

THE CRUCIAL TEST.

The severe analytical tests to which the various baking powders have from time to time been placed have demonstrated clearly to the public the relative merits of the different brands from a scientific point of view.

But the crucial test of the kitchen is, after all, the most satisfactory to the housekeeper. A baking powder that never fails to make light, sweet, wholesome, and palatable bread, biscuit, cake, etc., is the one that will be selected by the practical housekeeper and received into her kitchen for continuous use.

TO-DAY!

Ladies' Hemstitched Colored-border Handkerchiefs, 3 cts. each.

DO NOT FAIL

To examine the immense values we are offering in our Shoe Department.

TO-DAY we will close a line of Men's Heavy Wool Cassimere Sack Suits, worth \$13 50, at \$7 75 per suit.

OUR CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES

Are attracting the attention of all who are desirous of getting many handsome Gifts at little expense.

LADIES' HOSIERY in all the staple styles and all the latest shades and effects, from 10 cents to \$2 50 per pair.

FARMERS' AND MECHANICS' STORE,

E. S. ELKUS, Proprietor, 922 and 924 J street (opposite the Plaza).

The Camel's Humps.

Structurally, of course, the humps are nothing—mere lumps of fat, collected under a convenient fold of the skin, and utterly unprovided for in the framework of the skeleton.

Can Animals Count?

Houzeau de la Haie tells of a pelican living in a fisherman's family in San Domingo that was fed upon the refuse of the fish-cleaning.

A Sensation in a Sleeping Car.

The funniest incident of my trip was in a sleeping car. It was in the morning, when most of the passengers had got out of their berths.

Straw for Feed.

It is good advice to give to save the straw to feed animals. But if the straw were fed alone, it is so very worthless the saving. The potential feeding value of oat straw is two-thirds that of average meadow hay, pound for pound.

Then the head of a 10-year-old urchin emerged where the foot had been, and a sleepy, angry, boyish voice said: "Look here, Sam, you let me alone. Next time you ketch a hold of my foot that way I'll kick the giard out of you."

There was a subsidence of sentimental interest and a risibility of mirth. "Guth" in the Cincinnati Enquirer.

Brick Venereing for Frame Houses.

A construction detail that is gaining much popularity in some Western cities is the bricking in of frame houses. The building is sided up with matched stuff, as if composed of a brick face wall four inches thick.

"It's a beautiful day for a walk," she said, looking out of the window. "Indeed it is," he said, doing likewise. "Would you like to take a walk?" she continued. "Above all things." "Then why don't you?"—Happer's Baar.

COMMERCIAL

SACRAMENTO MARKET.

SACRAMENTO, November 30th. FRUIT—Lemons, 50¢; Apples, 40¢; Oranges, 50¢; Peaches, 75¢; Plums, 50¢; Grapes, 40¢; Raisins, 50¢; Currants, 40¢; Strawberries, 50¢; Raspberries, 40¢; Blackberries, 40¢; Blueberries, 40¢; Elderberries, 40¢; Gooseberries, 40¢; Huckleberries, 40¢; Raspberries, 40¢; Blackberries, 40¢; Blueberries, 40¢; Elderberries, 40¢; Gooseberries, 40¢; Huckleberries, 40¢.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

SAN FRANCISCO, November 30th. FLOUR—We quote: Net cash price for Family Extra, \$4 75; Bakers Extra, \$4 75; Superfine, \$5 00. WHEAT—Movement is not of active character. Holders are not pressing stock, though showing more desire to meet the views of buyers when definite offers are made.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Lily of the Valley Lodge, No. 11, D. of H. Regular meeting THIS (Saturday) EVENING, 8 o'clock, at Gravelly Hall, Section of officers. MISS MAMIE SMIDY, C. of H.

WANTED—A BARBER AT 6 O'K STREET. Steady employment. WANTED—A SITUATION BY A RESPECTABLE MAN for general housework. Call at 724 K Street.

WANTED—A MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN wishes a situation to do housework; is a fine cook, is not afraid of work; will go as a working housekeeper, city or country. Address 521 K Street, corner of Sixth.

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN WISHES A position in a store, or to drive a wagon. Address X. L. this office.

TRAVEL—TO MY FARM, ONE MILE north of Gravelly Hall, on the Cosumnes river, a small, dark brown mare; four white feet, and white stripe in face. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying charges. d-14

TO LET—ONE FURNISHED ROOM FOR gentlemen, with bath and gas at 471 H Street. Apply at Signal Office, 117 J Street. d-14

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FOR RENT—SUITE OF FIVE LARGE AND well-lighted rooms on the Cosumnes river, with hot and cold water in the kitchen, and separate mirror and curtains in each room. Will be rented to responsible and permanent parties only. Address A. C. this office. d-14

GIVEN BY THE UNITED VETERAN G Sunday-school, TO-MORROW EVENING, at 7 o'clock, in church, Sixth and I Streets. Public are invited.

REGULAR REPUBLICAN TICKET

SCHOOL DIRECTORS.

FIRST WARD.....A. J. SENATZ.

SECOND WARD.....JOSEPH HOLPEY.

THIRD WARD.....R. J. VAN VOORHIES.

FOURTH WARD.....H. C. CHIPMAN.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET

SCHOOL DIRECTORS.

FIRST WARD.....H. B. NIELSEN.

SECOND WARD.....J. N. PAYNE.

THIRD WARD.....H. L. NICHOLLS.

FOURTH WARD.....W. A. DA SIELLE.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

CUTLERLAND LAND AND CATTLE COMPANY. Location of principal place of business, Sacramento city, State of California.

OFFER

A BARGAIN FOR \$8,500, ONLY \$2,000 CASH.

AMUSEMENTS.

METROPOLITAN THEATER.

CHAS. F. HALL, Prop. and Manager.

One More Night!

MATINEE SATURDAY AT 2.

Funniest Play on the American Stage.

"I Wouldn't Miss It for Nine Dollars."

The Popular Artists

HALLEN AND HART!

Assisted by their own Guaranteed Company, under the management of HARRY HINE, in their new Musical Farce-Comedy.

LATER ON!

Pretty Girls! Catchy Music!

Topical Songs! Fascinating Dances!

Night Prices, 50 and 75 cents. No extra to reserve.

Matinee Prices—Admission, 25 cents; Reserved seats, 75 cents; Children, 25 cents.

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HENRY

Monday Evening, December 3d

DID YOU DRAW IT?

Return Engagement of the Representative Irish-American Actor,

DAN'L SULLY!

And first production here of his Winning Comedy,

The Capital Prize

A Plethora of Fun!

An Abundance of Music!

A Complement of Dances!

Prices, 50 and 75 cents. No extra to reserve seats. On sale Saturday.

MILITARY BALL.

COMPANY A, FIRST ARTILLERY REGIMENT, will give a ball in honor of its thirty-third anniversary.

Evening of December 1st, at ARMOY HALL Tickets (admitting gentlemen and ladies), 50 cents. 123-d-14

WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY.

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