FOOD AND SPORT.

Prospective Results of the Mongolian Pheasant Plant.

Five pairs of the Mongolian pheasants brought from Oregon on Tuesday by Deputy Game and Fish Commissioner Shelby were taken out to the Rancho del Paso by that officer, and liberated in a willow thicket on Arcade creek, close by Superintendent Mackey's residence. All the birds appeared to be strong except two of the younger ones, which were a little weak after their close confinement for several days.

A RECORD-UNION reporter accompanied Mr. Shelby, and several hours were spent in noting the manner in which the birds acted. Although raised in confinement—having been hatched out by domestic hens—they were very wild, and were no sooner given their liberty than they exhibited precisely the same characteristics as displayed by those bred in the wild state. One of the birds, on being turned loose, flew up the creek for a long distance, and Fred Gotobed went with his Gordon setter dog to drive the pheasant back to where the other birds were. The bird hid in the long grass, and the dog, catching the scent at a considerable distance, made a stanch "point" on the game. The latter lay so close that it was approached within three feet before it took wing.

Mr. Shelby states, however, that on their native heath these pheasants will run before man or dog until they strike the best cover, and they will lie until kicked out of the grass. Seven years ago less than twenty pairs of pheasants were put out in Oregon, and now the country swarms with them. They raise three and sometimes four broods a year. As soon as the young are able to get about pretty lively they are turned over by the hen to the care of the rooster, who looks after them while the former lays another nest full of eggs and hatches out another family. The rearing of families seems to be, with the pheasants, very much as in the case of the proverbial poor man—strictly a matter of business.

According to Mr. Shelby's calculations, if the five pairs of pheasants now on the Haggin grant in this county should meet with no ill fortune, the natural increase in three years would be about a quarter of a million, and in five years there would be pheasants almost from Siskiyou to San Diego. The birds are considered a great delicacy as food, and readily sell for $1 each in the market.

HIS FIRST OFFENSE.

The Governor Pardons a Young Inmate of the State Prison.

The Goveror granted a pardon yesterday to Edward C. Waterlow, who was convicted of forgery in Santa Clara county in March of this year, and sentenced to imprisonment for one year. The Governor gives the following reasons for exercising Executive clemency:

"The facts of Waterlow's crime are as follows: Being out of employment and money, and having become somewhat addicted to the use of intoxicants, he made out a fictitious check for $250 and deposited it with a saloon-keeper as security for a loan of $5. The saloon-keeper endeavoring to cash the check, discovered its worthlessness and had Waterlow arrested and charged with forgery, and the young man being frightened and not wishing to cause any more notoriety than possible, pleaded guilty to the charge.

"District Attorney Burchard writes as follows: 'I believe I could not have convicted him before a jury. A misdemeanor would have been claimed by a good lawyer, and a jury might well have accepted such a plea. He is quite young, intelligent, and bears marks of a good moral culture—barring the act itself.'

"His parents are well-to-do and highly respectable people living in New York City. This is the first departure from the path of rectitude by any member of the family, and the mother is nearly crazed with grief by her son's disgrace."

AMUSEMENTS.

"Nanon" was sung by the Carleton Opera Company last night at the Metropolitan Theater to a good house. It was finely given. Carleton, in the character of the Marquis, fills a role that he has quite made his own, and in which he achieved his earliest and has since maintained his best success. Mr. Murray, as the Abbe, emphasized the good impression he made on the preceding evening, as a baritone whose voice is of a notably fine quality, and marked by exceptional feeling. Miss Lane, as Nanon, was the spirited actress the part demands, and sang with an intelligent comprehension of the score, that gratified critical musical tastes. Miss Winston's Ninon was a delicate bit of artistic skill, not remarkable for brilliant vocalization so much as for the sensibility with which the thought of the part was portrayed. In the third act she interpolated a beautiful love song, "Ere We Part," that won a deserved encore. It was sung with a tenderness and feeling very satisfying. The chorus of the troupe testifies to its being an exceedingly well-balanced body of singers, the tone of which is round and strong, and the work of which is precise and careful.

This afternoon at 2 o'clock the beautiful opera "The Brigands," by many exacting musical critics deemed Offenbach's best composition, will be repeated with all the fine scenic effects with which it was produced on Thursday night. To-night "Erminie," of which the public never tires, will be sung. The prices for the matinee to-day are to be $1 for the dress circle and 50 cents for the family circle.

A large and satisfied audience at the Congregational Church last evening listened to Rev. Mr. Herrick's explanation of a large number of beautiful electro-opticon views. The pictures were all very fine and thrown upon a screen of very large area by means of a dissolving view apparatus combined with an arc electric light burner, the whole manipulated by Edward Johnson. The prelude embraced portraits of Washington, Jefferson and Hamilton. The lecture of running comment was upon views in Washington City, Philadelphia, New York and Boston. It was an enjoyable and instructive entertainment and fully up to promise.

Tuesday and Wednesday evenings next, at the Metropolitan Theater, "The Stowaway" will be reproduced, with the scene in which the action is upon the deck of a full-rigged yacht, and with the introduction also of the sensational tank scene, and that in which the "reformed burglars," "Spike" Hennessey and "Kid" McCoy," illustrate how graduates of Sing Sing blow open a safe according to the standard of the professional cracksman. When this sensational play was given here a year or so ago it met with great success and drew crowded houses. It is this play which has kept the boards in England and the provinces for now six years. In the way of novel and masterly stage-settings, it is remembered as phenomenal. The pictorial displays are of the greatest variety, and are recalled as exceptionally fine. The company, we are assured, is as strong as on the occasion when the piece was first given here. The exciting plot is so melodramatic that weak people would make it farcical. The need is, therefore, for thoroughly competent people in all the parts, equal to all the stirring situations and the emphatic and highly wrought text that Thomas Craven, a well-known English actor and playwright, has penned. Manager Hall announces that by telegraphic contracts he has arranged to have the election returns from all over the country announced from the stage at short intervals on Tuesday evening.

The Rev. Calvin Fairbanks, one of the old anti-slavery heroes, who is still living at Angelica, N. Y., and who is widely known all over the country, has written an account of some of the incidents in his career during the exciting years preceding the war. The book will be issued from Chicago in a few days.

The latest figures show the extent of the submarine telegraphs of the world to be about 120,000 miles, and of those running from the United States and Canada to Europe to be about 30,000 miles.

VOLUNTARY WEATHER OBSERVERS.

They Are to Be Under the Supervision of Sergeant Barwick.

The following letters recently received from Lieutenant W. A. Glassford, of the Chief Signal Office at Washington, will be self-explanatory:

WASHINGTON, October 9th.

Lieutenant J. P. Finley, Signal Corps, San Francisco, Cal.—SIR: Referring to the numerous reports from yourself to the effect that your regular duties are sufficient to occupy your entire attention, and that you have but limited opportunities to consider or handle questions relating to voluntary observers, the Chief Signal Officer personally directs me to inform you that he has reluctantly concluded to place the whole subject of correspondence and instruments for California voluntary observers and the entire management thereof in charge of Sergeant Barwick at Sacramento, who has made a special study of the climate of California, has ample time to devote thereto, and who will be able, it is hoped, to conduct the matter with energy and, it is thought, in the best interests of the State.

The necessary action will be taken by this office to inform him of this decision, and to give him instructions covering the question.

Very respectfully, W. A. GLASSFORD, Second Lieutenant Signal Corps.

INSTRUCTIONS TO SERGEANT BARWICK.

WASHINGTON, October 25th.

The Observer, Signal Service, Sacramento, Cal.—SIR: I am directed by the Chief Signal Officer to inclose herewith a copy of a letter dated October 9, 1890, in which he directs that the accountability for Signal Service property in the hands of voluntary observers throughout California be vested in you.

The Observer of this service at San Francisco, Cal., has this day been instructed to invoice to you such property as he may be accountable for. His invoices should be accompanied by memorandum receipts of the voluntary observers, and bonds, whenever he may have the latter on file. As a rule, however, the bonds are filed at this office.

Please receipt to him for all property satisfactorily accounted for, by memorandum receipt or otherwise.

You will also request the voluntary observers to forward to you their semi-annual return of property, form No. 26 E, a supply of which has been sent to you.

The inclosed circulars will give you an idea of the policy of this office, in the matter of securing additional observers.

The State is, as a rule, well covered with stations; no special effort will therefore be made to increase the present number, except in localities where there are no stations within a radius of fifty miles, or located so as to render reports of special value.

It will be impracticable in a matter of this character to lay down definite rules for your guidance, or to set forth, except in a general way, the scope of your duties in regard to volununtary observers.

The following outline will, it is believed, cover your duties in this respect for the present, viz:

1. To account for the property now in the hands of voluntary observers, and that which may be issued to them in future.

2. To conduct correspondence necessary in replacing broken instruments.

3. To do all preliminary work relative to securing new stations in California, and subsequently in forwarding instruments to such new stations.

In dealing with co-operating observers of this Service the Chief Signal Officer trusts that you will bear in mind the importance of serving all portions of the State with equal zeal and energy and also of the necessity of treating each observer with courtesy and consideration.

You will look over the field and report whether it will be feasible to extend the duties set forth above, so as to include an examination of voluntary observers' monthly reports by you, before they are forwarded to this office. It is thought that you might desire to tabulate and retain data of temperature, rainfall, etc., at your station for publication in the State Agricultural Society's Report.

It is not intended, however, to burden you with extra labor; therefore, if such a feature would in any way tax you too heavily it need not be considered.

Very respectfully, W. A. GLASSFORD, Second Lieutenant, Signal Corps, Records Officer.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS.

Deeds to Real Estate Filed With the County Recorder.

[From law and abstract office of Brusle & Taylor, southeast corner of Seventh and J.]

The following transfers of real estate have been made since the last published report:

James Dugan to Edwin K. Alsip—Ten acres in section 27, township 8 north, range 5 east; grant.

Christian and Mary C. Schaefer to Gustave Wahl—Lot 2, K and L, Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets; $10.

Mrs. B. M. Coyle to William N. Coyle—One hundred and ninety-eight and fifty-four one-hundredths acres in south half of section 35, in township 10 north, range 6 east, and in north half of section 2, townsnip 9 north, range 6 east; $4,000.

Mrs. B. M. Coyle to Mary Ellen Mohr—Same property; $4,000.

Willis Wright to Frederick Wright—Interest in tract No. 8 of Rancho de los Moquelumnes; grant.

Trustees of Unitarian Society to Charles T. Milliken—North half of south half of west 70 feet of lot 1, K and L, Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets; grant.

BRIEF NOTES.

This is All-Saints' Day.

The Democratic Committee has substituted Henry Starr for City Justice, in place of J. B. Devine.

The Congregational Church bell will ring in future at 10:30 A. M., and toll five minutes before 11 o'clock on Sundays.

It is said that twenty voters are registered from one establisment up-town that employs about four or five men. It is a so-called "Citizens'" establishment, and will bear watching.

The fire on Thursday night in the vacant house at Sixth and I streets, owned by George Herget, was apparently the work of an incendiary. The loss, fortunately, was very small, owing to the energy of the firemen.

Articles of incorporation of the Arctic Placer Mining Company of Sierra City, were filed in the Secretary of State's office yesterday. Capital stock, $40,000. Directors—G. B. Hoegnone, John Soracco, I. T. Mooney, Emileo Prunetti and J. W. Kane.

On Thursday Superintendent Fillmore of the Southern Pacific Company, accompanied by Traffic Manager Gray, Division Superintendent Wright and other officials, inspected the road over the mountains, and yesterday went over the Placerville division.

The Weather Still Glorious.

The Signal Service temperature at 5 A. M. and 5 P. M. yesterday was 50° and 75°, while the highest and lowest was 80° and 47°, with light northerly winds, and a cloudless sky.

The highest and lowest one year ago yesterday was 67° and 52°, with no rainfall.

The highest and lowest one year ago today was 70° and 46°, and no rain. There was no rain in November until the 10th, when a storm came and remained with us for seven days.

How to Talk Well.

Learn to listen well, and very soon you will find yourself speaking the word in season and surprising yourself, as well as others, by the quickness with which your thoughts will be well expressed.

Read the words of great writers, think them over and conclude in what way you differ from them. The woman who talks well must have opinions—decided ones—but she must have them well in hand, as nothing is so disagreeable as an aggressive talker. Say what you have to say pleasantly and sweetly; remember always that the best thing in life, dear, sweet love, has often been won by that delightful thing—"a low voice."

Do not be too critical; remember that every blow given another woman is a boomerang which will return and hit you with a double force. Take this into consideration—it is never worth while making a malicious remark, no matter how clever it may be.

Worth what while? Worth, my dear girl, the while here, which is, after all, so short, and the while hereafter, which is after all so long and sweet. It seems to me that when you and I stand before the good God, it will be the little gossip, the petty talks about others, of which we will be most ashamed.

Never forget that mere idle talk is quite as bad as gossip, for nobody is gaining any good from it, and as no vacuum exists in Nature, none can in every-day life. Not to be a good talker, my dear girl, not to be an interesting woman, quick in your sympathy and ready always to give the word of gladness to those in joy, or speak your tender thought to one who is in affliction, is to be that most unpleasant of people—an unfeminine woman.—*Ruth Ashmore, in Ladies' Home Journal.*

There are seven or eight negroes in Texas, most of them ex-slaves, who are worth about $100,000 each.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

E. J. Croly has returned from his Eastern trip.

J. H. Henry left for San Jose yesterday, after spending a couple of days here.

Mrs. W. C. Stratton, of Santa Barbara, is in the city, on a visit to her mother, Mrs. Charles Le Noir. The latter has been seriously ill, but is improving.

Arrivals at the Golden Eagle Hotel yesterday: J. M. Keckler, Carlin; W. M. Doly, Biggs; S. M. Merrill, San Diego; L. W. DeHaven, Pittsburg, Pa.; C. H. Speers, W. Prathy, Jules C. Cerf, W. H. Crute, San Francisco; W. H. Hooper, Charles E. Hollister, Courtland; E. L. Barkis, Oakdale; H. A. Antram, Chicago; Nat. Jacobson, Philadelphia; Herbert Garside, Edgar Strakosch, New York; H. M. Van Duesen, Westfield, Mass.; W. E. Dunn, Los Angeles; H. W. Beatty, Jr., Oakland.

Arrivals at the Capital Hotel yesterday: W. Page, Geo. J. Watson, Folsom; D. McLanahan, Franklin; G. D. Connors and wife, Cosumnes; G. Heck, Freeport; W. H. Carlow, city; F. J. Ryan, Courtland; M. S. Green, Sacramento river; E. C. Davis, I. Danielweitz, San Francisco; Miss Clara Wisdom, Miss Maggie Wyman, Carlton Opera Troupe; W. C. Murdock, San Francisco; George A. Smith, Courtland; Ed. Christy, Folsom; N. D. Gamble and wife, city; R. N. Day, Lathrop; J. B. Hays, San Francisco.

The thirty-first annual ball of the Sacramento Hussars was given last evening at Armory Hall and was largely attended. Members of the company and other military men appeared in uniform. The following committees were in charge: Floor Managers—Privates H. Tietz, W. Maier and R. Mangold; Floor Director, Sergeant J. Linke; Committee of Arrangements—Captain Schumacher, Lieutenant Steiner, Sergeant J. Links, Sergeant J. Anderson and ex-Captain Ruhstaller; Reception Committee—Ex-Captain A. Heilbron, ex-Captain Ebner, ex-Lieutenant Miller, ex-Lieutenant Sellinger, ex Sergeant M. Miller and L. Nicolaus.

The Caledonian Club gave its annual Hallowe'en party on Thursday evening. It was a private affair, and only its members and their friends and a few invited guests were present. A well-selected programme was presented, consisting in part of a welcome to the guests by the Chief of the Club, Tom Scott; remarks by Past Chieftain, W. A. Gett, Jr.; highland fling and other Scotch dances, by Masters G. W. Newbert, Dumont E. Newbert, Aleck McCaw and Miss Eda Renwick; recitation, by J Lim. W. A. and Master Wallie Renwick officiated as pipers during the evening. After the programme was finished they all repaired to the banquet hall, where an elegant repast was spread; after which dancing was indulged in until the wee sma' hours, when they all filled up their glasses and parted, singing "Auld Lang Syne."

The sixth annual ball of the Young Men's Institute, No. 11, held at Turner Hall on Thursday evening, was, notwithstanding the many other attractions, an enjoyable success. Beautiful floral decorations were placed in front of the stage, which was occupied by the orchestra. In the ladies' reception-room the committee had placed a table upon which were piled hundreds of bouquets, and a variety of colored globes placed on the gas jets gave the hall a very pleasing appearance. The dancing was kept up by the gay young folks until an early hour in the morning, and the success of the ball is due to the following committees: Arrangements—W. F. Gormley, W. E. Kent, D. McLaughlin, George Stack, M. Nelis, John Cooke, James Longshore, Jr., Lincoln Williams, J. J. Moran, J. C. Gorman, D. McDougal, D. J. Long. Reception—W. J. Hamm, John Denny, Joseph Genshlea, M. J. O'Kiely, J. S. O'Callaghan, Martin J. Burke. Floor Director, Wm. F. Gormley. Floor Managers—J. J. Moran, J M. Sullivan, Dave Ahern, D. J. Long, Lincoln Williams, Ed. Sheehan, J. M. Brown.

TALK TO THE POINT.

The Claims of the Native Son and the Pioneer.

The young voter of Democratic faith has been heard to exclaim, "Caminetti is a Native Son you must, therefore, vote for him if you are a Native Son." George G. Blanchard is a Pioneer, a descendant of American ancestry; how about that? Yes, he is a Pioneer, one of that great number who, when California was in its wild state, untouched by the hand of the tiller of the soil, untouched by the hand of the artisan, its waters unfurrowed by the keel of commerce, its plains barren of the iron track and the locomotive, unspotted by cities and palatial mountain homes—it was then that our nominee for Congress made his debut upon the shores of the Golden State, it was then that he aided in the building up of this magnificent land of promise, happiness and prosperity; long before the gates of Castle Garden swung open to admit to this glorious country of freedom the parents from whom has sprung the Antone Caminetti of to-day—the Democratic nominee for Congress. Caminetti is a Native Son, 'tis true; it was a matter of chance and not of choice that he is; Nature ordained that he should be and therefore he is. But what claims does that entitle him to above the Hon. George G. Blanchard, an American by birth, a descendant of American parentage, a pioneer of California, one who aided as a public servant in building up this glorious State—the land in which Caminetti first saw the light of day and breathed the air of life. Who, permit us to ask, is entitled to superior claims under these circumstances? The aged father and mother, the tottering grandfather and the feeble grandmother will say—George G. Blanchard; and we say—George G. Blanchard; and all right-thinking men and women will say—George G. Blanchard. Now, if nativity is to figure in the premises, Mr. Blanchard certainly has the lead and the legitimate right to first consideration. He is an able man, a friend of the farmer and miner alike, and a man, too, who has the welfare of the people at heart and will do all in his power to advance the interests of the people whom he will certainly be elected to represent in Congress. See to it, all fair-minded voters believing in good government, that the name—George G. Blanchard—is on your ticket next Tuesday.—*Mountain Echo.*

Save the Trees.

Garden and Forest has warmly advocated saving the last grove of giant sequoias, "the big trees," in Tulare county, Cal., and both houses of Congress have passed unanimously a bill setting apart the grove forever as a public park. The Act secures also the springs of streams that flow through the park, and provides for the preservation of the timber and natural objects, for the protection of the fish and game, and for the maintenance of the park in its natural condition.

Garden and Forest now asks why a similar reservation should not be made of a tract of the redwood forest in the Coast Range. The trees are so valuable that they are rapidly falling under the ax, and trees almost as interesting as the big trees, and even more beautiful, will disappear. It hopes, also, that the committees will report the Yosemite Park bill, and undoubtedly in reserving these noble tracts from destruction Congress might be sure of universal public approval.

The public interest in foresty, which has been faithfully and forcibly fostered by *Garden and Forest*, has arisen happily in time to save much that ought to be saved, but could be saved only by a strong expression of opinion. The great beauty and the universal enjoyment of the parks which have been laid out within recent years have shown what an immense benefit and delight a little forethought may secure to our children. The reservation of Niagara, in New York, and the earnest struggle for the Adirondack forest, are fruits of the spirit which has been awakened, and whether the parks are vast tracts in the wilderness or breathing spaces in the city, the feeling which reserves them, and which in turn they develop and encourage, is a source of the purest public pleasure. *Harper's Weekly.*

The Good of Vegetarians.

The solemn antics and mummeries of the "vegetarian philosophers" are enough to make the face of the earth broaden into a smile. Yet vegetarians are useful, and their good work will be felt long after their fad has been buried in the dust of ancient history. These worshipers of cereals, raw and cooked, of nut and fruit diet, while they will not cause mankind to return to the eating habits of our Simian prototypes, will do this much good: They will instruct the ignorant and the wasteful in ways of economy; they may bring about some reform in the matter of excessive meat-eating and beer-drinking, and cause people to pay more attention to the products of the earth, which are now too much neglected. There is no doubt that much of the corn fed to pigs would do more good if eaten by people. The vegetarians will finally disappear in the clouds of the fad, but they will leave much grain for the world in their theoretical chaff.—*Chicago Herald.*

Olive Logan, the pioneer of newspaper women, has the honor of being elected a member of the Incorporated Society of Authors, of which Lord Tennyson is President and Walter Besant the Secretary.

SUNDAY RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

United Brethren Church—Sunday-school at 9:45 A. M; preaching, 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Evening subject: "What Are We Here For?" Welcome. M. S. Bovey, pastor. *

First Unitarian Society, Castle Hall, northwest corner of Ninth and I streets—Preaching at 11 A. M. by Rev. C. P. Massey. Subject: "The Element of Fervor in the Business of Life." Sunday-school at 12:15. A cordial welcome is extended to all. *

Calvary Baptist Church, I street, between Twelfth and Thirteenth—Rev. C. J. Thompson will preach at 11 A. M. Sabbath-school, 12:15. Washington Mission, 3 P. M. Rev. A. C. Herrick, pastor, will preach at 7:30. Subject: "The New Teacher in the Power of the Spirit." Communion at the close of the evening sermon. *

Church of Christ (Scientist)—Regular services at 11. Bible class, 12:15. Tenth and K (Grangers' Building). *

Central M. E. Church, Eleventh street, between H and I—Rev. C. H. Beechgood, pastor. Services at 10:40 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Preaching by the pastor. Sabbath school at 12:15. Young people's meeting at 6:30 P. M. All are invited. *

First Christian Church, Eighth street, between N and O—Preaching by A. M. Growden; 11 A. M. "Finding Relatives in Order to Save Them;" 7:30, "The Household Baptisms of the New Testament; Do They Teach Infant Baptism?" A cordial invitation extended to all. *

Congregational Church—Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M., conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. B. Silcox. Evening theme: "From Mud to Marble."

English Lutheran Church, Fireman's Hall, Eighth street, between J and K—Rev. W. S. Hoskinson, pastor. Subject at 11 A. M.: "Appeal to the Supreme Court;" 7:30 P. M., "All Saints' Day, October 31, 1517." Special service for Reformation Day. Every one will be made welcome here. *

German Evangelical Lutheran—Services will be held at Pioneer Hall every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Rev. M. C. Baade, pastor. Residence, 925 I street. *

St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Eighth street, between I and J—Rev. John F. von Herrlich, rector. Litany and Holy Communion at 11 A. M. Evening service at 7:30 P. M. Sunday-school at 12:45. Mission-school at 3 P. M. *

Emmanuel Baptist Church, Twenty-fifth and N streets—Rev. H. B. Hutchins, pastor. Preaching at 11 A. M. Sunday-school at 12:30. Sunday-school concert at 7:30. *

Fourteenth-street Presbyterian Church, between O and P—Rev. G. F. Tindall, pastor. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sabbath-school at 12:15 P. M. Subject for the morning: "Temptation;" for the evening, "Miracles Necessary to Pure Revelation." All persons not regularly attending elsewhere are cordially invited to attend, especially from the southeast part of the city. *

Sixth-street M. E. Church, between K and L streets—Rev. Arnold T. Needham, pastor. Preaching at 10:45 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Morning subject: "The Shipwreck of Faith;" evening subject, "Candidates and Compacts"—a sermon with reference to the election. Epworth League, 6:30 P. M. *

First Baptist Church, Ninth street, between L and M—Pastor, Rev. W. Ward Willis. Preaching at 10:45. Subject: "Gospel Fishermen." Rev. C. J. Thompson will preach at 7:30. Sunday-school, 12:15. Teachers' meeting, 6:45. Communion service at close of evening service. All cordially invited. *

Plaza—Gospel preaching on Plaza Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock by W. C. Houghton.*

SUPERIOR COURT.

Department One—Armstrong, Judge.

FRIDAY, October 31st.

Richards & Knox vs. Ruhstaller & Moon, E. P. Figg vs. Isaac T. Hall et al.—Continued one week.

In re J. B. White, an insolvent—Order granted to pay W. J. White $40.

R. T. McClune vs. His Creditors—George F. Bronner elected assignee; bond, $400.

A. C. Sweetser vs. E. K. Alsip—Continued until to-morrow.

Michael Kayser vs. His Creditors—S. B. Smith elected assignee; bond, $1,000.

Stroup vs. Wood & Co.—Demurrer overruled; fifteen days to answer; notice waived.

Clark vs. Clark—Set for October 13th.

Germania Building and Loan Association vs. C. H. Todd—Continued one week.

Rosa B. Kurriger vs. Frank Kurriger—Set for November 3d.

Department Two—Van Fleet, Judge.

FRIDAY, October 31st.

Estates of Thomas Carroll, deceased—Thomas Dwyer, B. M. Richmond, R. Oppenheim, B. Gorman, J. Doyle. All continued for one week.

Estate of J. O. Welch, deceased—Letters to W. J. Welch. Appraisers, Chas. L. Smith, E. W. Smith and R. H. Hawley.

Estate of James Robinson, deceased—Will admitted. Letters to J. V. Robinson. Appraisers, J. Rouder, T. C. Perkins and T. H Berkey.

Guardianship of H. and M. M. Hurd, minors—Order made settling accounts and discharging C. W. Clark as surety on bonds.

Estate of H. Garbe, deceased—Order settling account and for distribution.

Estates of W. L. Pierson, N. Myers and S. F. Schulmyer—Decree of due notice to creditors.

F. Bauquier, administrator, vs. Mary C. Rode, et al.; Holman vs. Dillard; Grant vs. Sacramento Bank; Bronner vs. Jenkins—All continued one week.

W. F. Ellis vs. J. W. Orth—Continued till 10 A. M. to-morrow.

A. Menke vs. J. J. Glacken—Justification of sureties on bond submitted.

Estate of Thomas Armstrong, deceased—Order settling account and for distribution.

Estate of P. Krauw, deceased—Order made to sell real estate.

Estate of M. Pickett, deceased—Order to renew mortgage granted.

George du Maurier, the caricaturist and artist, says in the *Magazine of Art:* "I confess that in book illustration I think the pretty woman a very important person, and since we are on the subject (although it is hardly for me to speak of her), it seems somewhat unfair to leave *my* pretty woman quite out in the cold. I do hope that the reader does not dislike her—that is, if he knows her. I am so fond of her myself, or rather, so fond of what I *want* her to be. She is my *piece de resistance*, and I have often heard her commended, and the praise of her has sounded sweet in mine ears and gone straight to my heart, for she has become to me as a daughter. She is rather tall, I admit, and a trifle stiff, but Englishwomen *are* tall and stiff just now, and she is rather too serious; but that is only because I find it so difficult, with a mere stroke in black ink, to indicate the enchanting little curved lines that go from the nose to the mouth corners, causing the cheeks to make a smile—and without them the smile is incomplete, merely a grin. So I have had to give up the smile when the author has not absolutely insisted upon it. And as for the hight, I have often begun by drawing the dear creature *little*, and found that by one sweep of the pen (adding a few inches to the bottom of her skirt) I have improved her so much that it has been impossible to resist the temptation, the thing is so easy and the result so satisfying and immediate. I beg the reader's forgiveness for this outburst of senile paternal egotism. It shall not occur again."

A great deal of the human hair of commerce in England comes from Canton, China, and is taken from the heads of beggars, criminals and corpses.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR SALE.

1379 SHARES OF THE CAPITAL STOCK of the People's Savings Bank of Sacramento; stock pays regular dividends. Address J. S. CREIGHTON, Smith's Flat, El Dorado county. o31-7t*

GUESS!

ADD TOGETHER ANY SIX (6) NUMBERS in the following table and get a total of 21. Each number can be used as often as it appears here.

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WILL BE HELD IN THE THIRD WARD, Twelfth and E streets,

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SATURDAY EVENING,

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SUNDAY.....November 2d,

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