DAILY RECORD-UNION

WEDNESDAY.....JULY 6, 1887

ADVERTISEMENT MENTION.

Metropolitan Theater—To-night, "Celebrated Case."
Union Lodge F. and A. M.
Frauen-Verein—This afternoon.
Benbow Lodge, Sons of St. George.
The winning number.
Armory Hall Association.
Sacramento Bank—Dividend notice.
Acknowledgments—Protestant Orphan Asylum.

Auction Sales.

Bell & Co.—To-day, fine lot furniture, carpets, etc.
W. H. Sherburn & Co.—Tuesdays and Fridays.

Business Advertisements.

Red House—Friday's grand sale.
Sealed proposals for street work.
Weinstock & Lubin—The summer exodus.
A city farm for sale.
Fruit pickers wanted.
Girl wanted.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Police Court.

In the Police Court yesterday, John Ryan, arrested for having been drunk, was discharged..... Antone Gregory and Mary Farr, similarly charged, and Anita Para and Ruby Wentworth, accused of exhibiting, forfeited their deposits.....Fong Lee's case of misdemeanor, in selling liquor to a minor, was stricken from the calendar, the boy who bought the liquor, John O'Farrell, having disappeared, and the authorities having serious doubts whether the defendant was the person from whom he purchased.....The cases of Fred Ackerman and C. Koening, charged with an assault to murder Paxon McDowell at the California House last Sunday morning, were continued until to-morrow.....Henry Baker, for disturbing the peace of Angelo Carvotti, at Dwyer's saloon, was fined $20, with the usual alternative.....Mrs. Grace Cook was tried for disturbing the peace of her daughter, and the matter taken under advisement until to-morrow, when a decision will be rendered in it and also in the vagrancy case in which she was defendant a few days ago.....The case of Ed. Grogan, for disturbing the peace, was stricken from the calendar, the defendant, a boy, receiving a reprimand.....The case of James Morrissey, for cruelty to animals, went over until this morning.....The cases of Frank S. Hall and Frank Smith, charged with grand larceny in robbing Michael Burke of $10, were set for hearing to-day.....Ed. A. Johnston, for disturbing the peace by appropriating a couple of small flags Monday night, was fined $1 and costs.

Settled with the State.

The following settlements have been made with the State Treasurer: Secretary of State W. C. Hendricks, fees for June, $2,025; Surveyor-General Theo. Reichert, fees of office for June, $1,405 50; fees for State Land Office, $767.

Superintendent of Public Schools, Ira G. Holt, sale of school-books for June, $1,166 55. The sales consisted of 863 first readers, 942 second, 921 third, 948 spellers, and 655 arithmetics; total, 4,329. Of this number, San Joaquin county took 500 copies of each, or more than half of all sold during the month. Mendocino county took 534, Kern 325, Sonoma 224, Solano 219, San Mateo 170, Tuolumne 96. The sales to Sacramento county were 4 each of the readers and spellers and 18 copies of the arithmetic. The total number of books sold by the State to date is as follows: First reader 4,004, second 3,620, third 4,131, spellers 4,956, arithmetics 655; total, 17,266.

J. C. L. Wadsworth, Insurance Commissioner, paid in fees for the month of June, $510 27.

Paul Shirley, Warden of the State Prison at San Quentin, paid in the following amounts: Jute goods sold to credit of the jute fund, $1,823 50; jute goods sold to the credit of the State Prison fund, $12,486 61.

Treasurer of Plumas county, $21,042 10.

Harbor Commissioners for month of June, $8,987 64.

Board of Supervisors.

TUESDAY, July 5th.

The Board met, all the members present.

The resignation of G. Brainard, Overseer of Road District, No. 13, was accepted, and George W. Wells elected to the vacancy.

T. H. Berkey was elected Clerk of the Board of Equalization, at a salary of $125.

T. J. Brown was elected Overseer of Road District No. 7.

A donation by A. B. Davis and E. A. Grant of a strip of land between the premises of those parties for road purposes was accepted, and the same declared a public highway.

The matter of repairs to the suspension bridge at Folsom was taken up, and bids opened. The California Bridge Company offered to do the work for $3,745; the San Francisco Bridge Company, for $3,487, and the King Bridge Manufacturing Company for $2,825. After a lengthy discussion, the latter bid, being the lowest, was accepted. A. W. Burrell, of the California Bridge Company, who was the expert appointed by the Board to ascertain the repairs necessary, protested against the acceptance of the bid, on the ground that it was not in accordance with the report submitted to the Board by him and accepted.

Auction Sales.

Bell & Co. will sell at 10 A. M. to-day, at their salesrooms, No. 927 K street, the furniture and carpets of three houses, consisting in part of three parlor suites, an elegant sideboard, five bedroom sets, spring and hair mattresses, patent kitchen tables, 40 yards of new oil cloth, two ranges, three bed-lounges, three Brussels and ingrain carpets, two extension tables, crockery, etc.

W. H. Sherburn will sell at salesroom, No. 323 K street, at 10 A. M. of Friday next, 6 boxes tea, 1,500 cigarettes, 6,000 cigars, 10 cases mackerel, 8 cases jams and jellies, 6 cases pie fruit, 100 pounds "O. K." smoking tobacco, 40 pounds "Bobolink" smoking tobacco; also, a plush parlor set, two black walnut marble-top bedroom suites, two cottage bedroom suites, four Brussels carpets, two ingrain carpets, tables, chairs, crockery and glassware.

I. O. O. F. INSTALLATION.—On Saturday evening last D. D. G. M., C. W. Baker installed the following officers of Industrial Lodge, No. 157, I. O. O. F.: Junior P. G., J. L. Robinette; Noble Grand, J. J. Nissen; Vice Grand, J. T. Purington; Rec. Sec., E. B. Hussey; Per. Sec., James Ferguson; Treasurer, James Stewart; Warden, J. N. Moore; Conductor, J. S. Watkins; O. Guardian, L. C. Jordan; I. Guardian, Martin Hook; R. S. to N. G., G. B. Dean; L. S. to N. G., J. A. Davis; R. S. to V. G., C. F. Babcock; L. S. to V. G., F. Gaschlin; R. S. S., Frank Hafer; L. S. S., Peter Larsen. After which those present partook of a collation, and a general good time was indulged in. The term report of this Lodge shows a membership of 182, gaining six new members, and $577 15, over all expenditures.

ARRESTED FOR THEIR "FUN."—The police have arrested four young men—Wally Nolan, P. Brannigan, James Flemming and M. Gorman—for appropriating to their use a barouche and team, hired from the Dexter Stables by a party of gentlemen Monday evening, and left by them in front of a place where they called for refreshments, the horses being carefully hitched. The charge against the parties is grand larceny, but it is stated that Brannigan took the rig, while drunk, and invited the others, whom he met on the street, to ride with him. At Fifth and N streets they made a short turn and upset, wrecking the vehicle. Brannigan's father is said to have paid the owner of the property $200 for damages. Young Brannigan took Chris. Wahl's buggy in much the same manner on election day.

Saturday, July 9, 1887.

On this day Mr. Politz will inaugurate his grand annual reduction sale. The entire stock will be offered for sale at a discount ranging from 25 to 50 per cent. Special mention is made of one hundred suits, all wool, this season's goods, reduced from $15 to $10 per suit; 300 pairs of fine cassimere, piqué and mohair pants, reduced from $6 to $3 per pair; 1,000 pairs of shoes, worth $4, reduced to $2 50 per pair, and so on along the entire line of the choicest goods on the coast. Mr. Politz will continue the sale until Saturday, July 16, 1887, inclusive. Do not forget his address, the Capital Clothing House, 600 and 602 K street, Sacramento. *

THE "Dude," a rough-and-ready braid straw hat, low crown, and narrow, straight brim, all colors, 38 cents; large poke sun hats, 25 cents; black, tan and brown high crown cartwheels, 20 cents each. Millinery Department, Red House. *

MANY lines of goods, in every department, have been reduced in price, and on sale to-day, at Red House. *

A DELIBERATE SUICIDE.

A Man Carefully Selects a Pistol With Which to End his Existence.

About 6:30 A. M. yesterday Henry Eckhardt observed a middle-aged man of good appearance looking into the show window of his gun store, K street, between Fifth and Sixth, and a few minutes later the man entered and was inspecting the contents of a showcase containing pistols, when Mr. Eckhardt inquired if he could do anything for him. He responded that he would like to get a pistol. Some weapons were shown him, and one of them, a self-cocker, seemed to be satisfactory. On learning the price he said he would take it, and requested that it be loaded. Mr. Eckhardt filled the cylinder with cartridges and inquired if his customer did not want a box of cartridges, receiving a response that it was scarcely necessary. The conduct of the stranger was so cool and natural, without indication of anything being wrong with him, that Mr. Eckhardt was greatly astonished and shocked when, on his carefully passing the loaded weapon to its purchaser, the latter quickly cocked it, placed the muzzle to the side of his head, about an inch above his right ear, fired and fell to the floor, bleeding profusely. A physician was promptly summoned, but he announced, after examining the wound, that it was without doubt mortal. A telephone message was sent to the station-house, and officers Franks and Pierpont arrived and conveyed the unconscious man to the Receiving Hospital, where the City Physician waited upon him, only to find him *in articulo mortis*, and death ensued about 8:15 A. M. From letters found upon his person, it was gathered that his name was John Hetherington, a native of Scotland, and his age was about 34 years. The Coroner took charge of the remains, and made inquiries which resulted in his ascertaining that the deceased left England for British Columbia about two years ago, from there went to Oregon, and subsequently came to Sacramento, where he obtained employment at the railroad works. Last Saturday he moved from where he had been rooming for about six months, and took a room on L street, which he had fitted up nicely, saying that he expected some friends from San Francisco, and his former quarters were not suitable to entertain them in. Two gentlemen, his cousins, came up to see him, and one was here yesterday, the other having returned home. From the one who is in the city the Coroner received information concerning deceased's previous residence and other matters. No one appears to know of anything that could have caused the commission of the fatal act. He had but little money about him—$1 60—but that would not have been much of a discouragement, as he was a single man and held a good situation. An inquest was held last evening, the jury finding that he came to his death at his own hand, with suicidal intent.

City Trustees.

The Board of City Trustees met in regular session at 10 A. M. yesterday, all the members present.

Dr. Nichols, the Secretary of the City Board of Health, appeared and protested against the ordinance relating to the disposition of garbage. The Board of Health were opposed to its being dumped at any place, however secluded it might be, within the city limits. The best way to dispose of it, in the opinion of the Board, was to burn it. Dr. Nixon said that the cases of diphtheria and scarlatina now found in the southeastern portion of the city were, no doubt, attributable to the foul gases arising from decaying garbage. He cautioned the Board against the passage of such an ordinance without consulting well the effect it would have upon the health of the city.

The suggestions of Dr. Nichols were so plain, and the evils arising from garbage dumps so apparent, that the Board decided to take the proposed ordinance under advisement for one week and so amend it as to overcome the objections.

According to the report of Engineer Williams, of the Water Works, during the past week there were pumped 40,287,500 gallons of water. That equals 1,400 gallons per week, or 200 gallons per day for every man, woman and child in the city. The Holly pump was run 118 hours, and the C. P. or Stevens pump 159 hours.

City Collector Geo. A. Putnam reported for the quarter ending June 30th, as follows: Licenses collected, $6,541 50; fees on the same, $84; dog licenses, $3. Total, $6,628 50; licenses on hand July 1st, $9,462 50.

Chief of Police Dillman, for the month of June, reported 250 arrests, 38 lodgers, 1,016 meals furnished.

THE M-STREET IMPROVEMENT.

The Trustees at their last meeting had reason to believe that the remonstrance to the M-street improvement had signatures obtained by fraud, and therefore requested those who stood in the way of improvement to come before the Board and acknowledge their signatures. A letter was read from Israel Luce, whose name appeared in the remonstrance. It was placed there by his wife, who was of the opinion that he was opposed to the improvement of the city. He owns 50 feet, which goes to the other side. Mr. Luce wants it understood that he is not one of those who stand in the way of Sacramento's progress. If he could, he would have the entire street paved with Inyo marble. Mr. O'Neil 40 feet, Mrs. Maharry 20 feet, Mr. Potter 20 feet, and Mr. Kenny 20 feet, were taken from the petition of "the obstructionists," and placed upon the side of those who are in favor of "improvement and progress." It is now stated that but 20 feet more is necessary, and it is expected there will be a tumble all along the line, and the street will be improved as it ought to be.

Judge Beatty was present at the meeting and presented the following, which was adopted:

WHEREAS, A remonstrance against the resolution to improve M street, passed by this Board in June, has been filed, and the Board is not satisfied that the signatures to the above have been made or authorized by the owners of a majority of a frontage along the line of the proposed improvement; but in view of the doubt raised by the filing of said remonstrance, and the strong objections of a part of the owners of said frontage to the plan of making said improvement as a whole, they being in favor of making the same block by block; therefore

Resolved, That said resolution to improve M street be and the same is hereby rescinded.

The Board then passed resolutions of intention to improve M street, block by block, by grading and graveling to the official grade and constructing paved gutters and redwood curbing.

Complaint was made by R. M. Clarken of the bad sewerage in the neighborhood of Thirteenth and N streets. Trustee Ryan informed him that a new sewer was now being put down which would remedy all the defects in that locality.

Wholesale Ranching Operations.

The Woodland *Mail* has the following reference to operations upon Hon. Charles F. Reed's ranch, near Knight's Landing: "A gentleman who has just returned from the Reed ranch gives a description of the harvest operations in progress there that would be highly interesting to some of our Eastern friends. There are two steam thrashers at work on the premises, thrashing from 2,500 to 3,000 sacks of grain a day. To keep these machines in operation it requires seven headers of 14 and 18 foot cut, and 22 header wagons, of from two to four horses each. Five six-mule teams are kept busy hauling the grain away from the machines to the warehouse. About 115 men are at work in the field, and 180 mules and horses are also employed. It is estimated that 45 days will be required to harvest the crop, which will amount to about 160,000 sacks of wheat. W. L. Richardson is superintendent of the ranch, but Mr. Reed is there most of the time to supervise the management. Everything is said to work with the utmost regularity and precision. There are other ranches, notably the Curtiss ranch, in the vicinity, that are worked on an equally large scale.

COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION.—At the last meeting of this body Miss Maggie Bixby and Maddison Babcock were granted recommendations for life diplomas. Miss Mary Phelps was granted a grammar grade certificate on her educational diploma. Miss Mary Mott was granted a grammar grade certificate on her State Normal School diploma. Miss Maggie Paine and Miss Nellie L. Todd were granted recommendations for educational diplomas. Mrs. Elizabeth Brown was granted a primary certificate for the city of Sacramento on her second grade city certificate. J. W. Johnson was elected President of the Board for the ensuing year by a unanimous vote.

IF you want the very best piano and at the same time the most durable, buy only the Mathushek piano, the only solid iron frame piano with the tuning pins bushed in. See them at Cooper's Music Store. *

LAWNS, buntings and lace check dress goods, on sale to-day at cut prices, at Red House. *

NOTICE.—City license and water rates now due. Pay on or before 15th inst. and save costs. *

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The new boiler-shop building at the railroad works has advanced to the raising of the rafters.

The Shasta excursion party returned home about 4 A. M. yesterday, delighted with their trip.

The barge California was yesterday taken to the marine ways on the Yolo side of the river to be hauled out and repaired.

The only arrest made yesterday was that of Dave Barnes, by officers Connack and McLaughlin, for disturbing the peace.

The County Board of Equalization met yesterday, but transacted no business, as there were no applications for increase or reduction of assessments.

Governor Bartlett has appointed Thos. H. Laine a Trustee of the State Normal School at San Jose, vice O. W. Childs, transferred to Los Angeles.

Sheriff Hale, of Alameda county, brought up last evening Albert Montieth, who is en route to the State Prison at Folsom to serve four years for grand larceny.

Ed. Cox, of Engine Company No. 1, who was injured on Monday while going to a fire, in consequence of his buggy losing a wheel, was yesterday reported to be doing well.

The Marshall Monument Committee has not as yet decided as to the style of monument to be erected. This will be done at their next meeting, which will be held in Napa the latter part of this month.

All trains leaving the city were unusually loaded with passengers, including many old Sacramentans, now residing in other portions of the State, but who came here to assist in celebrating the national holiday.

The fine exhibit made by Chris. Ehmann of canned teas, coffees and spices in the procession of trade displays on the 4th of July was inadvertently omitted from our report; but it was there and excellent, all the same.

The average Signal Service temperature yesterday was 81.7°, which is 10.3° warmer than the normal temperature for that day. The highest and lowest temperature was 99° and 63°, with gentle to fresh southerly winds, and weather clear to fair and clear.

It seems to be unnecessary to make long trips from the city to make successful deer hunts, as the game can be found close at hand. Last Sunday Josh Sovereign and Mr. Crosby, of Woodland, went to the Sink of Cache creek in search of venison, and Sovereign killed a fine buck.

It is probable that the cases of Koening and Ackerman, charged with an assault to murder Paxon McDowell, will be transferred from the Police Court to the Court of Justice Post, and the deposition of witnesses taken, as it will doubtless be several weeks before McDowell is able to be out.

In mentioning the trades display on the Fourth of July those of Stanton, Thomson & Co., the Washington Bakery and Pioneer Soda Works were accidentally omitted. Each of these made a creditable display, particularly so the former, who had a float, exhibiting an immense line of plows.

The second trial of T. C. Casey for burglary will be commenced in Department Two of the Superior Court before Judge Freer this morning. The Chatfield case is also set for hearing in the same Court this morning, but will probably be transferred to Department One, where Judge Van Fleet will hear it.

W. H. Lovett received his release from the Altas yesterday, and has thrown up his situation at the railroad works, with the intention of returning East in a few days, though offers have been made him by a San Francisco club. This leaves the Altas with but one pitcher, which may be rather awkward some time.

Chief Dillman has provided a new record book for the police office, in which, under appropriate headings, are daily entered the name of prisoner, cause of arrest, time of arrest, name of arresting officer, name of prosecuting witness, list of property taken from prisoner, property returned to him and date; also the number of meals furnished prisoners, names of "lodgers," etc.

Carle, Croly & Abernethy have been having much difficulty in procuring the hauling of the large quantity of lumber necessary for the construction of the immense flume which is to supply San Diego with water, and for which they have the contract. Parties who proposed to contract for the hauling charged such high rate that it was found necessary for the firm to provide their own teams, and Mr. Carle has recently purchased and sent down from this city and vicinity 140 horses, which are now at work. Yesterday he went up to Chico to obtain about sixty more if possible. He thinks, from present indications, that his firm will, by doing their own hauling, clear the price of the teams.

Free Library Meeting.

The Board of Trustees of the Public Library met last evening in their office in the Library Building. Present, W. C. Fitch, President; Add. C. Hinkson, Vice-President; S. H. Gerrish, Secretary; L. E. Smith and A. S. Hopkins.

The report of the Librarian for the month of June was read, as follows: Number of books issued during the month, 3,381, classified thus: Fiction, 2,675; history, 99; biography, 83; travel and adventures, 117; miscellaneous literature, 214; religion, 16; poetry and drama, 65; science and art, 112. Average number issued per day, 113. Number of names on the register, 7,387. Amount of fines collected, $9 30. Number of books repaired in the Library by the Librarian, 105.

The annual reports of the Secretary and Librarian were read and ordered on file.

A vote of thanks was unanimously tendered by the Board to N. M. Gammel, for a donation to the library of a book—"A Description of Texas; its Advantages and Resources," illustrated. The Assistant Librarian's salary was increased to $60.

The following bills were allowed: Capital Gas Company, $12 60; C. R. Parsons, $17 50; W. T. Coleman, $10 50; C. S. Houghton, $59 64; N. M. Gammel, $19; Boston Athenæum, $29 25; Laura de Force Gordon, $15; H. G. Megerle, $14 95; C. E. Spencer, $7 80; Day & Joy, $9 25; H. S. Crocker & Co., $4 50; Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company, $13 50.

After ordering 60 new books purchased—which will be on the shelves for the public Saturday morning—the Board adjourned.

How the Rumor Started.

A large card with the word "Closed" upon it, which had been hung on the inside of the glass door at the Sacramento Bank, to indicate that no business would be transacted on Independence Day, was permitted to remain there until banking hours yesterday forenoon. Some one who saw it yesterday morning interpreted it as meaning that the institution had suspended, or in other words had "got busted," and he soon imparted the "news" to others, and a rumor was immediately abroad based upon his statement. A representative of the RECORD-UNION upon hearing it called at the bank and found that he conveyed the first intelligence of the rumor that had been received by the bank officials. It was not known at that time how the statement had originated, but the cashier requested his informer to look into the bank safe and see if it bore any evidences of "leanness." The request was complied with, and the number of trays filled with "gold coin of the realm" that was shown, was conclusive evidence that the bank had a larger amount of spot cash on hand than most such institutions carry, and the cashier remarked, "You can see for yourself; and I may add, that the bank was never in a more prosperous condition than at the present time."

CHANGES.—The following changes have been made in the auction sale of real estate to take place Friday next: Lots 2 and 7 advertised N and O, Nineteenth and Twentieth, now read N and O, Eighteenth and Nineteenth. Lot 509 N street is withdrawn, and house and lot No. 1325 Fifth street is substituted in its place. The east half of lot 1, N and O, Nineteenth and Twentieth, is also added to the list.

NOTARIAL APPOINTMENTS.—The Governor has commissioned Notaries Public as follows: Charles E. Heath, San Diego city; Richard F. Fletcher, Solano county, to reside at Rye Island; J. G. Rhodes, Fresno city; Nathan A. Bradley, Hollister, San Benito county; William W. Mendenhall, Livermore, Alameda county; T. W. H. Shanahan, Anderson.

FIRE LAST EVENING.—About 9:20 last evening it was observed that the roof of St. Joseph's Convent, on G street, between Eighth and Ninth, was on fire, having been ignited, it is supposed, by fireworks burned in the neighborhood a short time previously. An alarm was turned in from box 26, and the firemen extinguished the blaze without trouble.

Parties in the neighborhood of Buffalo Bill's circus tent in London have complained of the show as a nuisance.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

James O'Brien, of Smartsville, is in the city.

J. L. Jackson, of this city, has gone on a visit to San Diego.

Miss Annie Morris, of Woodland, is visiting friends in this city.

Miss McBride, of Coloma, is spending a few days with friends in this city.

S. Stein and wife and Mrs. M. Hirsch, of this city, are visiting in San Francisco.

E. T. McCullum, of the Red House establishment, has gone East on a two months' visit.

H. S. Morey and F. L. Partridge came up from the Bay last evening, en route to Placerville.

Superior Judge Charles H. Marks, of Merced county, spent the Fourth in Sacramento and left yesterday for home.

Mrs. S. A. Duncan, of San Francisco, returned home yesterday, after spending about four weeks with Sacramento friends.

Walter Seymour, of Troy, New York, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Smith, of this city, leaves for San Francisco this morning.

Arrivals at the Golden Eagle Hotel yesterday: G. A. Radke, New York; Frank Bullock, Chicago; J. M. Morlan, Denver; G. A. Johnson, Santa Rosa; J. M. C. Jasper, Wheatland; A. W. Burrell, Oakland; S. G. Dickerman, Berkeley; H. Kruse, F. S. Rice, San Francisco; W. H. Middleton and wife, Lizzie Middleton, Tonie Lillie, J. A. Middleton, Dallas, Tex.; Morris Mayer, A. J. Eastland and wife, F. L. Partridge, San Francisco; D. M. Woodbury, St. Louis, Mo.; J. H. Bradley, Placerville.

NEW METROPOLITAN THEATER. — The Wessells Dramatic Company, reinforced by new members, will to-night present the thrillingly sensational drama, "A Celebrated Case." Mr. Wessells in this play personates a character in which he achieved great success at the East, playing it over 200 nights. Mr. Ruttedge and Mr. Dean also have leading parts.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

Serious Accident to a Northern Pacific Freight Train.

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SPOKANE FALLS, July 5th.—A railroad accident of a serious nature occurred this morning at 4 o'clock to an extra on the Northern Pacific, run by Conductor Tannan and engineer Evans. The train was rounding a sharp curve in the road, about a mile east of town, when it encountered a band of horses. The engine struck three animals, carrying them on the trestle and mangling them in a horrible manner. Midway across the trestle the engine jumped the track and went bumping along the trestling, tearing it up, and finally plunging over and landing a complete wreck on the solid rock beneath. The caboose and other portions of the train were considerably damaged. The fireman jumped from the engine, alighting in the rocky bed and sustaining severe injuries. The engineer remained at his post of duty, but was thrown out, and was found, when the motion of the train had ceased, lying between the wheels of the tender and caboose. His wounds are very severe. The conductor and brakeman escaped uninjured.

Safety from Malaria.

The most vigorous constitution and the strongest physique are not proof against a disease, the germs of which impregnate the air we breathe and the water we drink. The true preparative, the surest defense, is to fortify the system with a medicine which possesses specific virtues as a safeguard and remedy. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is precisely this article—proved by conclusive tests to be so. Not only on this continent, wherever miasma gives birth to the malarial infection, but in the tropics, where fever and ague assumes its most malignant types, this incomparable, popular and deserving medicine has, for over a third of a century, shown its efficacy. Chills and fever, dumb ague, bilious remittent alike yield to its influence and are prevented by it. The word "fail" has no place in the lexicon of possibilities when this peerless article is used. It tones the stomach, arouses the liver when sluggish, and promotes healthful activity of the kidneys and bladder.

AFRICA'S AGE OF STONE.—Many travelers have failed to discover any stone implements in Africa, and in view of the comparative rarity of these finds it seems probable that the use of these manufactures was never so prevalent among the ancient inhabitants of Africa as among the prehistoric races of Europe and America. A possible reason for this may be found in the fact that in no part of the world do outcroppings of iron cover so large an area as in Africa. It is within easy reach of the native tribes, and those desitute of it are supplied in the native markets with its manufactured product by those that have learned how to smelt iron ore. It is not at all unlikely that before the making of stone implements had become a great industry in Africa, as it did in more northern latitudes, some ingenious tribe discovered the uses and advantages of iron. It is proverbial that news spreads rapidly in Africa. Tribe after tribe may have learned of this discovery until Africa suddenly emerged into the iron age without lingering long in the greater barbarism of the stone epoch.—*New York Sun.*

Enjoy Life.

What a truly beautiful world we live in! Nature gives us grandeur of mountains, glens and oceans, and thousands of means of enjoyment. We can desire no better when in perfect health; but how often do the majority of people feel like giving it up disheartened, discouraged and worn out with disease, when there is no occasion for this feeling, as every sufferer can easily obtain satisfactory proof, that *Green's August Flower* will make them free from disease as when born. Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint are the direct causes of seventy-five per cent. of such maladies as Biliousness, Indigestion, Sick Headache, Costiveness, Nervous Prostration, Dizziness of the Head, Palpitation of the Heart and other distressing symptoms. Three doses of *August Flower* will prove its wonderful effect. Sample bottles, 10 cents. Try it.

Guide: "If the ladies will only stop talking, your Honor may hear the roaring of the waterfall across the valley."

Don't allow yourself to break. Keep up Youth, Health, Vigor. At first signs of going back, begin use of WELLS' HEALTH RENEWER. For weak men, delicate women. Renews energy. Cures Dyspepsia, Mental or Nervous Weakness, Nervous and General Debility, Fever and Ague. Nice to take, true merit, unequaled for **TORPID LIVER** and **NIGHT SWEATS,** Leanness, Nervous Prostration, heavy labored or restless sleep, exhausted, tired, languid, faint, "ALL GONE" feeling, distress in the back or head. Wind on bowels or stomach. $1, 6 for $5. Druggists or Express. E. S. WELLS, Jersey City, N. J., U. S. A.

BORN.

Sacramento, June 28—Wife of J. Harriman, a daughter.

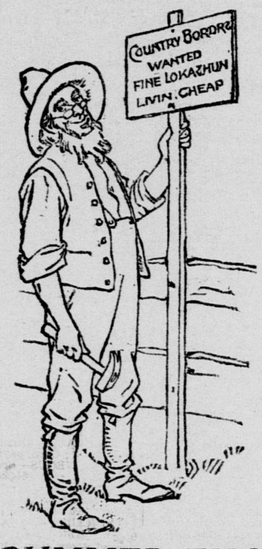
DIED.

Sacramento, July 3—Minnie, daughter of John and Louisa Kromer, a native of Sacramento, 8 years, 1 month and 5 days.

Near Lincoln, Placer county, June 15—D. H. Goodno, a native of Ohio, 52 years, 3 months and 21 days. (Quincy, Ill., papers please copy.)

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 Gauze Undershirts, 9 cents each.
Furnishing Goods Department.



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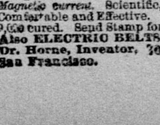

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