

LOWER STOCKTON ROAD.

JOSEPH SIMS OBTAINS TO HAVE IT DRAINED UP HIS LAND.

Overseer Chance's Proposition Causes a Warm Debate Before the Board of Supervisors.

There was quite a delegation of land-owners along the Lower Stockton road present at the Supervisors' session yesterday, brought thither by the action of Overseer Sims, who was known to have in view the cutting of a canal to re-lease the south side of Whiskey Hill of the drainage water held there, and to have it turned off into the Sims' lake bottom.

County Surveyor Boyd had, at the request of Overseer Chance, made a survey of the locality with a view to such action, and submitted his report thereof, which is as follows:

SACRAMENTO, January 5, 1890. To the Honorable Board of Supervisors: Pursuant to an order of S. C. Chance, Road Overseer of Road District No. 11, I have made an examination and survey of the Lower Stockton road from Whiskey Hill to Elder creek for the purpose of establishing a drainage canal for the purpose of draining the land on the south side of the road, which, during heavy rains, is flooded for a distance of over three-quarters of a mile to a depth of one or two feet or more, thereby seriously impeding travel, and causing no inconsiderable amount of damage to the road and the lands adjacent thereto.

As noted in my preliminary report on this subject, the proposed drainage canal is a practical and feasible one, which could be constructed at a cost of about \$100,000. It is constructed in accordance with the proposed plan, this drain will be of material benefit to one of the most important roads leading to this city, and the county generally largely benefited thereby.

The proposed ditch is to have a regular gradient of 2 1/2 feet fall per mile, from a point within 50 feet of Elder creek, to a point within 100 feet of Elder creek, and a fall of 2 1/2 feet to the bed of Elder creek to prevent the water of said creek from backing up to the Lower Stockton road, and to prevent the water from backing up to the Sims' fields.

The aggregate cost of the construction of the ditch, as per plan herewith submitted, would be \$100,000.

In furtherance of the general plan of reclamation and drainage, I would respectfully recommend a canal to be cut from the road at Mr. Hack's into the bridge over the main channel of Elder creek, the raising of a small dam on the west side of the bridge, and the placing of a dam on the east side of the bridge, and the placing of a dam on the west side of the bridge, and the placing of a dam on the east side of the bridge.

From Sims' lake it is expedient to open the drainage canal to connect with low tide in Snodgrass slough, but on the east side of the canal it is not at the present time advisable to make any amendments or surveys of this latter portion of the work, but which, by order of the Board of Supervisors, will be prosecuted as soon as the water in the lake and slough recedes to allow for it. Respectfully submitted,

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THE LIGHT WAR.

AN INJUNCTION ASKED AGAINST THE CENTRAL ELECTRIC COMPANY.

D. U. STEINMAN CLAIMS THAT THERE WAS BUT ONE LEGAL BID BEFORE THE CITY TRUSTEES.

The papers in an injunction suit were yesterday filed in the Superior Court by D. U. Steinman (President of the Capital Gas Company) against the Directors of the Central Electric Company, who were on Monday granted a franchise to maintain an electric plant in this city under a contract to be made for a period of ten years. Plaintiff sets forth in his complaint as follows:

In the Superior Court of the County of Sacramento, State of California, vs. The Central Electric Company, et al. Plaintiff, D. U. Steinman, et al. vs. The Central Electric Company, et al. Defendants.

1. That the plaintiff is, and for many years has been, a resident citizen and taxpayer of the city of Sacramento, and is a member of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sacramento, and has owned and does own a considerable amount of real and personal property, located in and subject to assessment and taxation by the said city of Sacramento, for municipal purposes, and that he annually pays several hundred dollars of taxes, assessed and collected by the said city for municipal purposes.

2. That at the time hereinafter mentioned the said defendants, Gregory, McLaughlin and Wolf, were and are now the duly elected, qualified and acting Trustees of the City of Sacramento, and compose the Board of Trustees of the said city of Sacramento.

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THE SUPERVISORS.

THEY AGREE TO MEET THE CITY TRUSTEES.

TO-MORROW-ADVERTISING RATES.

The Board of Supervisors met at 10 o'clock A. M. yesterday, all the members present, and at once went into session as Swamp Land Commissioners.

The demand of the Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company against Swamp Land District No. 407 for \$304.17, was allowed.

The Board then resumed its session as Supervisors, and the quarterly reports of the Overseer of Road Districts Nos. 5, 6 and 15 were received and referred.

A communication was received from the Board of Trustees of the City of Sacramento, relative to a reorganization of the voting precincts in the city.

On motion of Mr. Tebbets, the Board agreed to meet the Trustees on the 15th inst. (to-morrow) at 2 P. M.

Resolved, That the advertising rates be fixed for the year 1890 as follows: For one square (12 lines), first time, \$1.50; second time, \$1.00; and each subsequent time, 50 cents.

On reassembly in the afternoon the Board received the Board of Trade Commissioners' report on the proposed subject before it. [The proceedings are published elsewhere.]

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR. The Annual Ball and Installation of Officers.

The newly-elected officers of Sacramento Commandery, No. 2, Knights Templar, were installed last evening by Samuel Hopwood, Grand Master.

Coupe Rates of Fare: One mile or less, one passenger, 50 cents; one mile or less, two passengers, 75 cents; one mile or less, three passengers, 1.00.

CONSERVATORY. H and trees in large quantities and of finest varieties, at low prices, and excellent workmanship, at the depot.

JUST RECEIVED! A FINE LINE OF VELVET HATS!

ALL READY TO PUT YOUR FEATHERS ON. Prices, from \$1.60 to \$3.75.

MRS. M. A. PEALOR'S, 621 and 623 J Street, Sacramento, SUCCESSOR TO BARBER & PEALOR.

The finest Whisky for the Holidays is LINDLEY & CO'S GOLD BIRD WHISKY.

We are closing out many broken lines in Gents', Youths' and Boys' PANTS at a Great Reduction.

SEE THEM and OVERCOATS, \$3.50

MEN'S DURABLE SUITS, \$3.50 Made of Neat, Stylish Goods.

See our Line of Gents' Double-Breasted UNDERSHIRTS, reduced to 75 CENTS (Worth Double).

FARMERS' and MECHANICS' STORE, B. S. ELKUS, Proprietor, 922 and 924 J Street (opposite the Plaza), Sacramento.

THE GREAT REMEDY FOR RHEUMATISM Cures Permanently.

TO-DAY, AT 9 A. M.

SPECIAL SALE OF

Ten-four Silver Bed Blankets, bound with red tape, weight 5 pounds. Price, \$1.49 a pair. Domestic Department.

Important Corset Items.

French-cut Corset, made of jeans, five hooks, side steels, tan color, \$1.50.

The C. B. A. La Spirit, made of Imperial Contille, color gray-mixed, five hooks, French cut, two side steels, good value for \$1.75. Price, \$1.75.

The "P. D." Corset, in drab, \$1.50.

Fine Improved I. C. Corset, made of satin, side steels, silk stitching; colors, cardinal, black, light blue and drab, \$2.50.

French woven, closely bound with extra bones over the hips, scalloped top and silk stitching, four hooks, white or drab, \$1.35.

The "Weinstock Unbreakable," with improved reinforced unbreakable hip, double steels, silk stitching, five hooks, white or drab, \$1.75.

Colored Satteen Corsets, French cut, side steels, five hooks, \$1.75.

Dr. Warner's Health Corset, \$1.15.

Nursing Corsets, \$1 to \$1.35.

Ferris Bros.' "Good Sense" Waists, corded, buttoned front, lace backs, straps over shoulder, adjustable, drab color, \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.40.

White, with adjustable tampoore dress forms, to be removed when desirous of washing the waist, \$1.75.

The Florence Waist, buttoned in front, drab, 95 cents.

Misses' Corded Waists, 30 and 45 cents.

Baby Waists, 65 cents.

Ladies' and Children's Shoulder Braces, 75 cents.

Ladies' Dongola Kid Leather Shoes, with solid oak button bottoms, common-sense style. Price, \$2. This is a neat and durable shoe at an unusually low price.

Rustic Flower Pots and Terra Cotta Hanging Baskets for home flowers, 15 to 75 cts.

Diaries for 1890, 35 to 85 cents.

Perforated Buckskin Underclothing for men, \$6 per garment, or \$12 per suit. Non-perforated, \$9 a suit.

Chest Protectors, 50 cents.

WEINSTOCK, LUBIN & CO., Nos. 400 to 412 K Street, Sacramento.

H. S. CROCKER & CO., CARPETS!

ON ACCOUNT OF STOCK-TAKING WE OFFER ALL REMAINING BRUSSELS AND ENGLISH CARPETS at such prices as will call at once for bargains.

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EXPLANATION: A—Table top, 28 inches by 4 feet. B—Kneeling bench. C—Linen drawer. D—Drawer for rolling iron. E—Trunk. F—Trunk for extra drawers for meals, sugar, etc. G—Four tin holding tin cans. H—Trunk for extra drawers. I—Trunk for extra drawers. J—Trunk for extra drawers. K—Trunk for extra drawers. L—Trunk for extra drawers. M—Trunk for extra drawers. N—Trunk for extra drawers. O—Trunk for extra drawers. P—Trunk for extra drawers. Q—Trunk for extra drawers. R—Trunk for extra drawers. S—Trunk for extra drawers. T—Trunk for extra drawers. U—Trunk for extra drawers. V—Trunk for extra drawers. W—Trunk for extra drawers. X—Trunk for extra drawers. Y—Trunk for extra drawers. Z—Trunk for extra drawers.

JOHN BRUNNER, Furniture and Upholstery, 604, 606 and 608 K St., Sacramento, Cal.

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