weapon (which was nickel-plated) for one of darker metal. The reason given for the desired exchange was that she wanted a weapon that would not "show so much." The pistol, with one cartridge exploded, was here offered in evidence. [No cross-examination.]

Martin Wetzel testified that on the evening of the shooting he was standing near the southwest corner of the Plaza, while a concert was progressing in the inclosure. He heard the report of a pistol, saw something fall and saw a lady near by. Witness said to the crowd, "That's the lady that did it," and the lady said, "Yes, I did it," and asked him if he would accompany her to her home, which he consented to do. Witness did not see the shot fired, his attention being first attracted by the report.

On cross-examination the witness was asked what else the defendant said. He replied that on the way homeward the defendant frequently made the remark: "He wanted to disgrace me." Witness asked the lady who was the man whom she shot, and she told him it was Klein, the shoemaker. She said the deceased refused to marry her, and wanted to disgrace her and her family, and let the public know what she was. She acted in a rational manner, apparently. Witness here repeated portions of his testimony given at the time of the examination.

On re-direct examination witness said that at defendant's home, and after the Chief of Police arrived, she remarked to the latter: "I told you I would do it." Witness did not see any weapon in the possession of defendant. On the way home the defendant acted strangely.

Charles A. Neale, leader of the First Artillery band, of which the deceased, Klein, was a member, testified to the fact of deceased having been engaged, with the other members of the band on the evening of the shooting, in playing at the concert in the plaza. Deceased left the concert about twenty minutes before the close, to fill an engagement elsewhere. Next saw him lying on the floor in Goging's drug store. Have known the defendant two or three years, but have heard her make no statement concerning the affair since the shooting. [No cross-examination.]

R. E. Gogings, a druggist, whose place of business is near the scene of the shooting, testified to the circumstances connected with the removal of deceased to his store directly after the occurrence. He heard the shot and saw the flash, but could not see who did the shooting. [No cross-examination.]

The prosecution here asked for a recess of ten minutes, stating that probably their side of the case might be shortened if allowed an opportunity for the attorneys to consult. The Court thereupon ordered a recess of ten minutes.

On reassembling, Conrad C. Klein, the father of deceased, was called to the witness stand. He testified to being in the Plaza on the night of the concert, but did not see his son when he left the stand. He heard the pistol shot, and noticing that his son was gone from the stand, feared that he was shot. He hastened to the scene of the shooting, and found his son lying on the ground, dead.

District Attorney Bruner, at this juncture, stated to the Court that the prosecution rested its case.

Mr. Johnson asked for an adjournment until after the noon hour before making his opening statement, which request the Court granted, and an adjournment was taken until 1:30 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

On the reassembling of the Court, Mr. Johnson began his opening statement for the defense, and occupied about forty minutes. He expressed some surprise at the abrupt manner in which the prosecution had closed its case. While not permitted at that time to criticise the testimony then introduced, still he would take it upon himself to say that he believed the defense might safely submit the case on the weak testimony offered by the prosecution. He then proceeded to define the theory of the defense, first calling attention to the law defining the crime of murder. The defense would accept the issue laid down by the learned District Attorney—namely, that of deliberate, willful murder, such as is punishable by hanging. The law wisely provides that before guilt of this kind can be established there must be intent established—intent proceeding from a person of sound mind and discretion governing that intent. In every crime there must be a union of intent and action. Upon this point hinged the keynote of both the prosecution and the defense in this case. Once the law was that the act, without the intent, was all that was necessary to be proven. Once the law was that even insanity was no defense against the commission of crime; but all this has been changed in later days, and the spirit and intent of the person accused have been made important factors in the determination of crime. No longer are insane persons punished for crime, nor treated as wild animals that should be put to death because of their possibly dangerous infirmity. Counsel then proceeded to analyze the different species of insanity, from monomania to acute mania, arguing to the effect that some minds are more easily influenced by the milder phases of mania than others. Each particular victim should be judged according to his or her peculiarities or susceptibilities, independent of others. The law recognizes as a defense against punishment not only insanity itself, but that condition of mental aberration embraced in the provision, "or affected by insanity." One might commit an unlawful act while in a condition of mind that robbed him of that forethought which told him he was committing a crime, and yet should not be punished for that act. Counsel then drew comparisons between the mental structures of man and woman, claiming that the latter—owing to her peculiar sensitive organization—is more susceptible than man to mental infirmities, particularly during the period of pregnancy. The defense would show that the poor, broken-hearted girl here accused of murder was, prior to her association with the deceased, a happy, virtuous girl, the delight and joy of her family. It would be shown by members of her family how happy she was in her home before her unfortunate relations with the deceased; how the promise of marriage had followed their courtship, even to the giving of the conventional wedding-ring. Evidence would also be introduced to prove the heartlessness of her betrayer, even his bold threats to "get even with her" for wishing to break off their engagement. Counsel proceeded at length to depict the changes that came over defendant after realizing that she had been grossly betrayed—how, from a happy, joyous girl, she had become a melancholy, heart-broken creature. It would be shown how she had appealed to Judge Henry to use his influence with her betrayer to try and induce him to fulfill his promise and save her and her infant from disgrace. It would be shown how she went on bended knees to Klein and begged him to marry her, promising to release him from all further obligations to her and her offspring if he would do this one act of justice. It would be shown how this appeal was met by her betrayer with the brutal declaration that he would "kick her in the belly" should she ever again have the audacity to accost him on the street. Counsel depicted the wild and maniacal appearance of the accused during these occurrences, all tending to show that her wrongs had unsettled her mind. Testimony would be introduced by medical experts to show that the poor girl was—at the time the alleged crime was committed—wholly irresponsible for the result of her act; that her mind had fallen from its throne, dragged down by the weight of the wrongs heaped upon her. The jury would be asked to acquit her, and permit the poor, outraged creature to take up her burden of life anew—a sorrowful and heavy one at best—and to provide for her sinless and fatherless babe.

At times counsel's remarks were quite impassioned, and as he depicted the alleged wrongs inflicted upon his client scores of eyes were moistened with tears, while frequent sobs were heard coming from the groups of ladies present.

The first witness called by the defense was the mother of the defendant, Mrs. Caroline Wiezel. She testified that her daughter was 21 years of age; she had always lived at home, and was always a cheerful girl; was fond of society, and industrious; was neat and tidy in her appearance, prior to the trouble with Klein; she slept well, and was of contented mind; she came home one night in February last very much excited and crying; witness asked her what was the matter, and she replied, "Jake Klein treated me shamefully;" witness then explained the cause of the bruises found upon her limbs and the torn condition of her clothing; she was not at all like her former self from that time forth; she would rise in the night and walk the floor; she became of little use about the house; would rarely reply when spoken to, and acted in an absent-minded manner; she could not be trusted to watch things cooking; frequently she would say, "Oh, mother, don't speak to me—don't ask me to do anything, I am so worried!" She became careless and indifferent about her dress, and seldom went out unless obliged to; she said that people would stop and look at her, pass remarks upon her, and laugh at her; when she came home the day before the shooting witness noticed that she had little or no clothing on her person under her dress, and when spoken to about it, she declared that she hardly knew what she did; sometimes she would come down stairs with her shoes on, but no stockings; when remonstrated with she always asked not to be worried—to be let alone.

Cross-examined by Mr. Jones—Have thirteen children; the accused had been acquainted with Klein about a year; before her trouble with Klein she frequently went to dancing parties; she had kept company with Klein for the last few months preceding her first trouble with him. [Witness again described the condition of her daughter on the night in February after the alleged outrage committed upon her by Klein.] She did not question the girl about the affair; the latter, however, stated that Klein had forcibly outraged her in the yard of the Grammar school; Louis Kuchler also told witness that he had detected Klein in the act; that night witness went to Klein's house; she told young Klein that he had ruined her girl, and she wanted him to go home with her and marry his victim; Klein said he had no money with which to procure a license, and could not support a wife if he were married; witness said she offered to get a license and to give them a start in life if he would marry the girl; could not remember that Klein gave a different version of the affair, or that he said he had been solicited by her daughter to go to the school-yard. never knew nor heard of the girl having ever before been compromised; she did not go away and stay a week, on a prior occasion, without witness' knowledge; don't think she kept company with Klein after the occurrence in February; never knew of her having a pistol, and never heard her threaten to kill Klein; the first time her daughter went to see Judge Henry she had nothing on but her underclothing and a thin dress—no skirts whatever.

On redirect examination witness related how Klein came to the house and told her that the girl had given him back his ring, and that he would get even with her; this was in the summer prior to the outrage.

John H. Miller, a RECORD-UNION reporter, was next called. Witness said that in the discharge of his duties he frequently had opportunities to observe the manners and peculiarities of persons charged with crimes. Saw the defendant on the night that Klein was shot; she was in the office of the Chief of Police, in the presence of a number of persons; she was not excited, and did not seem to realize the position she was in; she talked lightly and flippantly about trivial matters; her eyes had an unnatural expression; the impression made upon witness was that she had no realization of the gravity and responsibility of her act.

On cross-examination witness identified a printed copy of the report prepared by him on the night of the shooting, relating to the interview with the accused in the office of the Chief of Police. As counsel for the prosecution read portions of the article they were identified and corroborated by witness. On the following day witness also saw the accused, but remarked no particular change in her conduct.

Re-direct—Her coolness and calmness was such, at the interview referred to, as to paralyze even the newspaper reporters.

Miss Minnie Wiezel, a sister of the defendant, was the next witness. She said she was 14 years old. In February of last year she roomed with and occupied the bed of the defendant. Witness described the condition of her sister's clothing on her return home on the night of the occurrence in the school-ground, and also the change in her manner and conduct subsequent to that time. In this respect the witness substantially corroborated the testimony given by her mother. Her sister was less cheerful, would walk the floor at night, and was generally restless and unhappy.

On cross-examination, witness said that her sister's birthday was in the latter part of February, and that the occurrence in the school-grounds was prior to that event. On the night of the defendant's trouble with Klein, witness saw blood on one of her earrings after her return. Witness could not remember of her sister going to a masquerade ball in March, shortly after the affair with Klein.

Albert Wiezel, brother of the defendant, was next called. He was questioned by Mr. Johnson relative to his sister's conduct and manners prior to February, 1886, and of the changes noted after that date, which witness answered in substantially the same language as given by his mother and younger sister when on the stand. The occurrence in the school-yard witness knew occurred in February, because he had the same evening been down town to purchase valentines to be mailed on Valentine's Day.

The cross-examination elicited nothing material from this witness, except that he entertained a hostile feeling for Klein after the latter's alleged assault upon his sister. He did not see his sister on the night of the shooting until after her return to the house.

At 5 o'clock the Court adjourned until 10 o'clock this morning.

IN our clearance sale we do not select three or four lines of goods and mark them down to a mere nominal figure as a bait. Being overstocked with fall and winter goods which we do not want to carry, we have cut right and left in every department, our reductions showing a fall off of 40 to 60 per cent. in prices, and on all our staple and regular goods we deduct 10 per cent., which is about actual cost for these goods. Red House. *

WE want everybody to know that in our clearance sale we are slaughtering men's furnishing goods: 150 shirts, for 75 cents; 50-cent underwear, for 33 cents; 100 gloves, for 55 cents; all-wool overshirts, for 95 cents; knit wool pulse-warmers, 1 cent per pair. Red House. *

1887.—The year has turned, so we have turned down the prices. Winter millinery and dry goods lower than ever; clearing out for spring stock. If you want the goods here are bargains. Bargains! Bargains! Clearance sale. Red House. *

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Judge Armstrong will hear Judge Van Fleet's law calendar to-day.

The Sacramento river at dusk last evening had risen to the 11-foot mark.

The cases of Sexton, Marsh and French, under indictment for burglary, were yesterday continued until the 27th.

The Treasurer of Alameda county yesterday settled with the Controller and paid into the State Treasury $278,279 19.

Deputy Sheriff Christy will take Lee Ah Lee to the Folsom Prison this morning, to serve his term of seven years for burglary.

The highest and lowest Signal Service temperature yesterday was 56° and 46°, with southerly winds and cloudy, threatening weather.

The case of Oscar Blodgett, charged with petit larceny, in stealing turkeys, was yesterday, in Justice Post's Court, further continued until February 1st.

Sheriff Drew has appointed W. E. Hickey and E. Christy as Deputy Sheriffs, the latter for duty at Folsom, and the former for duty as a railroad detective.

Weather on "the hill" was cloudy and threatening yesterday, and in the upper portion of the California and Oregon Railroad rain was falling freely nearly all day.

The steamer Dover cleared yesterday morning for the upper Sacramento with merchandise and lumber, and the San Joaquin, No. 4, for San Francisco, with grain.

The recent storm has brought large numbers of wild ducks to this vicinity, and canvas-backs are more numerous than they have been at any previous time during the winter.

In Department One of the Superior Court yesterday, Edward F. Ashworth, a native of England, was admitted to citizenship on the testimony of Q. N. Kerlin and John Wade.

The burlesque called "The Milkmaids' Convention," to be given this evening by twenty young ladies of the Congregational Society in their church parlors, promises to be a most amusing affair.

In our advertising columns this morning is published a statement of the condition of the Sacramento Bank and of the Sacramento Savings Banks, at the commencement of business January 1, 1887.

These arrests were made yesterday: John Higgins, by officer Ferrall, for being drunk; John Fritsch, by officer Sullivan, for malicious mischief; John Christ, by officers Ferrall and Cafferty, for being drunk.

Another landslide near Castle Creek, on the California and Oregon Railroad, delayed the passenger train to such an extent that it was about four hours behind time in its arrival here from Edgewood, last evening.

Dick Gorman, an employe at the State book-bindery, had his hand caught in a stamping-machine while at work yesterday, and his fingers were crushed so severely that he will be unable to resume work for several weeks.

Governor Bartlett yesterday appointed Notaries Public as follows: John Clydesdale, Rocklin; J. M. Gregory, Dixon; Wm. White, Coloma; Martin Marx, Ætna, Siskiyou county; F. Breitenbach, Sonoma; Charles E. Street, Sonora.

The funeral of the late R. C. Montgomery will take place from Odd Fellows' Temple at 2 P. M. to-day, under the auspices of Sacramento Lodge, No. 2, I. O. O. F., and the Veteran Odd Fellows' Association, of which organizations he had been a member.

During this week there has been an average of fully 100 carloads of time goods per day brought through from the East over the Central Pacific route, and one day there were over 140 carloads. This is unusual business for this period of the year, and equaling the average summer traffic.

Officers Ferral and Cafferty arrested last evening an individual of gigantic proportions who was very "full." He gave his name as John Christ, said he was born in Kentucky, raised in Missouri, lived in Sacramento in early days, but went back East in 1852, was 69 years of age, and "a roarer from ——!"

A Mrs. McDonough appeared at the station-house yesterday to procure a warrant for the arrest of Larry Benedicta for battery, alleging that he beat her so severely last Thursday, on the side of the face and head, and also on the arm and body, that she had been unable to leave the house to make complaint sooner.

D. D. Grand Master Geo. Kromer has installed the following officers of Germania Rebekah Lodge, No. 31, I. O. O. F., for the ensuing term: Margaret Specht, N. G.; Freadereka Ochsner, V. G.; Lizzie Kromer, R. S.; Luella Ochsner, F. S.; Catharine Trisb, Treas.; Augusta Hirsh, W.; Rebecka Marks, C.; Lena Schonbachler, I. G.; William Kupper, O. G.; Philipena Schmidt, Chaplain; Charlie Schwart, R. S. N. G.; Johanna Asber, L. S. N. G.; Louise Steinmetz, R. S. V. G.; Laura Lerk, L. S. V. G.

Auction Sale of Thoroughbreds.

Killip & Co. will sell at 1 P. M. Saturday, the 20th inst., at Shear's stables, opposite the main entrance of Agricultural Park, by order of Theodore Winters, all the Rancho del Rio stallions and brood mares, including Norfolk, Hooker and Duke of Norfolk, Marion, Ballinette, May B. (sister to Lottery), Irene Harding, Flora, Mollie McGurn, Addie O'Neal, Kitten, Bay Kate, Rosetland, Abbie W., Rosa B., Chestnut Belle, Laura Winston, Alice N., Atalanta, Countess Zieka, Mattie Glenn, Big Gun, Illusion, Callie Smart, Norfolk-Addie C. filly, Puss, Rosette, Farralone, Lou Spencer, Nellie Collier, Question, Miss Courtney and others. Catalogues are now ready.

HELD TO ANSWER.—The examination of Henry Kerkendall and Wm. Gibbett, in the Court of Justice Raymond, in Cosumnes township, on Wednesday, resulted in their being held to answer before the Superior Court, their bail being fixed at $1,000 each. The larceny consisted in appropriating a gray mare belonging to M. E. Carbine, and a roan, the property of N. B. Gill, residing on the Cosumnes. These animals were taken to Gibbett's place, near Jackson, and kept in a barn several days before their owners found them. The defendants claimed that they took the horses by mistake. Deputy District Attorney Brown appeared for the people at the examination of the case, and J. A. Egan, of Jackson, for the defense.

POLICE COURT.—In the Police Court yesterday, Joe Morgan, arrested for vagrancy, was discharged.....So also were James Quigley and W. J. Eldridge, charged with having been drunk.....Pat Hussey's case of disturbing the peace went over until this morning.....The cases of Thomas Gray, for battering S. F. Smith, and of Smith, for disturbing Gray's peace, were dismissed on payment of costs, the parties having settled their little disagreement.....The case of Lillie Wilson, for grand larceny, was continued until to-day's session.

WILD WHISKY.—The notorious Jack Courtney, this morning about half-past 12, while crazy drunk, broke in the door of the house of Mrs. Hughes, in the alley, Third and Fourth, L and M streets. He then broke the woman's trunk, and scattered the contents over the house. The woman went for assistance, and officers Ferrall, Yeager and local Cafferty came at her call, and managed to pack the fellow off to the lock-up. He was bloody from cuts received in falls, and was plastered over with mud.

AIMEE.—The Aimee company concluded its engagement at the Clunie Opera House last night before a fine audience. Aimee in "Divorcons," as Cyprienne, was quite as near the ideal of that character as can be expected of any living actress. It was an admirable performance.

SATURDAY morning, 12½-cent ginghams for 9 cents, at Clunie & Kiley's. *

SATURDAY morning, buck towels, 9 cents, at Clunie & Kiley's. *

DIED.

Sacramento, January 20—Eddie S., only child of Walter S., and Mollie Jeans, a native of California, 28 years, 5 months and 17 days.

[Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, which will take place from the Christian Chapel, Eighth street, between N and O, to-morrow at 2 o'clock.] *

Sacramento, January 19—R. C. Montgomery, a native of Pennsylvania, 65 years.

[Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, which will take place from Odd Fellows' Temple, Ninth and K streets, this afternoon at 2 o'clock.] *

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

This Morning at 9 o'clock:

Men's Full-finished Half Hose, in medium colors and neat stripes, 12 1-2 cents per pair.

These are desirable goods, and the price is about half regular value.

Furnishing Goods Department.

As to Embroideries.

We have received a large assortment of fine Hamburg Embroideries. All widths and excellent patterns.

The remainder of our last Fall stock of Wool Embroidered Flannels, in red, blue and white, have been reduced fifty per cent. They cannot long last at these prices.

All the latest shapes in Men's Linen Collars, including four styles in the new Turn Point Collars. Also, new shapes in Cuffs.

Ladies' and Misses' Gossamers.

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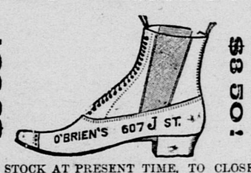

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