SANITARY TOPICS.

Facts from the Report of the Secretary of the State Board of Health.

Dr. G. G. Tyrrell, Secretary of the State Board of Health, reports as follows for the month of October:

Reports received from 101 localities, with an estimated population of 846,300, give the number of deaths at 1,007, which is a percentage of 1.2 per thousand in the month, or an annual mortality of 14.4, which is a slight increase over the preceding two months, but sufficiently low to indicate a very favorable condition of the public health.

Reports received from 107 localities throughout the State indicate an absence of any epidemic disease. They show, however, that intestinal disorders prevail to a considerable extent, and a marked increase of respiratory affections is apparent in the counties bordering on the coast, and in the higher altitudes.

Small-pox.—Dr. R. W. Baum, of Placerville, reports that he was called to see two patients in a family about seven miles from Placerville, and discovered that they had varioloid. The disease was supposed to have been primarily carried from Carson Valley, but in so mild a form that the parties did not deem the advice of a physician necessary. They however returned home with the eruption upon them, and fourteen days afterward the patients to whom Dr. Baum was called developed the disease. Fortunately they lived off from the public road, and Dr. Baum has taken so much precaution to have them properly isolated and quarantined that an extension of the disease beyond its present limits is very unlikely. No other cases were reported within the State during the month.

Scarlet fever was quite prevalent in San Francisco; it was also reported in several places. In Alameda the Health Officer, Dr. T. J. McLean, believes the disease to have been spread by the carelessness of parents in permitting children having the disease in a mild form to attend school, no physician being called to these cases, and consequently not reported to the Health Officer, as they should be. In Alameda, the Board of Health has very properly passed an ordinance requiring a placard to be placed conspicuously on every dwelling containing any case of scarlet fever, diphtheria or small-pox, making it a penal offense to remove such notice until all danger of infection has ceased. This precaution is eminently proper, and should be adopted by every Health Board and Health Officer in the State. Such notification of disease would save many lives, and be an efficient means of arresting the spread of these disorders when otherwise they might become epidemic.

As the evidence increases of the purely local character of diphtheria in its inception and the great probability of the destruction of the infecting material by germicidal remedies immediately applied, the urgent necessity of calling in a medical man in every instance of sore throat to determine its character is apparent, the arrest of the disease being dependent upon the early recognition of its character. If delay is permitted and time given for the poisonous deposit to be absorbed into the blood, systematic infection takes place, all the deleterious effects of the disease are encountered, and its power of multiplication correspondingly increased. Early recognition is the first step towards stamping out diphtheria.

Typhoid fever was noted in a great many places. In Los Angeles very many cases occurred in the orphan asylum, which may be attributed to defective sewerage, or other local causes.

Our remarks in the monthly circular of last month, regarding the contagiousness of consumption, and the undesirability of inviting its victims to this coast, seem to have given great umbrage to our Southern neighbors, who seem to look upon the solicitude of the State Board of Health for the sanitary welfare of the State as a direct blow at their prosperity, and an endeavor to prevent the immigration of diseased persons into their midst. The State Board has no such desire or power; it can only advise the public of the danger incurred from the promiscuous mingling of consumptives with healthy people, which is its duty. M. Delarcy, in a paper contributed to the *Journal Hygiene*, points out that certain mountain regions in Europe, formerly exempt from phthisis, have now become infected since intercourse with cities and phthisical localities have been furnished, and considers the crowding together of a large number of phthisical cases, in the most healthy localities, will soon have an unfavorable effect upon the purity of the atmosphere. Indeed, it may be said that consumption is never contracted except by contact, by association, or by living in close proximity. The length of time consumed by phthisis before proving fatal enables it to infect all susceptible persons coming in contact with it, hence its great danger when not isolated. Cadeac and Malet, by experiment, proved that tubercular matter will retain its virulence ten months after drying. Dessication, or drying of the sputa, seems to be the most effective way of disseminating the disease. Cornet found, that of three hundred and eleven animals inoculated with the dust scraped from the rooms occupied by phthisical patients, that one hundred and sixty-seven died soon after; of these one-fifth were found to be tuberculous. He says, further, that a phthisical patient, to be innocuous, must never, under any circumstances, expectorate upon the floor, or into a handkerchief, but always into a spittoon cup containing water, which must be disinfected and frequently changed. The danger of contagion from consumption is not exaggerated; preventive measures are as applicable to the Southern as they are to any other part of California, and the State Board of Health would be derelict in its duty if it did not point out this fact and call public attention to the necessity of caution in dealing with it.

FOR CHARITY.

Society Baseball at the Park Next Saturday.

At Snowflake Park on next Saturday afternoon there will be a ball game between nines made up of some of Sacramento's most prominent gentlemen, for the benefit of the Sacramento Free Kindergarten. The teams, which will be known as the Reds and the Blues, will be made up as follows:

Blues.	Positions.	Reds.
W. R. Ormsby	Pitcher	A. Abbott
McHale	Catcher	Geo. McLaughlin
Elwood Bruner	First base	W. F. McFadden
Frank D. Ryan	Second base	Judge C. N. Post
V. S. McClatchy	Third base	D. A. Lindley
Mayor Gregory	Shortstop	Frank Hickman
Frank Orcutt	Left field	Dr. W. W. Woods
W. Lampert	Center field	C. J. Cox
J. L. Gillis	Right field	Frank L. White

Howard Kimbrough, J. N. Porter, William Ingram, Jr., and Gus Buchanan will play on the bench as extramen. Game will be called at 2 P. M., and a great exhibition will no doubt result.

Yesterday's Thermometer.

The highest and lowest Signal Service temperature yesterday were 68° and 46°, with light southerly winds and weather partly cloudy. The highest and lowest temperature for the same date last year were 65° and 35°.

The highest and lowest temperature one year ago to-day were 70° and 49°.

The temperature, wind and weather at 5 A. M. and 5 P. M. yesterday were 50°, southeast, six miles per hour and partly cloudy, and 64°, southeast, three miles per hour, and cloudy respectively. Rain had fallen yesterday in Oregon and Washington. The temperature east along the Platte valley was within 2° of zero, that is, it was 2° above that point and 30° below the freezing point.

Death of an Estimable Lady.

Mrs. Anna D. Gilmer, widow of the late Thomas W. Gilmer, passed to rest yesterday morning at 11 o'clock, after a long and painful illness. She was well known in the city and vicinity, and highly respected. She was of an amiable disposition and always had a kind word for all. She leaves two daughters to mourn her death, Mrs. Mary O'Neal, of this city, and Mrs. Mattie H. Shartzer, of San Jose.

Zuver's Trial.

The case of Joseph Zuver, charged with misappropriating two cows belonging to S. A. Bentley, was heard in Justice Witham's Court in Washington, Yolo county, yesterday. The testimony was all rather mixed, and the Justice took the matter under advisement until to-day.

Prospective Coursing.

A grand coursing match will be held on the 31st inst. under the Alta Coursing Club of this city. Care will be taken to have a plentiful supply of hares on hand, and as the fleetest greyhounds in the city are entered a good day's sport may be looked for.

ALWAYS on hand, the leading brands of *straight* Kentucky whiskies, including "Melwood," "J. B. Hume," "Old Crow," etc. Geo. W. Chesley & Co., 1021 and 1023 Front street, Sacramento, Cal. *

HOME FROM WASHINGTON.

Attorney-Gen. Johnson Combines Business and Pleasure at Washington.

Attorney-General George A. Johnson has returned from Washington, D. C. Mr Johnson went to Washington for the purpose of moving to advance on the calendar of the United States Supreme Court the celebrated Naegle case and railroad tax cases. At the same time he combined business with pleasure by taking part in the Triennial Conclave of the Knights Templar, Mr. Johnson occupying the exalted position of Grand Generalissimo of the Grand Commandery of California. Mr. Johnson, in conversation with a RECORD-UNION reporter at his office yesterday afternoon, said:

"I have been absent from the State just forty days, and had a pleasant time. The cases were advanced on the calendar, but no day was set for their hearing. At the next session of Congress the President will fill the vacancy on the Supreme Bench caused by the death of Justice Stanley Matthews, and then the Court will set a day for the argument of the cases, which will probably be during the latter part of December or some time in January. While in Washington I heard the name of Judge Cooley, a member of the Interstate Commission, prominently mentioned for the Justiceship.

"I consider the Naegle and tax cases the most important on the docket of the United States Supreme Court. In the East the killing of Judge Terry was being discussed at this late day, and the importance of the Naegle case is fully understood there. The record of this case, which makes a large volume, and which I had printed in Washington, gives a full history of Mrs. Terry's trouble with Senator Sharon and the killing of Judge Terry. Pictures of the knife and pistol which belonged to Judge Terry are included in the record. There were but few copies of the record printed, owing to the cost of its publication. Associated with me in Washington in this case is counsel engaged by Mrs. Terry. I shall be occupied for some time in the preparation of an elaborate brief, which I will present to the Court to show that the State has jurisdiction in the case. For this purpose I will have to go to Washington again."

Mr. Johnson declared that the Conclave was a grand affair, and he believes that there is no city in the Union where a Conclave can be so successfully held as in Washington. Pennsylvania avenue was owned by the Sir Knights on the day of the parade, in which no less than 17,000 participated. The California Commanderies came in for the lion's share of the attention paid. They were constantly called upon by various State Commanderies. At the banquet tendered to the Grand Encampment of the United States Mr. Johnson had the honor of being one of the ten gentlemen called upon to respond to toasts.

AMUSEMENTS.

At the Metropolitan Theater to-night will be presented the new melodrama, "Mr. Barnes of New York," of which so many complimentary things have been said. The play follows the story of the book very closely, and the novel is one that has been quite widely read. The San Francisco press uniformly commended the piece as presented in San Francisco, and the company and scenery with which it was so successfully given there and in New York are to be upon the stage here. The leading woman of the troupe and in the drama is Miss Emily Rigl, to whom Nym Crinkle, the well-known critic, recently paid a high compliment for her personation of Marina Paoli. There are twenty-one people in the company, who are named in the cast, and several supernumaries. The San Francisco *Examiner* recently said of the drama: "It is a play which appeals to the most hurried consideration; it does not call for an effort of appreciation. Its delights are as immediate as those of a popular song. It is catchy all the way through." The *Chronicle* said of the play: "It has the merit of telling the story in direct form, with action in plenty and little needless explanation. The comedy act is a novelty in many ways, and tells the episode of Barnes and Miss Ausburther quite effectively. The stronger portion is given in concise and dramatic incident, and the story finishes with an excellent climax." The play is in five acts and six tableaux, and the scenes are all foreign, several of them are said to be of peculiar beauty and marked originality in design and execution.

Miss Bertha Marie Parce, announced as a talented elocutionist of Chicago, gives an entertainment of reading at the Sixth-street M. E. Church this evening, to be interspersed with vocal and instrumental music, and to conclude with a novel feature—"a doll drill." Miss Parce presents very warm testimonials as to her merit and ability from the Faculty of the Chicago School of Oratory, President Fiske, of Albion College, Michigan, and from numerous Western papers of prominence, which speak of her voice as musical and admirably trained, and of her manner as dramatic and molded by a cultivated taste. Tickets are 25 cents for this evening.

Mr. Mayo gave a fine performance of the romantic drama "Nordeck" at the Metropolitan last night. It is to be regretted that but a small audience was in attendance. So excellent an artist as Frank Mayo deserved fuller recognition of dramatic ability.

The box-sheet for subscribers to the McNeill Club entertainment opens to-day at Houghton's book store.

Senator Hearst and Sunol.

A report was spread about the city yesterday to the effect that Senator Hearst had made a formal offer to Senator Stanford for the purchase of the world's champion three-year-old, Sunol, at a fabulous price, provided the bargain with Bonner had not been closed. Senator Hearst, who is at present sojourning in Sacramento, was seen yesterday in regard to the matter. "Well," said he, "the only foundation for the report is that I expressed some regret upon learning that Sunol was to leave California. I have not made any offer for her, but I did say that, had she not been sold, I would pay almost any amount for her rather than see her go out of the State."

Cattle Sale.

At 1 o'clock to-morrow afternoon, Killip & Co. will auction at Agricultural Park forty head of cows, heifers and bulls, that have been bred for the past twenty-three years with a view to procuring both milk and beef. Among them will be some cows in full milk, and others in calf to first-class short-horn bulls, belonging to Robert Ashburner, Baden Station, San Mateo county. The same firm will sell on the 30th instant the entire stock of farming implements, dairy cows, brood mares, and the stallion Suffolk (1,750 pounds), seventeen hands high, belonging to R. Ashburner of Baden Station, San Mateo county.

Promotions.

A special meeting of the City Board of Education was held last night. The resignation of Mrs. Jennie Kilgore was accepted. Miss Lucy Hinkson was promoted to fill the vacancy; Miss Jennie Snooks was promoted to the vacancy caused by Miss Hinkson's promotion; Miss Mamie O'Neill was promoted to the eighth grade at Fourth and Q and Miss Minnie Roth elected to the night school. Miss Annie M. Johnson was elected fourth substitute.

Death of Joseph Bauquier.

Joseph Bauquier, an old and respected citizen, died yesterday afternoon at his home, 1531 Eleventh street, after a long illness. He was a native of France, aged 75 years. He left a married daughter, Mrs. H. D. Rode, and three grown-up sons, one of whom is J. Bauquier, Jr., the contractor. Deceased was a member of the Masonic Order and other fraternal organizations.

Furniture at Auction.

On Friday next at 1:30 P. M., the furniture and household effects of the late John McNeil will be auctioned off at the warerooms of H. Steinman, 420 J street, by W. H. Sherburn, the auctioneer. The furniture includes a fine Chickering piano, a parlor set, walnut chamber suits, library, etc.

Auction To-day.

Bell & Co. will sell to-day at their auction rooms, 927 K street, the balance of the bankrupt stock from last Saturday's sale. They will also sell two houses of furniture, carpets and household goods of all descriptions.

THE most obstinate cases of dyspepsia are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla. This medicine tones the stomach, promotes healthy digestion, creates an appetite and relieves headache. Give it a trial.

SUPREME COURT.

IN BANK.

TUESDAY, November 12, 1889.

Court met pursuant to adjournment. Present—Beatty, C. J., presiding; Thornton, J.; Sharpstein, J.; McFarland, J.; Patterson, J.; Works, J.; Fox, J.; Spencer, Clerk; Washburn, Bailiff.

Heilbron et al. vs. Campbell (Judge)—On motion of Hart, ordered that petitioners have fifteen days to file reply brief herein.

13,548—Rosenberg vs. Ford—Motion of Goodwin to advance cause on calendar denied.

Estate of Moore—On motion of Baker and pursuant to stipulation herein, ordered that appellant's time to file brief be extended to and including November 30, 1889, the briefs in answer and reply to be filed in the same time thereafter as agreed in former stipulation.

13,173—McDaniel vs. Cummings—On motion of Alberry, ordered appellant be allowed thirty days to file brief, respondent ten days to reply, cause to be thereupon submitted.

13,133—Jackson vs. Torrence—On motion of Hart, ordered that respondent be allowed ten days to file brief, appellant ten days to reply; cause to be thereupon submitted.

13,147—Jackson vs. Torrence—On motion of Hart, ordered that appellant be allowed ten days to file brief, respondent ten days to reply; cause to be thereupon submitted.

12,517—Everson vs. Mayhew—Pursuant to stipulation, ordered that respondent have fifteen days from November 8, 1889, within which to file brief, appellant ten days to reply; cause to be thereupon submitted.

20,606—Ex parte Miller, on habeas corpus—Argued by Hart for petitioner and Phipps for respondent. Ordered petitioner be allowed ten days to file brief, respondent twenty days to reply; cause to be thereupon submitted.

13,078—Duff et al. vs. Duff et al.—Argued by Smith and Buck for appellant, Wilson for respondent. Ordered respondent be allowed forty days to file brief; cause to be thereupon submitted.

12,469—Knock, etc., vs. Bunnell—Argued by Spencer for appellant, Goodwin for respondent. Ordered appellant be allowed twenty days to file brief, respondent ten days to reply; cause to be thereupon submitted.

12,390 and 12,437—Bewick et al. vs. Muir et al.—Argued by Wright for appellants and submitted.

Mr. Chief Justice Beatty retired, Mr. Justice Thornton acting as Chief Justice.

12,882—Glide vs. Dwyer et al.—Argued by McKune for respondent, Catlin for appellant, and further argument continued until to-morrow.

Adjourned until 9 A. M. to-morrow.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Dr. H. Latham, of Oakland, is in the city.

Judge Charles Irwin, of Placerville, is in town.

Judges Bush and Ball, of Woodland, are in the city.

Miss Dottie Smith has gone for a brief sojourn to Pleasant Grove.

B. J. Horanson and wife, of Red Bluff, are visiting relatives in this city.

Miss Edith Miller, of Santa Cruz, is visiting Miss Lista Wittenbrock, of this city.

Samuel M. Wilson, of San Francisco, was in attendance on the Supreme Court yesterday.

Miss E. A. Rockwell, the artist who painted the portrait of the late Governor Bartlett, is visiting Mrs. Captain Powell, at Folsom.

G. H. Meyer, of the reportorial staff of the San Francisco *Examiner*, is in the city to report the proceedings of the National Grange.

Perrin Stanton and his wife and their daughter, Miss Bertie Stanton, have returned from a two months' tour of the Eastern States.

Arrivals at Golden Eagle Hotel yesterday: W. E. Shea, New York; W. V. Brown, Colusa; E. C. Sowell, New York; P. E. Peck, Syracuse; G. H. Meyer, San Francisco; R. B. Card, Pittsburg; F. L. Cook, Newton; Mrs. P. A. Humbert, C. A. Aull and wife, Folsom; W. Hardwood and wife, Taylorville; D. Lipman, A. M. Simons, J. Lehman, San Francisco; John Webster, Connecticut; E. H. Bancroft and wife, Camden; John Statesire, New Jersey; O. E. Hall and wife, Nebraska; C. M. Daniel and wife, Springfield; J. G. Peckham, Rhode Island; I. H. Hale and wife, Connecticut; J. E. Blackford and wife, Iowa; S. H. Ellis and wife, Ohio; Miss Florena Luce, Cyrus C. Luce and wife, Thos. Mais and wife, Michigan; M. W. Litehead, Mrs. R. H. Thomas, Leonard Khone, New York; J. J. Woodman and wife, James Draper, James Flood, Michigan; J. H. Brigham, C. H. Kraft, Delta.

BRIEF NOTES.

J. D. Spencer, Clerk of the Supreme Court, was called to San Francisco yesterday on account of illness in his family.

Last evening it was reported that there was but little improvement in the condition of R. J. Merkley. His physician believes that he will recover.

Charles Roder, convicted of stealing chickens, was sentenced to three months imprisonment in the County Jail yesterday by Police Judge Buckley.

Deputy Sheriff Kearny, of Los Angeles, passed through this city yesterday en route to Folsom, with Rafael Valenza, sentenced to three years in the State Prison for grand larceny.

W. C. Felch has begun a suit against D. J. Simmons, Mrs. D. J. Simmons, Mrs. Janet Myer and H. Myer, to recover $500 alleged to be due on a promissory note executed in November, 1884.

The jury in the case of W. N. Wightman vs. S. C. Tryon, to recover money due for the pasturage of stock, rendered a verdict for plaintiff for $200 yesterday in Superior Judge Armstrong's Court.

Among the young men who were made attorneys by the Supreme Court Monday was Stephen B. Costello, of Petaluma, the youngest of the class. He is seventeen years of age, and will not receive his license as an attorney until he has attained his majority.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Department One—Armstrong, Judge.

TUESDAY, November 12th.

M. N. Wightman vs. S. C. Tryon—Jury finds verdict for plaintiff for $200. Ten days' stay granted.

Department Two—Van Fleet, Judge.

TUESDAY, November 12, 1889.

Thomas L. Acock vs. N. J. Halsey—Motion to punish for contempt on trial.

Kirk, Geary & Co. vs. T. B. Roberts—On motion of attorney for plaintiff, ordered that cause be transferred to Colusa county for trial.

An Insolvent Doctor.

Dr. C. M. Slayback, of Folsom, has filed a petition in insolvency. His liabilities are $1,019 23. The assets are outstanding book accounts valued at about $400. T. W. Humphrey is attorney for petitioner.

IF you are all run down—have no strength, no energy, and feel very tired all the time—take Dr. J. H. McLean's Sarsaparilla. It will impart strength and vitality to your system.

SKATING RINK.—Music to-night. Ladies' Admission, 10 cents. *

HAVE you seen our fine high-arm $35 sewing machine? A. J. Pommer, Ninth and J. *

Birth, death, and marriage notices must be sent in by responsible parties, and paid for at the rate of 25 cents each; funeral notices, 25 cents.

BORN.

Davisville, November 10—Wife of A. J. Plant, a son. *

MARRIED.

Sacramento, November 12—By Rev. J. E. Wheeler, D. D., John Bruener to Miss Agusta Mohr. *

DIED.

Sacramento, November 10—Thomas Armstrong, a native of the city of Dublin, Ireland, 61 years.

[Funeral notice hereafter.] *

In Yolo county, November 11—Vernon S., youngest son of O. E. and Annie Van Tassell (and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. M. Lauken), a native of California, 3 months.

[Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, which will take place from his parents' residence, Yolo county, this (Wednesday) afternoon, at 1 o'clock. *

Sacramento, November 12—Joseph Bauquier, a native of France, 75 years, 8 months and 7 days; father of Peter Frank and Joseph Bauquier, Jr., and Mrs. Mary C. Rode. (St. Louis papers please copy.)

[Funeral notice hereafter.] *

Sacramento, November 10—Mrs. Anna D. Gilmer, widow of the late Thomas W. Gilmer, 73 years and 5 months (San Francisco and Philadelphia papers please copy.)

[Friends are invited to attend the funeral, which will take place from her late residence, 913 D street, to-day (Wednesday) at 2 o'clock.] *

Near Sacramento, November 10—Peter Cordano, a native of Italy, 28 years.

[Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the undertaking parlors of J. Frank Clark, this afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock; thence to the Cathedral, where funeral services will be held.] *

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When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

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WASHINGTON CULLINGS

President Harrison Visited by a Committee of Catholics.

HE MAKES A HAPPY RESPONSE.

Postmasters Appointed—Facilities of the Mare Island Navy Yard to be Increased.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE RECORD-UNION.]

GROWTH OF THEIR FAITH.

President Harrison Visited by a Committee of Catholics.

WASHINGTON, November 12th.—A committee from the Catholic Congress in session in Baltimore waited on the President this morning by appointment and presented him with an address. The President received them cordially and listened carefully to the reading of the address. The latter read as follows:

"Representing in measure ten millions of our fellow citizens, who share in the blessings and the privileges of this Government, devoted to its Constitution and laws, this Congress desires to voice and emphasize the loyalty and fidelity of the Catholic people of the United States to the republic and its institutions, as well as their respect for the chief magistrate of the nation. On the centennial establishment of episcopal authority in these United States the Catholics of America are in their first Congress assembled. While rejoicing in the marvelous growth of their faith on this soil and returning grateful thanks to God, they therefore feel the occasion eminently fitting to voice also their heartfelt rejoicing over the perpetuity and the solidity of our civil institutions, the development of the spirit of religious liberty and tolerance, and the material progress and prosperity of our country, and through you to express to our fellow-citizens of this great republic in the spirit of unity and brotherly love. We desire, while pursuing the dictates of our conscience in serving God, to march hand in hand in promoting the best interests of our common country and the welfare of society. The Congress bids this committee, while conveying to you expressions of its respect, to say that it would be a gratifying pleasure and privilege to have the honor of welcoming you to its session in Baltimore."

In reply, the President said he appreciated the compliment paid him by the visit, as well as the truth of the sentiments expressed in the address in regard to the fidelity of the Catholics of the United States to the Constitution and laws of the country. He regretted his official duties would prevent him attending the sessions of the Congress, but he thought he could promise them that he would be present at the opening of the Catholic University in this city to-morrow.

The committee returned to Baltimore in the afternoon, well pleased with their visit.

COAST NAVY YARDS.

A Rumor That Mare Island's Capacity Will Be Increased.

WASHINGTON, November 12th.—It is not at all sure that the site selected for a navy-yard in Puget Sound, Wash., will be finally agreed to. It has leaked out to-day that Secretary Tracy has referred the report of the Commissioners to Commodore White, Chief of Yards and Docks, for his opinion thereon, and that the latter gave it, and severely commented on the report.

Just how far he criticizes the site selected is not known, as the Commodore will not talk and Tracy is in the same humor; nor is it known whether White recommended the non-selection of the site, but from another source it is learned that Secretary Tracy will probably recommend that no new navy-yard be established on the Pacific coast, but that Mare Island Yard be increased to meet any emergency and be the only yard on the coast. This latter report, however, cannot be verified, although it bears undoubted tinge of possibility.

The President's Message.

WASHINGTON, November 12th.—President Harrison's message will be sent to Congress in type-writer form. Heretofore it has been the custom to have the messages put in type and printed by trusted men at the Government Printing Office. The President, however, has decided to depart from the practice of his predecessors, and the newspapers will be thrown on their own resources to obtain this much sought-after document.

Postmasters Appointed.

WASHINGTON, November 12th.—The following changes have been made in California and Oregon Postmasters:

California—John Quigley, appointed at Oro Fino, Siskiyou county, vice S. Weeks, resigned.

Oregon—William Pattison, appointed at Oakville, Linn county, vice Joseph B. Conroy, resigned.

Harrison's Visitors.

WASHINGTON, November 12th.—Among the President's callers to-day was Mr. Bright, son of Jacob Bright, M. P., and nephew of the late John Bright. The President received him very cordially.

Catarrh

Is a constitutional and not a local disease, and therefore it cannot be cured by local applications. It requires a constitutional remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla, which, working through the blood, eradicates the impurity which causes and promotes the disease, and effects a permanent cure. Thousands of people testify to the success of Hood's Sarsaparilla as a remedy for catarrh when other preparations had failed. Hood's Sarsaparilla also builds up the whole system and makes you feel renewed in health and strength. "Hood's Sarsaparilla has helped me more for catarrh and impure blood than anything else I ever used." A. BALL, Syracuse, N. Y.

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Millinery Bulletin.

Children's Felt School Hats, wide, rolling brims, trimmed with cord and tassel, 75 cents.

Fifteen-inch Ostrich Plumes, in black or white, 85 cents.

Cocks' Feathers, in black, green or Eiffel, 7c.

Dressy Felt Hats for children; gathered crowns, with heavy silk cord and tassel, $1 25.

Fans, Gloves & Handk'cfs.

Our selections of these goods for the various social occasions of the winter season are now ready for inspection and sale. While the accompanying list is in nowise a complete inventory, yet it will serve to show the general drift.

KID GLOVES.

"P. Centemeri," in pretty evening shades, 5-buttons, $1 50; 8-buttons, $1 90.

Ten-button length Mousquetaire Dress Kid Gloves, $2 20.

Ten-button length Mousquetaires, undressed colored Kid Gloves, $2.

Twenty-button length Mousquetaire Kid Gloves, in cream, $3 75.

"Jouvin," undressed, in 10-button length, Mousquetaire style, in light tones and gray, $1 50.

"Jouvin's" dressed Kid Gloves, in 10-button length, Mousquetaire style, tan shades, $2.

FANS.

Hand-painted Gauze Fans, $3 to $13 50.

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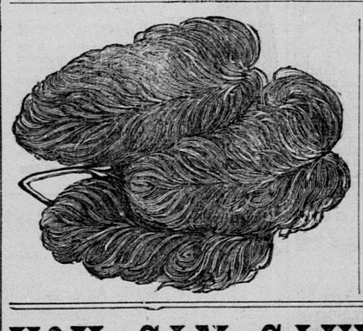

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