DAILY RECORD-UNION

TUESDAY .....FEBRUARY 8, 1887

ADVERTISEMENT MENTION.

Grand concert and ball—Armory Hall.
Occidental Encampment.
Concord Lodge, F. and A. M.
Capital Council, No. 54, U. F. of P.
Naomi Chapter, O. E. S.
Card of thanks.

Business Advertisements.

J. W. Shepherd—Real estate and insurance.
Furnished rooms to let.
Reward—$50.
Horses for sale.
Wanted—A copy of a magazine.
Red House—Our sliding sale.
Ely's Cream Balm.
Notice of street work.
City assessment roll.
Proposals for sewer construction.
Information wanted.
Furnished rooms.
Carpets at Campbell's.
For sale—Good breeding mare.
Weinstock & Lubin—This morning at 9.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Board of Supervisors.

The Board met yesterday, all the members present. Minutes of January 7th read and approved.

A communication from Elwood Bruner, District Attorney, was read, relative to the offer of I. Joseph and D. E. Alexander to commence litigation against foreign insurance companies and collect a delinquent tax from them, which was referred to the District Attorney at the last session of the Board in January, 1887. He requested that the matter be again referred to him for further consideration, and the Board so ordered.

An application of District Attorney Bruner, for leave of absence for thirty days, was granted by unanimous vote.

A communication was received from Samuel J. Pullen, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Placer county, relative to establishing the boundaries of Placer and Sacramento counties, and requesting that the County Surveyors of the two counties act in conjunction in re-establishing said boundaries. Referred to the Committee on Roads and Highways.

A communication from R. T. Devlin, informing the Board that the new Gold Run mine was in operation hydraulically, was read and placed on file.

A communication from the King Iron Bridge and Manufacturing Company, asking an extension of time to March —, 1887, for the completion of the bridge over the Cosumnes river at Michigan Bar, which they are now building under contract with the county, was passed by a unanimous vote.

On motion of Mr. Jackson, the mileage of the country members of the Board was fixed as follows: C. H. Ross, twenty miles, and G. C. McMullen, five miles.

Mr. McMullen offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That 35 per cent. of the aggregate amount of property road tax be, and is hereby, set aside for general county road purposes, to be known as the general road fund.

On motion of Mr. Bates, the Board proceeded to elect a physician for the City Dispensary. Mr. Bates nominated Dr. J. F. Parkinson; Mr. Ross nominated Mrs. M. A. McGill, M. D.; and Mr. Jackson nominated Dr. G. B. Clow. The roll being called, Messrs. Ross, Bates and Tebbets voted for Parkinson, and Messrs. McMullen and Jackson for Clow. Subsequently Mr. Jackson changed his vote from Clow to Parkinson. Dr. Parkinson was declared duly elected for the next two years. Mr. Jackson then gave notice that at 10 A. M. to-day he would move a reconsideration of the vote.

Jud. C. Brusie appeared before the Board and offered to accept the sum of $200 as a compromise for damages alleged to have accrued to the Lambring Bros.' hydraulic claim at Ione, Amador county, in 1886, by reason of being restrained from working said claim. Referred to the Chairman of the Judiciary Committee.

On motion of Mr. Ross, and by unanimous vote, the Chairman of the Committee on Public Buildings was given power to make all needful repairs to the flues in the County Auditor's office.

On motion of Mr. Bates, the following order was adopted: "It appearing to the Board that J. M. Upham, who was, by the order of January 5 1887, appointed as one of the Commissioners to assess the lands in Swamp Land Reclamation District No. 407, is not, and at the time of such appointment was not, a resident of this county; and it appearing that C. P. Hensley is a competent and disinterested person, and is a resident of this county; it is ordered that said C. P. Hensley be and is hereby appointed as one of said Commissioners, in place of said J. D. Upham, to act with the other Commissioners named in said order of January 5, 1887, in making the assessment in said order provided."

The Board met as a Swamp Land Board and allowed the following warrants on Reclamation District No. 407: A. P. Catlin, $1,054 85; San Francisco Tool Co., $352 39; Puget Sound Lumber Co., $50 80; P. H. Gardiner, $74 45; A. T. Allender, $178 89; Sanford Dickey, $54; C. K. Davis, $27 30; J. C. Pierson, $165 07; Chow Kee, $66; Toy Loney, $53 50; Ah Hing, $382; John Lee, $179 50; Ah Song, $50; E. D. Taylor, $5.

On reassembling as a Board of Supervisors, the Overseer of Road District No. 16 presented to the Board a petition of W. E. and James Journey and others, protesting against the closing of a certain road running from the Upper Stockton road to Arno Station.

A communication from Alice M. Valensin, asking that said road be kept open, and stating that a portion of it passed through land owned by her, and the remainder through land in litigation between Guillo Valensin and herself, was also read. Likewise, affidavits of P. B. Germains and Mark Dowzer on the subject.

Judge Beatty appeared before the Board on behalf of Mrs. Valensin, and explained the situation of affairs.

On motion of Mr. Mullen, it was ordered that the Overseer of Road District No. 16 be ordered to remove all obstructions, and prohibit further obstructions from being maintained in the road from the Upper Stockton road to Arno Station, near Hicksville, in Road District No. 16.

The committee to whom was referred the bids for furnishing supplies for the County Hospital for three months, reported in favor of awarding the contract for groceries to L. Dwyer, J. H. Winters and D. Diersen; for beef and mutton to J. Gerber & Bro.; for bread to George E. Kuchler. The report was adopted.

A. Opley, Overseer of Road District No. 14, and Mike Judge, Overseer of Road District No. 2, filed their quarterly reports, which were referred to the Chairman of the Committee on Roads and Bridges.

R. J. Ferguson, Overseer of Road District No. 10, appeared and complained of the encroachment of Mrs. Conner's fence upon a road in that district, near the Brighton levee. It was ordered, after some talk on the subject, that when the Board adjourned at noon to-day it proceed to the locality and ascertain the situation of affairs by personal inspection.

Police Court.

In th ePolice Court yesterday Joseph Tacini was tried for disturbing the peace and discharged.....The case of Mrs. Fisher, charged by Mrs. Mary Ketchum with the embezzlement of $9, was dismissed, on motion of the prosecuting witness.....The cases of John S. Wilkins, for threats against life, and John W. Wilcox and T. B. Mortee, for battery, were dismissed.....Ignatius Nash was convicted of battery on Frank Sanders and fined $10, or ten days..... Michael Brady, for being a common drunkard, was sentenced to thirty days in the County Jail.....The case of Tom Desmond, for petit larceny, in stealing a coat from the store of S. S. Nathan & Co., was continued until this morning, as was also the case of Tom Murphy, charged with disturbing the peace of Lizzie Trapp.....L. G. Gillilend was found guilty of disturbing the peace on K street, between Third and Fourth, and fined $20.

ARRESTS.—The following arrests were made yesterday: William Johnson, by local officer Armstrong, for being drunk; Louis Kavanaugh, by officer Farren, for being drunk; J. J. O'Hare, by citizens Eldred and Steinkoenig, for burglary; Miss Ah Choy, by officers Rider and Yager, for battery; Fred Kampen, by officer McCormack, for battery; James E. English, by officers Farrell and Rider, for being drunk.

MISSES' rubber gossamers, 50 and 75 cents; boys' rubber gossamers, 50 and 98 cents; ladies' do., 85 cents; men's do., $1 and upwards. Red House. *

LADIES' rubber footholds, 20 cents a pair. Ladies' rubbers, 30 cents a pair; misses', 25 cents; children's, 20 cents a pair. Red House. *

CHICKERING & SONS' Pianos are acknowledged to be the best solid iron frame and patent repeating action. L. K. Hammer, sole agent, No. 820 J street. *

Board of City Trustees.

The Board met yesterday, all the members present. Minutes read and approved.

The City Engineer was directed to prepare plans and specifications for the construction of a sewer in the alley between N and O streets, from Twelfth to Thirteenth, and to make an estimate of the cost. Also, that the Street Commissioner advertise for proposals for doing the work.

Bids for constructing a sewer in the alley between K and L, Fifth and Sixth streets, were opened, and that of W. H. Hobby found to be the lowest. He was awarded the contract. The City Engineer was directed to furnish the Board a diagram of the property affected or benefited by the construction of the sewer, and the diagram was approved.

Proposals for supplying fuel for the Water Works for one year were opened, and the contract awarded to the Sacramento and Ione Coal Company, C. Holland, Superintendent, at $10,500. Bond fixed at $5,000.

A petition of property owners in the block between N and O, Fifth and Sixth streets, for the removal of a sewer crossing Sixth street, at the junction of O street, because of its causing drainage water to stand in large quantity in front of their premises, which water found its way into the yards and cellars, was referred to the Street Commissioner.

George E. Bates presented the Board a demand that a sufficient tax be levied to pay his claim in the sum of $16,100 99 for interest on city bond coupons. Placed on file.

S. H. Gerrish, on behalf of the Trustees of the City Library, requested the Board to levy a tax of five cents for Library purposes.

The following communication from the Board of Police Commissioners was read and placed on file:

SACRAMENTO, February 27, 1887.

To the Hon. the Board of City Trustees of the City of Sacramento—GENTLEMEN: We desire to place before your honorable body a few facts and reasons why the police force of this city should be increased, and hope you will give them careful consideration and act upon the matter as early as practicable, believing it to be a question that concerns the welfare of the city and interests of all good, tax-paying citizens of Sacramento.

The present police force consists of eleven men and a Chief of Police, placed and distributed as follows: Two jailers—one day and one night—who relieve each other after a twelve-hour watch; a bailiff to the Court, who reports on duty with four patrolmen at 7 o'clock A. M., to report off duty at 9 o'clock P. M.—a fourteen-hour watch; and four night patrolmen, who report for duty at 8 o'clock P. M., to remain on watch for ten hours, or until 6 o'clock the following day.

The city comprises, from A to Y and from First to Thirty-first streets, a territory of about six square miles, and a population of 30,000 inhabitants, and is divided into four beats or sections by lines running through Sixth street north and south, and the alley between J and K east and west, on each of which an officer is detailed. This gives to each officer on patrol an average of seven thousand five hundred persons, and a territory of about one and a half square miles to serve during the day or night, and taking the streets and alleys, on an average of about forty-six miles to patrol. There are parts of this territory which do not need the attention of the police at all times. Taking into consideration the size and population, and comparing this with other cities, there is a less number of police officers by from one-fifth to one-third accordingly than that in any other city in the State. At times when there are public demonstrations, it necessitates the entire police force to do duty, and consequently compels the day or night officers to remain a double watch. Also, in such cases as have lately occurred, when residences in the outskirts of the city were entered nightly by burglars, the entire police force was found inadequate, though put upon the night, leaving only the bailiff to do duty for the whole city during the day; and again, when the Superior Court is in session the city is deprived of such officers as have cases there, by their attendance as witnesses, leaving at times but one officer to do patrol duty.

It is true, there have been but few crimes of a serious character committed in Sacramento lately, and what have been perpetrated have been met and successfully dealt with by the present police force, but no one can say how long it may continue thus, or how great the need may be for a greater police protection, and we earnestly petition your honorable body to increase the police force to at least fifteen officers, that they may meet any emergency that may arise in our city.

There can be no question but that the ends of justice and the urgent necessities of a city of this size and territory, absolutely demand the increase asked for, and that it would be a matter of economy, viewing the question from the standpoint of the increased protection which would thus be thrown about the lives and property of our citizens, for your honorable body to act favorably upon the prayers of this petition at the earliest practicable moment.

HENRY L. BUCKLEY, Police Judge,
H. F. DILLMAN, Chief of Police,
Board of Police Commission.

The weekly report of the Chief Engineer of the water works and the monthly reports of other officials were read and filed.

An ordinance amending Section 4 of Ordinance No. 188, was introduced by Mr. Jones, read and laid over under the rules. It provides that the price of half-inch water taps shall be $2, and five-eighths inch taps $3.

It was resolved that it is the intention of the Board to have F street improved, from Twelfth street to Eighteenth, by grading, the construction of sidewalks, etc.; also, to have Twenty-second street, from H to M, improved in a similar manner.

Death of an Old Sacramentan.

News was received here last night of the death of Wm. F. Lyon, at Adrian, Michigan, at the age of 76. Mr. Lyon was the father of William M. and George F. Lyon of this city. Mr. Lyon came to California in 1850, coming to Sacramento direct, where he lived a number of years. He went to San Francisco and engaged in business there, and later at Petaluma. He returned to Sacramento in 1860, and began business as a produce and commission merchant, in partnership with his son, Wm. M. Lyon, the firm title being Lyon & Son. In 1871 he left the firm and returned to the East, where he resided until the time of his death. He was well and favorably known in this city as a business man, but even more so as an advocate of liberal thought. In connection with such men as the late J. E. P. Weeks, and with Josiah Johnson, Ferdinand Woodward and others, he aided in founding and maintaining for a long time a progressive lyceum of free debate, which was for some years a prominent Liberal Thought Society. While living in Sacramento he wrote a work entitled "The Hollow Globe," which on his return to the East he published. He wrote and published also, "The Gospel of Nature," and other works, and was correspondent for liberal papers and lectured as a free thinker here and throughout the East. He was a studious man and the chief work of his life concerned free thought subjects. He was raised as a Quaker, was ordained to preach in the Methodist Church, but went over to the school of his later life from conviction, and was ever afterwards its earnest advocate. He will be remembered by all old residents most kindly.

Burglarious Visit.

Some time Sunday night or early yesterday morning, the clothing store of G. Politz, at Sixth and K streets, was entered by a burglar or burglars, who climbed over the alley fence and got into the court-yard in the rear of the store, then putting empty boxes in a pile, they were able to reach the roof of a shed, from which they proceeded to the roof of the store. A pane of glass was then removed from the skylight, and, by the aid of a piece of rubber hose, one of the burglars slid down into the store and provided for egress by opening the back door. The rascals were evidently frightened away before they were ready to leave, and consequently all the goods missing are a few silk handkerchiefs; but several hundred dollars' worth of the best goods in the store were placed near the back door, in sacks, to be carried away, after the establishment had been thoroughly looked over. The drawers in the counting-room were broken open in a search for valuables. Yesterday morning Mr. Jacobs, the head clerk, reached the store at 5 o'clock, but, after opening the front door, concluded to get his breakfast before making a general opening, and he accordingly went away and did not return for about an hour. It may be that the thieves were in the store when he first opened the door, and ran away before he came back; but it seems hardly probable that they would make such a late visit, and think of carrying bundles of clothing, even in sacks, through the streets at that hour.

IN THE art of photography, Hodson has no peers on the Pacific Coast. A critical examination of his work will confirm this statement, and show that it is not made for effect. The life-like, natural appearance and excellence of his work has made for him an enviable reputation. Visitors are always welcome to his art parlors. *

CITY DIRECTORY.—We are ready to commence printing our new City Directory, and will be glad to have notice of any changes of residence or business since our canvass was made. Any names or changes sent to us will have careful attention. H. S. Crocker & Co., 208-210 J street. *

REMEMBER, the terms offered on the Citrus Colony were never before equaled. Alsip & Co., agents. *

SEE new advertisement to-day. Interesting items in our clearing sale. Red House.*

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Miner's "Zitka" company left yesterday for Fresno.

The City Trustees will probably meet and levy the tax for 1887 to-day.

H. V. J. Swain has been appointed a Notary Public, to reside at Stockton.

San Francisco has settled with the State and paid into the treasury $1,062,065 58.

There will be an eclipse of the moon tomorrow morning, commencing at 1:14 and terminating at 3:30 A. M.

A new postoffice has been established at Sheldon, Sacramento county, and Edward Healy has been appinted Postmaster of it.

The State School Superintendent has apportioned $1,528,641 24 to the public schools of the State, which gives each census child $5 18.

Clerk of the Supreme Court, Spencer, collected $860, fees for the month of January, which has been paid into the State Treasury.

The Sacramento river receded yesterday to 13 feet 5 inches, but will probably have an upward tendency to-day, under the influence of the rain.

A box car was yesterday forwarded to Montague, the new terminus of the California and Oregon Railroad, to be used as a "station car" temporarily.

Deputy Sheriff Riley brought up from San Francisco last evening, en route to Folsom, Charles Waldier, who is to serve ten years for grand larceny.

The room of Major Pico, at the International Hotel, was entered by a thief yesterday morning during his temporary absence, and robbed of his watch.

Sheriff Boggs, of Lake county, passed through yesterday, en route for home from Oroville with a man named James Davis, who some time since shot and killed a stage driver in Lake county.

Emmet Wells' New York *Hop Circular* of January 31st reports a firmer feeling in the market. There has been some inquiry from London for Pacifics, but as the prices bid have not met the views of holders, no transactions for export are reported. It is very good proof, however, that England is running short of choice hops, and must at an early day be compelled to import.

Last night John Corcoran and J. Tromenschlager had a dispute, during which the latter called his opponent nammes that did not belong to him. Corcoran went out, procured a brick and hit Tromenschlager on the head with it, cutting a bad gash. Deputy Constable Smart arrested Corcoran, and officer Ferral saw that the injured man's hurt was attended to by a physician.

Senator Cox, who returned yesterday afternoon from his ranch in Kern county, reports that very little rain has fallen in that county and Fresno so far, and the people feel much anxiety in consequence. He noticed while coming up that the "west side" of the San Joaquin was suffering, and between Modesto and Lathrop the ground was very dry and giving little evidence of fresh vegetation.

About 1 o'clock Sunday morning a burglar attempted to break into the cigar store of H. Heyman, at 602 J street. He was heard by the family, who reside in the back part of the store. The next morning the proprietor could not unlock his door. When the lock was taken off, it was discovered that the thief had inserted a skeleton key, which he had broken off, leaving a portion of it in the lock.

At San Francisco, Sunday afternoon, the Louisvilles played a game of baseball under the new rules with the picked nine of California players by whom they were beaten a few weeks ago, and again suffered defeat, the Californians winning by a score of 8 to 6. The new rules were almost unanimously voted a failure, and it is scarcely probable that the California League will adopt them. The Louisvilles play at Central Park next Saturday, and here next Sunday, on their way East.

Bishop Monogue yesterday commenced an amiable suit in the Superior Court against the St. Rose Church congregation, to quit title to the church property at Seventh and K streets, in order that he may be able to give the Government a clear title to the property. The congregation is now worshiping in the temporary church building on Twelfth street, but nothing has yet been done looking to the removal of the old buildings, and they will not be torn down until the sale of the land to the Government is perfected, which may not be for some little time.

In Department One of the Superior Court yesterday Ah Jim was tried on a charge of burglary, in entering Isaac Hall's barn, near Florin, and stealing some harness. He was tried a short time ago for the same offense, but the jury failed to agree. Yesterday's jury at first brought in a verdict of guilty, with a recommendation to the mercy of the Court; but Judge Van Fleet informed them that they had nothing to do with mercy—they were to decide whether the prisoner was guilty or not guilty—and sent them back to find another verdict. They shortly after returned with one of guilty.

Yesterday morning Mrs. Mary L. Kellogg, wife of Harry W. Kellogg, died at her residence, I street, between Tenth and Eleventh, of blood poisoning, after a brief illness. Last Tuesday a pimple appeared on her chin, which on being squeezed became very much inflamed, and in a day or two her face was very badly swollen. A physician who was called in discovered that it was a case of blood poisoning. Everything possible was done for her, but her entire system became affected, and death ensued as mentioned above. Deceased was about 28 years of age, and leaves many warm friends.

The Charges Come to Naught.

In the Police Court yesterday T. B. Mortee, clerk to the Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate, was tried for battery upon John S. Wilkins (colored), whom he struck with a cane in the hall outside of the Senate Chamber at the Capitol last Friday afternoon, shortly after defendant and Sergeant-at-Arms Wilcox had ejected him (Wilkins) from the lobby of the Senate Chamber for smoking. The evidence showed that Wilkins had made remarks to the effect that he was "laying for" Mortee. When the latter, having been informed of threats against him, went out and inquired "Are you waiting for me?" Wilkins made a motion as if to draw a weapon, when Mortee struck him with his cane, breaking it into two or three pieces. Judge Buckley decided that Mortee was not guilty of battery, having acted in self-defense, and ordered his discharge. Sergeant-at-Arms Wilcox, who had caused Wilkins' arrest for threats against life, moved the dismissal of the case, as a necessary witness had left town, and he was not afraid Wilkins would carry out the threats. The case was accordingly dismissed. Wilkins then intimated that he did not see any possibility of his case of battery against Wilcox being made to stick, and his request to have it dismissed was granted, thus disposing of the entire business.

New Time Card.

A new railroad time card goes into effect to-day, which is especially interesting to people traveling to the lower porfion of the State. The through express train for Los Angeles, El Paso, New Orleans, etc., which has left San Francisco heretofore at 3:30 P. M., will leave at 9:30 A. M., connecting at Lathrop with the train which leaves this city at 11:30 A. M. The train which has left Sacramento for the south at 5:10 P. M. will hereafter leave at 5 P. M., and connect at Lathrop with a train which will run through to Los Angeles, stopping there. The 11:30 A. M. train from Sacramento has heretofore connected at Lathrop with a train which only went as far as Tulare, but under the new arrangement there will be two trains daily (neither of them "Sundays excepted") through to Los Angeles. The train which has been arriving here over the Western route at 2:25 P. M. will reach the city at 2:30, bringing the New Orleans connection of passengers and mail, while the train arriving here at 9 A. M. will bring passengers and mail from Los Angeles and way stations only. This new time card provides for the running of trains through to Montague, and, if the elements do not interfere, the road will be open to that point, the Yreka junction, to-day.

INSTALLATION AND BANQUET.—The Exempt Firemen's Association met at Firemen's Hall last evening and installed its officers-elect, and then marched to Peterson's Restaurant, where about sixty of them sat down to the annual banquet, which Mr. Peterson had served in his usual thorough and admirable manner. President J. P. Melchoir presided, and George W. Chesley acted as master of ceremonies, and under his experienced management toast were given and responded to eloquently and wittily, and the hours passed merrily.

THE FINEST JOB PRINTING is done at Goode Bros., Fifth street, bet. I and J. *

A GRAND SUCCESS—the Mathushek solid frame pianos. John F. Cooper. *

Knights of Honor Reunion.

The joint social entertainment of California and Unity Lodges Knights of Honor, at Granger's Hall, last evening, was largely attended notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, every seat being occupied and numbers of ladies remained standing throughout the rendering of the programme of the evening. Grand Dictator Stearns of San Francisco, Grand Reporter Curry, and Past Grand Dictator Barnes were unusually happy in their remarks. Mr. Barnes fairly convulsed his audience by his witticisms, and frequently caused the eye to moisten by his pathetic references. The following programme was finely rendered:

Remarks by the Chairman, H. H. Linnel; piano opening voluntary, Miss Fanny Atwood; recitation, Miss Katie Aiken, "Why He Would Not Die;" vocal solo, Miss E. Kidder; address, Grand Dictator Stearns; vocal duet, Messrs. Crowe and Beaumont; recitation, Miss Hattie Moore, "Lake in the Dyke;" recitation, Mrs. Seadler, "Lasca;" vocal solo, Mrs. Carter; address, Grand Reporter Curry; solo, Miss Juanita Pommer; piano solo, Mrs. Stronach, "March de Tanbourg;" poem, "Fraternity," Mr. Aiken; vocal solo, C. Beaumont; vocal solo, Miss Grace Kidder; address, Past Dictator Barnes; quartet, Mrs. Dunn, Miss Bessie, and Messrs. White and Dickerson.

At the close of the exercises dancing was indulged in, and subsequently a fine banquet, spread in the upper hall, was enjoyed. Altogether it was the most successful social the Knights of Honor have given in the city. The entertainment was arranged by the ladies, who deserve much credit for their successful exertion, and the thanks of the Knights were heartily bestowed upon them.

Y. M. C. A. Concert.

Notwithstanding the inclement weather, a large and appreciative audience attended the concert at the rooms of the Young Men's Christian Association last evening. The following programme was rendered: Overture, "Columbia," by orchestra; quartet, "Come where the Lilies Bloom," Mrs. C. H. Dunn, Miss Nora Bessey, M. K. Barrett, C. M. White; reading, "The Soldier's Joy," Miss Nannie Waterhouse; piano accompaniment, Mrs. C. M. Byrne; andante and waltz, "Glen Echo," orchestra; solo, "Where is My Loved One Tonight," Frank A. Reeves (guitar accompaniment); quartet, "The Jolly Old Blacksmith," Mrs. Frank Bell, Miss Nora Bessey, G. F. Dickerson, J. C. Clough; tenor solo, "Two Little Ragged Urchins," Alexander Cohn; reading, "Hunchy and Sis," Miss Nannie Waterhouse; overture, "Age of Progress," orchestra. The orchestra consisted of violin, Ed. F. Driemeyer; clarionet, H. A. Ward; flute, L. E. Smith; first cornet, C. F. Miller; second, G. A. Hutchinson; bass viol, H. Coates, and piano, John G. Walling. The several parts of the programme were well rendered, and the applause and encores were liberal and sincere.

The Weather.

Though there was little if any rain precipitated in this city for the twelve hours ending at noon yesterday, there was more or less rain or snow at other points in the upper portion of the State, and quite a heavy fall along the line of the California and Oregon Railroad. On "the hill" yesterday afternoon snow was falling between Gold Run and Truckee, accompanied by a high wind and falling barometer, with every indication of a very rough night. There was rain at almost all other localities, commencing at Sacramento about noon. Sergeant Barwick reports that the rainfall in Sacramento at 7 o'clock last night was .20 of an inch, making 3.66 inches for February, 4.78 inches for this year, and 7.88 inches for the season, as against 24.07 inches to an equal date last year. The barometer at 7 o'clock last night was low, and falling slowly, with a rising temperature, the lowest yesterday being 32° and the highest 48°, with wind southeast and brisk during the afternoon, and then light.

HEALTH AND PLUMBING REPORTS.—Health Officer Atkinson reports for January, 1887, as follows: Nuisances inspected in Chinatown, 28; nuisances inspected in city at large, 256; cesspools and vaults inspected, 83; cesspools and vaults cleaned, 37; ventilators constructed, 30; new vaults and cesspools inspected, 25; basements and low lots filled, 13; waste, soil and overflow pipes constructed, 21; patent closets constructed, 13; infected animals killed, 0; caskets inspected, 0; dead animals buried, 64. H. W. Decker, Plumbing Inspector, reports as follows for the same month: Number of plans and specifications received, 7; number of plans and specifications approved, 6; number of plans and specifications rejected, 1; number of first examinations made, 7; number of final examinations made, 2.

CONCERT AND BALL.—A grand concert and ball will be given at Armory Hall next Friday evening by the Capital City and Pleasant Grove Bands, consisting of 32 musicians. Sacramento Division, No. 7, U. R. K. of P., will give one of their renowned fancy drills on the occasion, and that organization will have the direction and management of the floor. A feature of the occasion will be an echo piece, entitled "Beauties of Nature," composed by P. Spargo especially for this occasion. Also, Miss Nellie Spargo, the well-known cornet soloist, will render her select solos, and the Spargo family quartet of cornets will render their gems of harmony. There will be two coupon prizes awarded during the evening.

ACCIDENTALLY SHOT.—Shortly after 8 o'clock last night Deputy Sheriff J. O'Meara was crossing the street from Wells, Fargo & Co.'s office, and, as there was a slight rain falling, he concluded to run. The pavement was slippery and he made a misstep, and during his effort to save himself from falling his pistol fell from his pocket to the ground and was discharged. The ball struck him near the top of the calf of the right leg, glancing upwards, and subsequently was found, by the surgeon summoned to attend him, about four or five inches above the knee. It did not break any bones nor do serious injury, though the wound will be painful for some time and keep him confined to his house for a week or two.

GAS FOR "NOB" HILL.—The latest improvement, which places "Nob" Hill on a par with the most favored portion of the city, is the laying of gas-pipes, which was commenced yesterday, and in a few weeks the pipe will be laid to the farthest end of the ridge, when the residents thereabouts can throw away both their coal-oil lamps and their fear of explosions. With street-lamps at S, T, U and V streets, ex-Senator Cox can go home without fear of being waylaid by footpads and such. We learn that a new winery is to be built on the block between R and S, Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets shortly.

BORN.

Sacramento, February 7—Wife of E. C. Hart, a son.

DIED.

Sacramento, February 6—Rev. Lucius Foote (father of Gen. L. H. Foote), 88 years, 6 months and 3 days.

[Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, which will take place from his late residence, 923 K street, this (Tuesday) afternoon at 2 o'clock.]

Sacramento, February 8—Mary A., beloved wife of W. H. Todd (mother of Mrs. E. H. Renfro, Mrs. Ada Stewert, Mrs. Alice Crump, Geo. and Curtis H. Todd), a native of Cincinnati, Ohio, 58 years, 4 months and 11 days. (Cincinnati, Ohio, St. Louis and San Francisco papers please copy.)

[Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, which will take place from her late residence, No. 815 Twelfth street, between H and I, to-morrow (Wednesday) afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.]

Sacramento, February 7—May Louise, wife of Harry W. Kellogg, a native of Michigan, 28 years, 8 months and 2 days.

[Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, which will take place from her late residence, No. 1009 I street, between Tenth and Eleventh, to-morrow (Wednesday) afternoon at 2 o'clock.]

Sacramento, February 7—Ritta, only daughter of Michael and Mary Aprile, a native of San Francisco, 1 year, 3 months and 28 days. (San Francisco papers please copy.)

[Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, which will take place from the residence of parents, alley, between Third and Fourth, L and M, this afternoon at 2 o'clock.] *

Sacramento, February 6—Frank Lester (only son of John N. and Amelia Phillips), a native of California, 10 months and 21 days.

[Funeral private.]

Sacramento, February 7—Maud youngest daughter of Elizabeth and Milton Moore, a native of California, 3 years, 9 months and 16 days. [Funeral notice hereafter.]

Sacramento, February 7—Isabella E., daughter of W. H. and Kate Erwin, a native of Virginia City, Nevada, 11 years, 9 months and 21 days. (Virginia City, Nevada, and Stockton papers please copy.)

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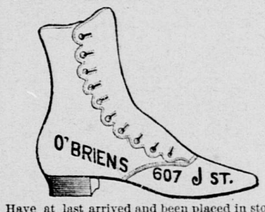

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