WHAT'S GOING TO HAPPEN!

The Sacramentos at Last Succed in Winning a Game.

About 150 people attended the ball game at Snowflake Park yesterday, and the fact that the Sacramentos won must have "thunderstruck" them. They won the game sure enough, and actually batted out a victory in the ninth inning. Everybody thought the result was to be the same old way, and to say that the audience were surprised would be but expressing their feelings slightly. The Sacramentos did, once before, we believe, win a game in the ninth inning, but as a general rule when they were required to exert themselves in the latter stages of a game, they were invariably unequal to the task.

Manigan, the pitcher of the Lavensons, occupied the box for the Sacramentos, and he did quite well for an amateur. He had good control of the ball at critical times, but it can be seen that he is too light for the position. He was batted quite freely at times. In a year or so, with practice, he will probably be able to play in a professional nine with credit.

Powers' failure to take charge of a low thrown ball, in the ninth inning, gave the Sacramentos the game. If he had succeeded in picking it up, the home nine would have suffered another defeat. The following is the score:

SACRAMENTO.	T.B.	R.	B.H.	S.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Goodenough, c. f.	3	2	1	0	3	0	3
Veach, 1st b.	4	1	2	1	15	1	0
McSorley, 3d b.	5	1	0	1	1	6	0
O'Day, 2d b.	5	1	1	0	3	2	0
Roberts, l. f.	5	1	2	0	0	0	0
Roxburg, c.	5	2	2	1	5	1	1
Lohman, r. f.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0
Manigan, p.	4	0	0	1	0	2	0
Zeigler, s. s.	4	1	2	0	0	1	1
Totals	39	9	10	5	27	13	5

STOCKTON.	T.B.	R.	B.H.	S.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Cahill, l. f.	5	1	1	1	0	1	1
Howard, r. f.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ebright, s. s.	4	0	1	0	1	1	2
Buckley, c. f.	5	2	2	0	5	0	1
Powers, 1st b.	5	1	1	0	14	0	1
Wilson, 3d b.	5	0	0	0	1	7	0
Hurley, c.	4	2	3	2	4	1	1
Fudger, p.	4	0	2	0	0	1	0
Creamer, 2d b.	2	0	0	0	2	4	0
Totals	37	6	10	1	27	15	6

Runs by innings—	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Sacramento	2	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	5	—9
Stockton	1	1	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	—6

Earned runs—Sacramento, 3; Stockton, 2. Home run—Cahill. Three-base hit—Zeigler. First base on errors—Sacramento, 8; Stockton, 2. First base on balls—Sacramento, 4; Stockton, 2. Struck out—By Manigan, 4; Fudger, 3. Left on bases—Sacramento, 7; Stockton, 8. Bases stolen—Goodenough (3), Veach, Roxburg (2), Ebright (2), Buckley (2), Hurley, Fudger. Double plays—Veach and O'Day; Creamer and Powers. Hit by pitcher—Howard, Creamer, Ebright. Wild pitches—Manigan, 1. Umpire—Clay Chipman. Official scorer—Will H. Young. Time of game—1 hour 45 minutes.

The Colonels Still at It.

SAN FRANCISCO, September 19th.—By a desperate effort in the last half of the ninth inning to-day the 'Friscos escaped a shutout by making two runs. It was the same old story on the part of the home nine. They could not hit Wehrle a little bit, having only four safe hits in eight innings. The Oaklands had their batting clothes on and slugged right and left for triples and doubles, with Dooley's home run hit thrown in. The Colonels also played a fine fielding game, Dooley's error being a misjudged grounder and Hardie's misplay a muff of a fly. The peculiarity of the game was the small number of stolen bases, both catchers throwing out several men at second. Score:

SAN FRANCISCO.	T.B.	R.	B.H.	S.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Shea, s. s.	4	0	0	0	2	5	1
Levy, 1. f.	4	1	2	0	1	0	1
Hanley, 2d. b.	4	1	1	1	3	5	0
Stockwell, r. f.	4	0	1	1	1	1	0
Ferrier, c. f.	4	0	0	1	2	0	1
Sweeney, 1st b.	3	0	1	0	14	0	0
Whitehead, 3d b.	3	0	0	0	0	2	1
Swett, c.	3	0	1	1	4	3	2
Barry, p.	3	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	32	2	6	4	27	17	6

OAKLAND.	T.B.	R.	B.H.	S.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Long, c. f.	4	0	1	0	1	0	0
Dailey, l. f.	5	1	1	1	3	1	0
Hardie, r. f.	5	2	1	0	1	0	1
Smalley, 3d b.	4	3	2	0	2	2	0
O'Neill, s s.	5	2	1	1	1	2	0
Dooley, 1st b.	5	2	3	0	10	1	1
McDonald, 2d b.	2	0	0	0	3	4	0
Stallings, c.	4	0	0	0	5	2	0
Wehrle, p.	4	0	1	0	1	0	0
Totals	38	10	10	2	27	12	2

Runs by innings—	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Oakland	0	1	4	0	1	0	3	0	1	—10
San Francisco	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	—	2

Earned runs—San Franciscos, 1; Oaklands, 6. Home run—Dooley. Three-base hits—O'Neill, Smalley. Two-base hits—Dooley, Long, Smalley. Stolen bases—Sweeney, O'Neill. First base on errors—San Franciscos, 2; Oaklands, 3. First base on called balls—San Franciscos, 1; Oaklands, 4. Left on bases—San Franciscos, 4; Oaklands, 6. Struck out—By Barry, 2. by Wehrle, 5. Hit by pitcher—McDonald. Double plays—Stockwell and Sweeney, McDonald and Dooley, Stallings and McDonald. Passed balls—Swett, 1. Wild pitch—Barry, 1. Time of game—One hour and thirty-five minutes. Umpire—Sheridan. Scorer—Stapleton.

SOMEWHAT BETTER.

The Weather Toning Down, Much to the Comfort of Visitors.

The highest and lowest Signal Service temperature yesterday was 86° and 59°, while for the same date last year it was 92° and 58°. The highest and lowest temperature one year ago to-day was 91° and 60°.

The weather yesterday was delightfully pleasant and agreeable, except where crowds of people were gathered together, as in the grand stand at the races, which made it uncomfortably warm, as the wind was light and northerly until about 4:15 P. M., when a gentle and refreshing southerly breeze sprung up.

Pardoned by the Governor.

Governor Waterman has pardoned Peter J. Harrington, who was convicted in Alameda county in March, 1887, of the crime of embezzlement and sentenced to the State Prison for five years. The Governor gives the following reasons for his action:

"Harrington was Roadmaster of the Livermore Road District in Alameda county, and unlawfully appropriated to his own uses about $400. His bondsmen promptly paid the county for its loss, believing that Harrington was not criminally guilty. He admitted using the money, but after it was repaid he did not seem to comprehend that he was still guilty in the eyes of the law and refused to make any defense. His petition is signed by eleven of the jurors before whom he was tried, the twelfth having left the State; by all the county officers and Supervisors and many prominent citizens of Alameda county. He has already served the greater part of his sentence, and bears an excellent reputation among the prison officials. For the foregoing reasons executive clemency is extended to him."

State Land Patents.

Governor Waterman on yesterday granted the following land patents: S. Solon Holl, 80 acres, Lassen county; California Savings and Loan Society, 480 acres, Solano county; Regents' University of California, 320 acres, Santa Clara county; John E. McDonald, 1,280 acres, Fresno county; Robert Searles, 640 acres, Fresno county; J. L. Prewit, 160 acres, Monterey county; George S. Safford, 80 acres, San Bernardino county; William F. Edgar, 40 acres, San Bernardino county; W. F. Shaw, 640 acres, Fresno county; Charles N. Shaw, 640 acres, San Diego county; F. W. Wood, 40 acres, San Bernardino county; William Hoag, 40 acres, San Bernardino county; J. S. Morgan, 584.59 acres, San Luis Obispo county; J. H. von Schroder, 40 acres, San Luis Obispo county.

Remarkable Vitality.

Patrick Powers, a farm hand employed on a ranch near Woodland, was engaged in hauling grain to Black's Station Wednesday, when his team became unmangeable and Powers was thrown from the wagon. In striking the ground his right arm was broken in two places, and then the wheels of the wagon passed directly over his head, fracturing the skull on both sides. Despite the serious nature of his injuries, Powers retained consciousness and conversed with his friends while they were conveying him to town. At last accounts he was resting easily with a possibility of recovering.

Robbed the Clotheslines.

News has been received regarding the robbery of a Chinese wash-house at Knights Landing on Tuesday. The proprietor of the wash-house was in the front part of his house when some noise drew his attention to the rear of the building. When he opened the door he saw a couple of rough-looking men just in the act of tying up about all the clothes he had on the line preparatory to decamping. The Chinaman started for the men when one of them showed fight. While the Chinaman was engaged with the one in combat, the other made away with the clothes.

THE public sale of thoroughbred Galloway and Angus Cattle, to be held at the Agricultural Park Amphitheater to-day, will commence at 11 o'clock. *

MATHUSHEK PIANOS the best. Indorsed by artists. Cooper's music store. *

FELL AMONG SHARPERS.

A Rural Visitor Sees the Sights, But Pays Rather Dearly for It.

George Averies, a verdant excursionist from Placer county, took in the sights last night, and during his meanderings dropped into a low den on Third and L streets. Averies was somewhat intoxicated, and began to boast of his affluence to the loungers in the groggery.

"How much money have you got?" inquired a low-browed individual who was leaning on the bar.

"None of your business. I've got more than you, anyhow," was Averies' reply.

"Bet you haven't," said the man.

"Bet I have," said Averies.

The barkeeper suggested that they "show up," the man winning the bet to take all of the loser's money.

Averies placed $20 on the bar, and the other man showed the same amount. The barkeeper shoved the money over to the low-browed individual and grinned at Averies. The latter wanted an explanation.

"Why," said the barkeeper, "you were betting that you had more money than this man. You havn't shown more."

Averies departed immediately for the police station, and at last accounts was trying to persuade the night jailer to issue warrants for the arrest of the saloon keeper and the man who had taken the money.

"DYING" FALSEHOODS.

Frank Batties Materially Modifies His Alleged Dying Statement.

Frank Batties, the negro who shot a companion in a dispute on L street about two weeks ago, had his examination in the Police Court yesterday on a charge of assault to murder. It will be remembered that the wounded man made what he supposed was a dying statement shortly after being shot, in which he stated that his assailant had shot him without cause. He recovered from the shot, however, and was in Court yesterday to prosecute. His statements there were of a different character, and the defendant came near being discharged on his testimony. It was shown that the defendant had been threatening him time and again, and that he fired the shot, thinking his life was in danger.

Judge Buckley acquitted Batties, and also took occasion to remind the prosecuting witness of the serious results which might have come to pass had he died after making the statement he did.

AMUSEMENTS.

METROPOLITAN THEATER.—The Grismer-Davies Company, with the fine support of Hugo Toland, Harry Davenport, Mrs. Stevens, Miss Archer and others, appears to-night in the thrilling sensational drama of "The World Against Her."

OPERA HOUSE.—The Boston All Star Specialty Company to-night in a varied round of specialty performances, with song, dance, instrumental music, diorama, acrobatic and other exercises.

ARMORY HALL.—The Mirror of Ireland—an attractive panorama—and the comedy "Barney's Courtship" to-night. The business of the Sullivan company has been very good.

HORSE TRAINING.—At his tent on Eighth street, between J and K streets, McKeown, the horse-trainer, gives instructing and pleasing entertainments in the training of vicious or badly broken horses. His method is excellent.

BRIEF NOTES.

The river has dropped to seven feet one inch.

The steamer Dover went up the river yesterday with a light barge.

The Lavensons have accepted the "Our Taste" ball team's challenge to play a match game next Sunday. The game will take place at Snowflake Park at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

North Star Gold Mine.

James D. Hague, President of the North Star Gold Mining Company, operating in Grass Valley, is authority for the statement that the gross value of the product of the mine for the month of August was $27,400. Most of this came from the 1,800 foot level. The officers of the company are very much gratified to find that the ore improves with depth, the output for the last two weeks of August averaging about $20 per ton. Development work is going on steadily, and the 1,900-foot level is being opened up. President Hague believes that the August receipts will be sufficient to enable the company to pay a dividend of $50,000 shortly.

Complimentary to California.

The agents of the Governmental Experimental Farm of Japan are now in the United States, looking up choice animals for breeding purposes. After a careful examination of the stock now on exhibition at the State Fair, they determined that the Bates bred shorthorn bull Royal Barrington and the Earl of Aylesby 2d, of the Cruickshank family, both selected from the herd of A. Heilbron & Bro., filled the necessary requirements as to merit, and were accordingly purchased by them for export. They will be shipped to Japan next week.

The Big American Band.

Douglas White, Manager of the coming Pacific Coast festivals to be given by Gilmore's great band of sixty-three pieces, was in consultation with the State Board of Agriculture last evening relative to securing the use of the Pavilion for two concerts in November next. This famous musical aggregation carries its own artillery, consisting of six guns. The band is now en route to the coast.

Detained by Low Water.

The steamer Apache, which should have arrived in this city Wednesday morning, between 6 and 9 o'clock, did not get here until about 7 o'clock that evening. She was detained all day on the bar in the river at the foot of Q street, and it was with the greatest difficulty that she was floated again. In consequence of this detention she did not leave this city until yesterday near noon.

Transcontinental Horseback ing.

John Allen, a wealthy New York merchant, and John Platt, his friend, arrived in this city Wednesday night, having made the trip across the continent on horseback. They were 127 days in the saddle and utilized eleven horses on the trip. Both gentlemen made the trip for their health, and fully recovered it. Yesterday they left for San Francisco.

Robbing "Hayseeds."

Police officer Harvey last evening arrested a nimble-fingered "shell-and-pea" operator in the sideshow on K street, near Turner Hall. The operator was surrounded by a group of gullible countrymen, who were laying their money on their ability to locate the mystic pea, in stacks. The man gave his name at the Police Station as G. W. Loomis.

Special Train.

The railroad company will run a special train from here to San Francisco to-morrow night for the accommodation of visitors attending the fair. It will leave here at 7 P. M. and go to San Francisco via Benicia. People from the Bay and way stations will thus be enabled to attend the races on Saturday afternoon.

Real Estate at Auction.

Bell & Co. announce that on Tuesday, October 1st, they will sell at auction lot 4, in the block between O and P, Ninth and Tenth streets, with the brick double dwelling thereon; also lot 3, M, N, Ninth and Tenth streets, with two-story brick double dwelling.

Shell Game Operators.

Chief of Police Lee cautioned his officers yesterday to look sharply after the "shell game" operators. He knew they were operating here in different places, and already one man reported to him that he had dropped a double eagle at the game.

Ladies' Day.

Ladies interested should remember the matinee at the Museum of Anatomy on J street this afternoon from 2 until 6. Over two hundred ladies attended on Tuesday, and all were highly pleased with what they saw and learned. *

H. M. BERNARD, carriage-maker, corner Sixth and L streets, has the finest and best display in his repository to be seen in this city. Some work of his make in this vicinity has run over 35 years. He makes none but the best and guarantees all of his work. Give him a call. *

THE USUAL BUDGET.

Judge Buckley Dispenses Justice to a Motley Gang.

Frank E. Johnson was convicted in the Police Court yesterday of disturbing the peace and battery and was sentenced to ten days on the former charge and twenty days on the latter.

John Kelly, who was concerned in the same offense, was discharged. It was shown that he was trying to prevent a quarrel between Johnson and another individual.

James Murry was ordered to pay a fine of $2 50 for being drunk.

Tom Moore, drunk was discharged, and Aleck McTimmens forfeited his $5 deposit.

H. M. Knapp was found guilty of drunkenness and committing battery, and on the two charges he was ordered to "rusticate" for thirty days.

Barry Walsh, charged with being a healthy beggar, was acquitted.

The charge of burglary against Henry Martin was dismissed.

W. S. Dodd had his case of disturbing the peace continued until Monday next.

James Duffy, charged with grand larceny, was granted a continuance until next Saturday.

Thomas Carr, charged with petit larceny, in stealing some money from two little boys while the latter were swimming in the river, was found guilty, but judgment was postponed until to-day.

IN CAPAY.

Matters and Things In and About the Town of Esperanza.

A correspondent at Esperanza furnishes the following:

E. W. Thomas, a raisin-grower of this place, has commenced shipping his raisins of this year's pack. He has already sent about 100 boxes, consigned to Meiggs, Bell & Co, San Francisco, 377 of which are Seedless Sultanas, the balance being Muscatelle.

Mr. Robb, of this place, is building a dwelling-house on Yelo avenue, north of the lumber yard.

John Craig, a carpenter, lately from Canada, has completed the excavation for a cellar, preparatory to building a large dwelling-house this fall. His family is expected in November.

Mrs. Fuller's little daughter, Belle, has been seriously ill for the past few days, but is now speedily recovering.

L. D. Mallory, a carpenter working for Contractor Nissen, met with a painful accident last Monday while at work shingling on a large barn for George Linderman, near here. He was about to make some change in his position, when, losing his footing, he was precipitated to the ground, falling a distance of about twenty feet, striking on his face and hands, causing dislocation of both wrists and cutting his face severely. Dr. Craig, of Capay, is in attendance, and Mr. Mallory is improving nicely.

ELECTRIC FLASHES.

Condensed Telegraphic Dispatches From All Parts of the World.

Jesse Wentworth Payson, the chief author of the Payson, Dunton & Scribner copy-books, died yesterday at Boston.

Charles Locke, aged six years, has been sentenced to the State Reform School from South Norwalk, Conn., for a term of fifteen years for fighting another child.

The inventory and appraisement show the nominal value of the mining stocks held by the late John Guy Vassar to be $666 000, and their real value only $2 000.

It is asserted and denied with equal vehemence that Snapper Garrison has been discharged from the Belmont stables. The matter occupies columns of space in the New York daily press.

The Iowa Democrats have nominated Horace Boles for Governor, S. L. Brisbee for Lieutenant Governor, W. H. Brannon for Supreme Judge, Theodore Irish for Superintendent of Public Instruction, and David Morgan for Railroad Commissioner.

An almost successful attempt to wreck the White Mountain express train was made Tuesday night near Concord, N. H., by two boys named Percy Abbott, aged ten years, and his brother Arthur, aged eight, with fishplates piled on the rails.

The owners of Canadian vessels which were seized in Behring Sea have advised Governor-General Stanley that they will take advantage of his visit to British Columbia to protest formally against the inaction of the British Government, and to urge upon him the necessity of immediate action.

THE PERNICIOUS "TIP."

Why Potter Palmer Will Not Allow it in His House.

[From the Chicago Tribune.]

Potter Palmer is one of the few landlords of the country who refuses to allow any one in his service to receive a tip. A violation results in the dismissal of the recipient.

"How came he to make this rule?" I asked of Mr. Mezserve, a trotting man who is posted.

"One day," he said, "Potter Palmer was speeding his horse on the Lake shore drive when he became aware that some one was trying to pass him. Mr. Palmer touched up his horse with the whip and the same did the man who was behind. In a moment more the latter passed Mr. Palmer, and as he did so Mr. Palmer recognized him as his head porter. The next day Mr. Palmer met the man and said to him:

"'John that is a pretty good horse you had on the drive yesterday. You passed me, and my horse is a good one. Where did you get your horse?'

"The porter, with a glow of pride, answered that the horse was his own.

"Mr. Palmer made no reply, but began an investigation. He found that this man was accumulating wealth on the tips he received from the guests of the Palmer House. He found that all his employes were doing likewise, and he at once issued the order that any man in his service who received a tip was to be discharged. You may fee a waiter in the dining-room if you want to, but it has to be done under cover. If the head waiter sees it the underling goes. This rule applies to the fellows at the bootblack stand, which stand, like everything else in that hotel, is run by Potter Palmer. The money taken in at that stand is turned into the manager every night and credited to the bootblack account. It is the only place I know of where tipping is forbidden."

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

I. D. Klopstock, of San Francisco, is in town.

Colonel Eugene Lehe, of Stockton, is in the city.

T. J. Dunn is down from Chico, attending the fair.

Hon. Frank L. Coombs, of Napa, is attending the fair.

Harry Hollister, of Auburn, is in the city taking in the races.

Hon. U. S. Gregory, of Ione, could not keep away from the races.

Charles E. Spencer is in town, having just come up from Arizona.

Miss Maggie Kelley and Miss Agnes Burns, of Placerville, are visiting in the city.

Walter E. Morris, a well-known Stockton turfman, is among the San Joaquinites in this city.

There is a distinguished Englishman, Lord W. E. Cavendish, among the visitors at the fair.

C. S. Young, of San Francisco, came up last night to examine the county exhibits at the Pavilion.

Mesdames Robert and Thomas Brownlee, of Napa, are visiting the former's daughter, Mrs. Captain H. Seymour.

The B'Nai Israel congregation of this city has secured a new clergyman in the person of Rabbi Levy, of England.

A. Evans, of Reno, one of Nevada's cattle kings, returned to his home last night, after spending a few days examining the stock exhibit at our State Fair.

Robert Murray is here from England on a visit to his cousin, "Billy" Dixon, of Cosumnes. He sailed from Liverpool on the steamer City of Rome, at 4 P. M., September 4th, and arrived at Sacramento at 7 A. M., September 18th, in the remarkable time of 13 days and 15 hours.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Department One—Armstrong, Judge.

THURSDAY, September 19, 1889.

Samuel Dowden vs. D. W. Taylor—On trial.

Ten in a Hill.

One day Eugene Field's three boys came home with a big white rabbit which some neighbor had given them, and the genial humorist, fearing damage to his books if the animal was let loose in the house, told them to dig a burrow in the back-yard and put their pet in it. They did so. Next morning they came racing to their father's room. "Papa! Papa! Come out in the yard. We've found out how rabbits grow!" "What on earth do you mean, children?" "Why, you know we planted Bunny last night. Well, there's a whole lot of little rabbits there now; ten of 'em, all in one hill!"

DON'T forget to attend the public sale of registered Galloway and Angus Cattle to be held at the Park Amphitheater at 11 o'clock this morning. *

ALL AROUND THE WORLD.

A public school at Delmar is partly situated in Delaware and Maryland. Each State furnishes teachers for its pupils.

The largest ax factory in the world is in Pittsburg, and it is capable of turning out 3,000 or more axes a day. Two crews of men make 1,500 axes each.

A projected canal across the upper part of Italy, connecting from the Adriatic to the Mediterranean, would take six years to build and cost $125,000,000.

North Dakota will be the first State, as a State, to make provision for a system of manual training. Forty thousand acres of land are set apart for that purpose.

For a transparent paste to fix transparent advertisements on glass, use 75 parts India-rubber dissolved in 60 parts chloroform, then add 15 parts gum mastic.

For walnut stain for deal—One quart of water, 1½ ozs. common soda, 2½ ozs. Vandyke brown, ½ oz. bichromate of potassium. Boil ten minutes, and apply hot or cold.

During the past year the value of the imports of wire fencing into the Argentine Republic was about $2,000,000. Most of the supply went from Belgium, Great Britain and France.

G. J. Symons, F. R. S., English meteorologist, shows that if a man is thoroughly wet it is impossible for lightning to kill him. Persons exposed to thunder-storms should "get rained on" soon as possible.

House boats are becoming so common in England that there is a talk about taxing them. There are nearly twelve thousand pleasure boats, including house boats, used on the upper reaches of the Thames.

Dr. Sheppard argues, in a recent issue of the *Lancet*, that phthsis is the result of constantly recurring irritation of the air passages, and that the cold air breathed at night is at least one efficient cause of this irritation.

The cotton-growers of the South have resolved to sell no more cotton until the 28th of the present month, except what may be necessary to meet obligations. That will doubtless be *quantum sufficit* for all purposes.

Russian manufacturers and railways are adopting naphtha dregs in place of wood and coal for fuel, and the same substance is largely utilized for domestic purposes. Less space is occupied and the price is much cheaper.

For steam engines in Europe about 200 pounds pressure is about what they favor for large or small. American types of sectional boilers are very extensively used, and at the Paris Exposition a variety of such boilers is shown.

The cigarette habit is increasing faster than the cigar habit. Last year taxes on 2,151,515,300 were collected, an increase of 289,789,260 over the year before. For the same period 3,867,385,650 cigars were taxed, an increase of 22,658,990.

Enterprise and capital are about to change the great Dismal Swamp of North Carolina into a hundred farms. A railroad has been run across its entire width, an immense saw-mill has been set to work and quite a town is springing up. This wilderness will soon blossom as the rose.

The Kansas man who made a thousand barrels of vinegar from twenty acres of watermelons and sold the vinegar for ten dollars a barrel has founded a new and valuable industry. He has also shown that the best way to avoid cramps from watermelons is to convert the melons into vinegar.

In comparing the literary merits of Dickens and Thackeray, an after-dinner orator in London said: "It's the wonderful insight inter'uman nature that Dickens gets the pull over Thackeray; but on t'other hand, it's the brilliant shafts of satire, t'gether with a keen sense o' humor, that Dickery gets the pull over Thackens. It's just like this: Thickery is a humorist and Dackens is a satirist. But, after all, it's 'bsurd to instood any comparison between Dackery and Thickens."—*Literary World.*

A buttonwood tree, an old landmark of Castleton, Vt., standing in the midst of the village, near the old Moulton mansion, has been cut down. It was planted in 1798 by Hon. Samuel Shaw, a member of Congress during the war of 1812, and the grandfather of Josh Billings. The old town whipping post stood about twelve feet from this venerable tree up to 1840, when it was demolished. Many have estimated the age of the tree much greater than it was, but a memorandum made by Dr. Shaw of the exact date of the planting is still extant.

A curious scene was witnessed in Palace Yard, Westminster, England. A sparrow was picking up the corn which had fallen from the horses' nosebags, when a mouse appeared and proceeded to dispute with the sparrow his right to the dainty morsels. A fight ensued, which lasted for some minutes, and then the sparrow beat a retreat. The sparrow had evidently been injured in the tussel, and for a time he was unable to fly. At last the sparrow flew up, and a cabman finished the incident by killing the mouse with a whip.

A policeman in a certain town in Northern New Hampshire, recently attempted to separate two men who were engaged in a row, when one of them picked up a club and struck the officer on the head, laying his scalp open. The latter pluckily stuck to his man, and finally landed his assailant in the lock-up. The next morning the prisoner was arraigned before a Justice, who fined the policeman $4 and costs of prosecution. On being remonstrated with, the Court said that the prisoner had no money to pay him for his trouble, and he didn't propose to work for nothing.—*Concord (N. H.) Monitor.*

HEALTH AND BEAUTY.

Swift's Specific has cured my little niece of white swelling of the worst type. More than twenty pieces of bone came out of her leg. She was not able to walk for eight months, and was on crutches a year. The doctors advised amputation, but I refused, and put her on S. S. S. She is now as well and playful as any child.

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San Joaquin county, Cal., September 19.—By Rev. W. C. Merrill, Edwin C. Hopkins of Sacrameto to Blanche Auber of San Joaquin county. No cards. (St. Louis, Mo., and Keokuk, Ia., papers please copy.)

DIED.

Sacramento, September 18.—Elizabeth, wife of William Norman, a native of England, 69 years and 8 months.

[Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, which will take place from her late residence, Twenty-first street, I and J, this afternoon at 2 o'clock, thence to the United Brethren Church, Fourteenth and K streets, where funeral services will be held.] *

Sacramento, September 18.—Harriett N., wife of Rufus Walton, a native of New York, 55 years, 10 months and 25 days.

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