

ADVERTISEMENTS MENTIONED.
Clerk of Labor Pensions, etc.
Sacramento Steam & Ice Company.
Improved Red Men's picnic, May 1st.
U. O. P. General Relief Committee meeting.
Capital City Grove, U. A. O. D. To-night.
Union Grove, U. A. O. D. Monday night.
Cathartian Society, Finance Hall. Address.
Card of thanks.

Auction Sales.
By Bell & Co., this evening.
By Dale & Co., this afternoon.
By W. H. Sherman, Monday.
By Bell & Co., next Wednesday.

Business Advertisements.
Byron Hot Springs, Contra Costa county.
Lost on 1 street.
Lodge of five rooms to let.
Housing—Special sales to-day.
L. L. Lewis & Co., Agents today.
Red in prices—John H. Brown.
St. Rose church for sale.
Rare chance to buy a homestead.
For sale—Gentle Promoter colt.
Furnish goods—Kilmore & Co.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

An Honest Reporter.
Almost everyone in Sacramento knows James Bithell, and all are pained to learn that he has lost his sight. Although blind, he has lost none of his jollity, and is as interesting a company as ever. His eyes are perfect in appearance, and one who is not acquainted with him would not for a moment think they were sightless. Yesterday he was seated with a number of friends in the office of the Capital Hotel relating reminiscences of long ago, when Judge Hornblower's name was mentioned. Speaking of Hornblower, remarked Bithell, "I want to tell you a little trick he played upon me once. During a session of the Legislature some twelve or fifteen years ago, Hornblower was 'mine host' of the Golden Eagle. He was a good landlord and a number one collector. Among his boarders was a reporter, who was writing up the legislative proceedings for the Sacramento Advertiser. The young man, rather prepossessing in appearance, bright, clever, and an altogether agreeable companion, one morning Hornblower called him up to his study and asked him to settle. He owed a bill of \$20, and Hornblower demanded the cash. The young man asked for time, but the landlord would live in his demand. I was passing the door at the time, when a happy thought struck Hornblower. He said, 'There goes Jim Bithell, a friend of yours; he owes you \$20.' The young man acted upon the suggestion, and I forked over the coin. Hornblower, on the first opportunity, laughed at me, and knowing that I did not get the money back, refers to the joke every time we have met during the years that he has lived in the city. He received a letter from him dated at Seattle, Washington Territory. He returned to the loan, and asked if a certain amount would reach me at Sacramento. I responded that it would, and by return mail received my money. I told you, newspaper men are honest. They may be a little slow, but they will get there all the same if you give them plenty of time. I am going to forward his letter to the Advertiser, and no doubt he can use it to advantage in some of his Police Court lectures."

Cost of Binding School Books.
Below is given in detail the cost of binding 50,000 copies of the Elementary Grammar or 50,000 copies of the Physiology, each to contain 200 pages, bound in full cloth and leather backs:
Cutting sheets, 15 days, at \$3.50..... \$52.50
Folding 600,000 sheets at 75c per M..... 4.50
Sewing 50,000 books, 250 pages, at \$2..... 12.50
Handling sheets, 15 days, at \$3..... 45.00
Forwarding, 250 days, at \$3..... 15.00
Casting, 125 days, at \$4..... 50.00
Stamping cases, 50 days, at \$2..... 1.00
Making cases, 70 days, at \$4..... 28.00
Trimming edges, 30 days, at \$4..... 12.00
Handling books, 30 days, at \$2..... 1.00
Total..... \$238.50
Cost of material for the same:
Boards, 4 ton, at \$24.50 per ton..... \$232.00
Cloth, 36 rolls, at \$5 per roll..... 180.00
End papers, 25 reams, at \$4 per ream..... 100.00
Ink, 10 pounds, at \$5..... 50.00
Glue, 5 barrels, at \$2.32..... 11.60
Miscellaneous items..... 25.00
Total..... \$599.56
Which, added to cost of the labor, makes the total cost \$4,259.06. To make this with leather backs in same style as the Third Reader, would cost an additional sum of \$821, making a total of \$5,080.06.

Appointments by the Governor.
Yesterday Governor Bartlett made the following appointments:
Director of Agricultural District No. 3, which consists of Butte, Colusa and Tehama counties, C. H. Merrill, of Colusa.
Director of Agricultural District No. 5, which embraces Santa Clara and San Mateo counties, Alexander Gordon, of San Mateo.
Directors of Agricultural District No. 7, composed of Monterey and San Benito counties, B. V. Sargent and Paris Kilburn, of Monterey.
Directors of Agricultural District No. 13, Sacramento, Yuba and Sutter counties, M. Marcese and N. D. Coombs, of Yuba.
Notaries Public—Wm. E. Hampton, Elmore, San Diego county; H. M. McVill, San Francisco; W. H. Kelly, Willows, Colusa county.

Those "First Cherries."—A dispatch having appeared in the RECORD-UNION yesterday from Loomis, stating that the first cherries of the season grown near there were shipped from Newcastle April 21st, and that Yacaville must heretofore look to her larvae as an early cherry-producing locality, a gentleman in the interest of the reputation of the latter place has sent to this office a copy of the Yacaville Reporter, dated the 14th instant, which says: "Yesterday we received from the ranch of W. W. Smith the first of the season. They were full ripe and of the most reliable luxury we have enjoyed for a year. Placer county will probably claim in reply that she was the first to have sufficient ripe to make a shipment, and that just a few stray ones 'don't count.'"

FORESTERS' REUNION.—Court Sacramento, A. O. F., gave a reception last evening at their hall, corner of Ninth and K streets, to the members of Courts Sutter and Sacramento. The committee having the arrangements in hand surprised the members by quietly inviting the members' wives. Nearly 100 ladies responded. An excellent programme was provided—musical, literary and dancing; also a collection. The following ladies and gentlemen took part in the programme: Miss Annie Pearl, Misses Kiddler, Messrs. Walling, Costman, Perkins, Fay, Jeffers, Chapman, and Miss Lizzie Platt, Miss Annie Fitzgerald, Miss Myrtle Dean.

COMMISSION ORGANIZED.—The Marshall Monument Commissioners met in this city yesterday, all the members present. The commission was called to order by Senator Goodford. Senator Minicini was elected President, and J. B. Miller, Secretary. The commission adjourned to the call of the hour. They will visit Colusa, where Marshall died, some time during the second week in May.

No Piano but the "Mathushek" has the tuning pins pushed into a solid iron frame. Silver Medal at Mechanics' Fair.

A SECOND-HAND Emerson square piano, 71 octave, in fine condition. A bargain for cash. L. K. Hammer's Music Store, 820 J st.

Do not fail to read our "ad." to-day. Great variety of goods on sale. Women's and misses' shoes, men's wear, hats, dry goods, etc., at Red House.

SURAH satin parasols, full size, from \$1 and upwards; misses' parasols, 25 cents. Ladies' and misses' hosiery in piles, on sale at Red House.

MILITARY NOTES.

Prospects for an Encampment—The Cadet Company, Etc.
On a cruise of the Second Brigade being forced to go into an encampment as a whole, there will not be money enough to pay for the encampment being held this year and next, unless some regiments and companies resolve to draw only half pay for each year, and make up the deficiency by self-assessments and contributions from citizens where the encampments will be held. It was understood among regimental commanders, when bills were before the Legislature, that only regimental encampments would be held, and there would be money enough to hold these annual drills each year, since it was expected that certain regiments and battalions would not go to camp unless compelled to, and hence so much would be saved to those who were eager to avail themselves of field practice. No doubt some regiment will be compelled to draw full allowance and consequently be unable to go into camp next year. We have heard it stated that the California Cavalry offered \$500 if the Second Brigade went there, but it was refused. Some say that at a point on the bay would be preferable—say San Rafael or Martinez, for instance. At Martinez the regiment would have the benefit of instruction from some of the regular army officers from the Benicia barracks, which is a consideration worth a great deal. Besides, it is easy, the fare is cheap and bathing facilities must be good there.

The new cadet company drills once a week. The attendance has been full and complete so far, and the young gentlemen are well-behaved and seem to be progressing rapidly. The only drawback has been a scarcity of officers to drill the company. As stated before, the attendance is large, averaging 60 or 80, and there should be a half-dozen of the best officers present to take charge of a squad each, with instructions in the school of the soldier in progress. This would not do the officers harm. Many of them need this practice in imparting instruction to others. This will be one of the best means and opportunity for us to enjoy, in the shortest possible time, and with the greatest economy, the advantages of such a city with its treasures of wealth and progress.

Resolved, That we respectfully request that this record of action be published in the newspapers of Sacramento, that it may be known to all its citizens.

It Was His Brother.
Yesterday morning, when the passenger train arrived from Chico, a young Chinaman, who appeared to be very nervous, got off among the passengers. His countenance and general appearance resembled those of Hong Di, the murderer of Mrs. Billon, of St. John. Martin Halloran, a young man who had followed that far, left, and passing down I street, went into a place between Second and Third, where he left his pistol. Subsequently, when he returned, he had something of the affair, arrested him, but he claimed to be an interpreter from Oroville, engaged in the search for Hong Di, and that he was going to take him down on the same train with him. He was released from custody. In conversation with George Rider he stated that he was out looking for Hong Di, and that he knew who the Chinaman was whom he and Halloran followed. A reliable Chinaman, speaking of the matter subsequently, said that No. 1 had been arrested, and he, finding that no one at Chico wanted to have anything to do with him, white or Chinese, had made up his mind to go elsewhere to obtain a passport, and to that end, he had changed his name. As the Chinaman who was speaking of him said, he did not have his own name on now. He had two dollars in his pocket, and he is acting in good faith for the arrest of the murderer, kept No. 1's secret to prevent others from interfering with his hopes of securing a reward.

A Golden Wedding.
The golden wedding of Captain E. Brulin and wife was celebrated at their residence on Sixth street, between B and F, on Thursday evening. A number of their most intimate friends and members of the Scandinavian Social Club were present to congratulate the aged couple on the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding. It was also Mr. Brulin's eightieth birthday. His wife, a few years his junior, is hale and hearty, and the couple who have battled together through life's journey for half a century, received the congratulations of friends, children and grandchildren, and the occasion was one of great joy. The octogenarian host was presented with a handsome gold-headed cane, and his wife with a pair of gold-framed spectacles, by the members of the club. Many happy and complimentary speeches were made and congratulations extended. At midnight all were seated to an elegant supper prepared by the hostess. The aged couple were pleased with the admirable manner in which this aged, but agile and active couple contributed to their entertainment. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. A. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. A. Gustafson, Mr. and Mrs. P. Franson, Mr. and Mrs. C. Neilson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Johnson, Mrs. Cederblom (from San Francisco), F. A. Carlson, A. Swenson, Charles Anderson, A. Anderson, A. Ekman, A. Felt.

General Williams' Will.
The late General Thomas H. Williams, who died February 28, 1886, left a will which bequeaths his estate of two or three million dollars to various heirs. It was a voluminous document, at times not exactly clear. For instance, the sum of \$50,000 was bequeathed to one of his sons, Percy Williams, but the wording of the document was such as to create a doubt whether the bequest was absolute or contingent on the death of the testator. Prior to the distribution of the estate, which might be in three or five years, as the executor should deem best—the legacy would not pass to the estate. There was no contest over the matter, the executor Judge George E. Williams, of El Dorado county, simply taking it before Judge Van Fleet of the Superior Court of California to have the meaning of the testator officially determined. Judge Van Fleet yesterday rendered a decree to this effect: "That the \$50,000 be paid to the said Percy Williams, if Percy Williams is an absolute and vested interest in fee in said Percy Williams, the time of the enjoyment of which is postponed until the distribution of the estate, apart from his duties as executor, up to the period of distribution, has no right to perform, and is not authorized to retain possession of said legacy or devise beyond said period of distribution."

GERMAN MEN'S FIGHTING.—The first grand picnic and excursion of the season—that of Sacramento Steam & Ice Co., U. O. P., will be held to-morrow at Cottrin's Grove, one of the finest places for a gathering of the kind in the State. The grounds are in beautiful condition, and an excellent dancing platform has been constructed. The Hussar Band will furnish music for the occasion. Much attention has been devoted to the arrangement of a programme of amusements, and it will be found to contain many pleasing features. Prizes will be awarded for all games. The train will leave the depot at 8:30 A. M. sharp.

SALMON MILITARY.—The "Lake George" picnic has for ladies—high crowned and wide brim—price, 45 cents; and a large variety of dress hats for 20 cents. Carried in fine braid, 20 cents. Trimmed picnic hats, with lace and flowers, 35 cents. At Red House.

THE QUICK-MELT Non-explosive Gasoline Stove was awarded first prize at the State Fair of 1886.

APPRECIATED THEIR RECEPTION.

Expression of Sentiment by the Raymond Party Recently in Sacramento.
The following preamble and resolutions were adopted by the Raymond and Whitcomb excursionists, who visited Sacramento on the 30th of last month, at an enthusiastic meeting held by them subsequently at Mantion, Colorado:

The Chairman of the Committee of Citizens of Sacramento for the reception of the Raymond Party which passed through this city March 30, 1887. The members of the Raymond party, which left San Francisco March 20th, desiring to put on record their appreciation of the courtesy of the citizens of Sacramento in their reception in their beautiful city on the date above-mentioned. An act of hospitality, so graciously conceived and so successfully executed, merits a formal assurance of our gratitude. The members of the committee of citizens, who visited us in the moving palace some time before we reached Sacramento, with a gratifying expression of friendship, words of encouragement and comfortable equippage, led by the Mayor of the city and Carl M. Nassar with his four splendid teams, in which we conveyed to every part of your capital, enabled us to spend a most enjoyable and profitable trip. We enjoyed the beautiful scenery, the beautiful picture galleries; the unsurpassed clothing with beauty of your school-houses; the excellent and comfortable accommodations of your hotels; the spaciousness of your broad avenues; your harbor, and above all, the friendly and generous people who have grown and expanded Sacramento and the culture, have prospered, its taste and refinement, its social and domestic life, and its capital, after only thirty-eight years of its existence. We are proud to be numbered among the citizens of your city, and we are proud to be numbered among the citizens of your city, and we are proud to be numbered among the citizens of your city.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

The Sacramento river receded to the 20-foot mark yesterday.
The east-bound overland express was again so large last evening that it was in two sections.

Ed. Mills' room at the International Hotel was entered by a thief on Thursday night, and relieved of a coat and vest.
The following amounts were paid into the State Treasury yesterday: Alameda county, \$12,201; Modoc county, \$1,713.

Two special trains conveying orange-trees, twenty-five carloads in all—and also a silk special, went East yesterday and last night.
A large number of Sacramento left for the Bay yesterday to attend the Blood Horse races to-day, and many have made their arrangements to go down this morning.

A large number of Native Sons passed through the city yesterday, returning to their homes from the Grand Fair at Nevada City. Many of them remained over here until the afternoon train.
Dr. Kenball, of Butte City, telegraphed to his father yesterday that he would be down to-day to get his father, who came insane in Sacramento on Thursday, while stopping over on his trip from San Jose.

The only cases on the Police Court calendar yesterday were those of Robert Neely, for disturbing the peace, which was dismissed, and Napoleon Kestradar, who was arrested on Monday evening, and will receive sentence this morning.
The coroner's inquest on the body of J. W. Vanderleith, who died suddenly Tuesday night, presumably of apoplexy, has been postponed until Monday evening, when his son, E. D. Vanderleith, will have arrived from Eureka, Nevada.

The "Pro Cuto," a literary society, composed of young ladies and gentlemen, has been organized by the following officers: Walter Bates, President; Arthur Goodhue, Vice-President; James Gillis, Secretary; William Flinnigan, Treasurer; Essie Rice, Marshal.
When the case of Charles McLaughlin, charged with selling liquor without a license, was called in Justice Davis' Court yesterday, Ed. M. C. Connor, for the defendant, interposed a demurrer, which the Court overruled. The case was then set for trial next Wednesday at 1 P. M.

Last Wednesday a Chinaman named Ah Deo was taken from a train of the Northern Pacific Railroad, near Chico, to this county. He had been dead only a short time, and from appearances he was a young man. He was taken to the morgue, where he was examined, and it was found that he had been dead only a short time, and from appearances he was a young man. He was taken to the morgue, where he was examined, and it was found that he had been dead only a short time, and from appearances he was a young man.

Wilbur F. George, President of the Alta Baseball Club, left for Sacramento yesterday to attend to the injunction suit of A. J. Piercy against the club. He cannot arrange the matter amicably with Piercy, he will endeavor in Court to have the hearing transferred to Sacramento county.
At Pioneer Hall, to-morrow at 7:30, Rev. C. P. Massey, pastor of the Unitarian Society, will deliver an address—originally C. M. Casler, of Company F, Woodland, and now a resident of this city—on "The Sources and Satisfaction of the Liberal Christian Faith." A general invitation to be present is extended.

The average Signal Service temperature yesterday was 62.6°, which is 5.4° warmer than the mean average temperature for the 23rd day of April during nine years. The highest and lowest temperature was 75° and 48°, respectively. The wind was from the north, with a fresh breeze, and clear weather.

Thursday night a number of large bowlers slid down upon the California and Oregon tracks between Del Norte and Sins, early yesterday morning, and the down-train was delayed until they could be removed, some blasting being done to get the cars on their feet. The train was about two hours behind time in reaching the city.
Complaint has been made by residents of the vicinity and passes by, that the holes or gorges in the Capital grounds at Twelfth and N streets and Twelfth and L streets, are offensive. All rubbish is thrown in there and burned and the holes are not filled. It is claimed that these pits should be placed in some less frequented place in the park.

Bel & Co., by Direction of F. H. Russell, administrator, sold at auction in front of the Court house yesterday morning, in the block between J and K, Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, Theodore Blauht the purchaser for \$4,200. As an evidence of the advance in real estate values in this city, it may be mentioned that this property was offered for sale some months ago for \$3,500.

A number of members of Fair Oaks Post and Relief Corps went over to Woodland last evening to attend an entertainment to be given under the auspices of Seward Post, No. 2, of that place. The proceeds were to equip the Post's recently organized drum corps. The Sacramento took over with them as a present a large and very beautiful drum, made at the Bell Conservatory in this city.
Officers Rowland and Carroll met on Sixth street, about 5 o'clock yesterday morning, an ex-convict of the Chinese persuasion, charged with robbing a man carrying a four-deck chicken, minus feathers—three hens and a rooster. He said he got them at a Chinese garden near town, but the officer who was with him, believing some white rooster would be making complaint of fowls stolen.

Judge Van Fleet yesterday rendered his decision in the matter of the application of the County of Butte for a writ of habeas corpus, in the case of the Chinese prisoner, who is imprisoned in the county jail, awaiting trial for burglarizing rooms at the Golden Eagle Hotel last State Fair. The writ was granted, and the prisoner was released from custody. The judge referred to a reduction of bail. The prisoner was a free and full confession of his guilt, and he did not see any occasion under the circumstances, for the retention of the prisoner in custody.

The box-sheet for the amateur performance of the "Two Orphans," to be given for the benefit of the Howard Benevolent Society, will be ready for sale at the next Wednesday evening, will be open Tuesday and Wednesday from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., when seats can be reserved without charge. Those who have not purchased tickets, and desire reserved seats, can get them then, as though buying tickets at that time.
A gentleman who has been on a trip to Grand Island, Colusa county, and vicinity, states that the growth of grain in that island is wonderfully fine. On the island there is a large tract of land, which is cultivated by a few farmers. The grain is of a fine quality, and is well adapted for the soil. The island is a beautiful spot, and is well worth a visit. The grain is of a fine quality, and is well adapted for the soil. The island is a beautiful spot, and is well worth a visit.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Dr. F. W. Hatch, of the Napa Asylum, was in the city yesterday.
Rev. Thomas Filben returned last evening from San Francisco, where he has been on a visit to his brother, whom he has not seen for fifty-one years.

Arrivals at the Capital Hotel yesterday: J. C. Ball, C. H. Davis, H. H. Henley, Woodland; Ed. Wilcox, St. Helena; Jack Hatch, Red Bluff; James E. Isaacs, Shasta; F. M. Meahan, Camanche; Jackson; C. W. Croset, Folsom; Charles Copp, Woodland; H. Farenholz, San Francisco; John Butler, Auburn; Jacob Korn, Korn's Ranch.

Arrivals at the Golden Eagle Hotel yesterday: Henry C. Dunn, Boston; L. Zobel, P. B. Kraut, W. H. Brown, Nate Mayer, T. H. Holmes, R. F. Parks, J. N. Dodge, Mrs. Dr. Frisk, W. A. Flanagan, Sacramento; James A. Johnson, New York; C. W. Farde, Buffalo, N. Y.; Daniel Stewart and wife, Indianapolis; W. E. Dennison, Portland; James E. Hayden, San Francisco; C. F. A. Johnson, Marysville; F. L. Fisk and wife, Ottawa, Ill.; L. B. Holmes and wife, Woodland; Mauda Madden, Boston; Mrs. W. A. Gardner, Woodland; J. B. Baker, New York; J. M. Bently, Fendleton, Ore.; J. C. Bedell, Colusa; John C. Tuhau, C. R. Hunt, Mayville, Mo.

A party of Eastern excursionists who have been stopping at the Golden Eagle for a day or two, viewing the Capital City, leave today to resume their tour of the State. They left the hotel a pleasant little incident occurred, the others, members of the party presenting Mrs. Dr. M. H. Hull, of Boston, Mass., with a beautiful vase and an elegant silver clock, which were presented by Mrs. Warren Covell, of Boston, and was briefly and feelingly responded to. While the occasion was pleasant to both, the feeling was especially so to one lady with smiles, and the other with tears.

Under the auspices of the Brio-Brac Club, and both of them, a party was given at the residence of General T. H. Woodhouse last evening a very successful and highly entertaining parlour concert. There were vocal solos by Mrs. Auerbach, Auerbach, Sanborn, Bearleise and Graham; piano solo by Miss Gerrish; harp duet by Mrs. McNeil and Miss Gregory; flute solo by Mr. Neale; vocal solo, with flute obbligato, by Mrs. Carter and Mr. Neale; vocal solo with harp obbligato, by Miss Felter and Miss Gregory; reading by Mr. Devlin, and an essay by Mrs. Auerbach, Mrs. Neale, Misses Siddons and Evans. The accompanists were Mrs. Auerbach, Mrs. Neale, Misses Siddons and Mrs. Gerrish.

CLUNIE OPERA HOUSE.—This afternoon Miss Woodthorpe will appear for the last time in the sensational drama, "The Two Orphans," supported by the Edmonds-Cooper Dramatic Company. Miss Woodthorpe has made a distinguished mark for herself in the character of Louise, and she has played it as well. To-night the company will appear for the last time, presenting the romantic California drama "Among the Pines," with Miss Woodthorpe, Mr. Edmonds, Mr. Cooper, Mrs. Edmonds, Mr. Lansing and Miss Wells—all competent people, in the leading roles. There is uncertainty as to whether the company will appear in the character of Louise, and she has played it as well. To-night the company will appear for the last time, presenting the romantic California drama "Among the Pines," with Miss Woodthorpe, Mr. Edmonds, Mr. Cooper, Mrs. Edmonds, Mr. Lansing and Miss Wells—all competent people, in the leading roles. There is uncertainty as to whether the company will appear in the character of Louise, and she has played it as well.

AN ACTIVE CANVASS.—The local committee from the Woman's Relief Corps, having in charge the question of a location for the "home," have twenty subscription lists out, and are making a vigorous canvass of the town for funds to purchase the site. The committee are confident that they will succeed, as the historic spot should be speedily taken in charge by a responsible organization; the building required for the purpose is already improved and cared for, and the premises could be devoted to no more appropriate use than as a home for the wives, widows and nurses of soldiers and sailors.

MAJOR DANES' LECTURE.—There was a most appreciative audience at the Congregational Church last evening to hear Major Dane deliver a lecture upon "Scenes in London." The lecture is complete with intensely interesting information, and the speaker has the happy faculty of taking the listener to the scene which he so vividly describes. Those who were present missed a rare intellectual pleasure.

HEATING BY ELECTRICITY.—Among late French novelties is an electric heating stove. In it the conducting wires are led through apertures in plates of refractory clay and plum bago, in which wire bobbins are placed in a row, and the wires are heated by the passage of the current, and in turn heat the air which is allowed to pass freely through the apparatus.

AT THE GOLDEN EAGLE HOTEL.
Catarrh, Catarrhal Deafness and Hay Fever—A New Treatment.
[From the Scientific American.]
Catarrh, on account of its prevalence in this country, is attracting a good deal of attention, more especially now when there is a probability of a visit from diphtheria, for where there is a mucous-purulent discharge, such discharges form a nucleus very inviting to diphtheria germs and very favorable for their reproduction in a more violent form, thus placing sufferers from Catarrh at a great disadvantage in the event of a diphtheria visitation.

Catarrh is a contagious disease. It is a mucous-purulent discharge, caused by the presence of a vesicle parasite, which is the living germ of the nose. These parasites reproduce themselves in great multitudes, and each generation is more virulent than the preceding one. The parasites are carried down the throat, causing ulceration of the throat; up the eustachian tubes, causing deafness; burrowing in the vocal cords, causing hoarseness; and usurping the proper functions of the bronchial tubes, ending in pulmonary consumption and death.

The reason that Catarrh has become so prevalent a disease is entirely due to the fact that it has not been understood. Physicians have been unanimous in treating it as a simple inflammation of the mucous membrane, prescribing daily and even tri-daily applications thereby keeping the membrane in a constant state of irritation, which simply aggravates the disease and finally injures the patient, and consequently have signally failed to produce cures, because a treatment calculated to effect a cure of this disease would not be applied often than once in two weeks, thus giving the ulcerated membrane time to heal before making another application. Microscopic examination has revealed the presence of the parasite, and now sufferers from this disease who appreciate the fact that it is by way of its secondary effects a most deadly disease, will be glad to learn that a wonderfully successful treatment has been formulated, whereby the most aggravated cases of Catarrh have been permanently cured in from one to three simple applications. The interesting pamphlet descriptive of this new treatment, from which we glean the above, is sent free to all applicants on receipt of stamp, by A. H. Dixon & Son, 305 King street west, Toronto, Canada.

Mr. Dixon, Sr., is now on a short visit to this coast, and can be seen at the Golden Eagle Hotel, Sacramento, every Thursday. Sufferers should write or call and see him. Consultation free. No one else has ever attempted to cure this disease in this manner, and no other treatment has ever permanently cured them. The permanency of this cure is unquestioned, as cures effected six years ago are cures still.

SACRAMENTO FLOWERS FOR LOS ANGELES.
The Bell Conservatory Company extended a contribution to the floral festival at Los Angeles, by sending an immense floral shield five feet high and four in width. It was made of choice rose carnations, hyacinths and maiden's-bird ferns, and covering the front of the shield were the graceful words: "The Northern Circuit Bell Seeds Company." The company also sent some beautiful cut lilacs. A party who was at the festival, and a very competent judge, gave as her opinion that the floral piece was the most beautiful thing seen in the festival, by far to be seen in the exhibition hall.

READY TO-DAY.

TO-DAY WE SHALL DISPLAY IN ONE OF OUR WINDOWS THE NEW THINGS IN MEN'S SEERSUCKER, FANCY PONGEE AND WHITE FLANNEL COATS AND VESTS FOR SUMMER WEAR.

IMPORTED SUITS.

In addition to our already large stock of Novelties in Spring Dress Goods, we have received some Special Patterns in Paris Pattern Suits, at \$25. These goods are entirely different from anything we have had before, and are well worth the inspection of any who are likely to be interested.
Our lines of Colored Silks, Velvets, etc., are at their best now.

Bamboo Easels, 85 cents.
EMBROIDERY DEPARTMENT.
Men's Stylish "Four-in-Hand" Ties, in ribbed piques, fancy spots, 25 cents.
New To-day.
Fancy Worsted Trimming Braid; open work designs, and three inches wide, 75 cents and \$1.
All colors and black.

One of the most popular Bustles this season is the "Mikado," made of rattan, at 40, 50 and 75 cents, according as two, three or four rows of coils are desired.
The special points of merit in this Corset are lightness and shapeliness.
Another excellent Bustle is the "Ideal," a Covered Bustle, filled with Alaska down. Price, 39 cents.

BASEBALL ITEMS.
Catchers' Masks, \$2 and \$2.75
Catchers' Gloves.
Spaulding and Reach's Regulation Balls, \$1.15.
Practice Balls, 25 and 75 cents.
Willow and Ash Bats, in large variety—including standard makes.
Boys' "Expert" Ball, 10 cents; Boys' Belts, 10 cents.
Cloth Shoes, with rubber soles, made especially for out-of-door sports, \$1.25.

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RESTAURANT FOR SALE—DOING A FINE business, that could be largely increased by an experienced person. This is a fine business opportunity, and will be sold cheap on account of ill-health of owner.
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\$1,700—A NEW FIVE-ROOM COTTAGE. Lot, 80x120, in a fine residence location.
DWELLING-HOUSES, FROM \$750 UPWARD.
FRUIT AND GRAIN FARMS, IN ALL PORTIONS OF CENTRAL CALIFORNIA, IN TRACTS TO SUIT, and on easy terms.
WANTED—COTTAGES, CONVENIENT TO business streets, renting from \$10 to \$30.
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MONEY TO LOAN, In Small and Large Sums. Sp.
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A HEYMAN, SOLE AGENT, 14 street, bet. 1st and 2nd streets, near the Northern Circuit Bell Seed Co. Pianos sold on installment. 21m

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The Mechanical Clothing Store, NO. 414 K STREET, Will offer from now on such SWEET REBUILT CLOTHING IN BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS As will quickly clear the houses. The goods must go, as improvements will shortly commence.
NOTE THE PRICES:
SUITS..... from \$7.75 up
COATS..... from \$11.00 up
BOOTS..... from 2.25 up
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Come, examine our goods, and we will suit you in quality and price.
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