TEACHERS IN COUNCIL.

SECOND DAY'S PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNTY INSTITUTE.

Kindergarten Tots Give an Interesting Exhibition—School Methods Freely Discussed.

The County Teachers' Institute reassembled at 9:30 A. M. yesterday and was called to order by Superintendent Howard. After roll-call Miss Hattie Wilson gave a graceful rendition of "Miserere."

Miss M. Alys Pullman then exhibited to the admiring audience various accomplishments of kindergarten "tots." First they represented the blacksmith shoeing his horse; but instead of the horse's hoof, each tot took the foot of its neighbor and hammered upon it. Then the children were given bells, with which they kept perfect time to music played on the piano. The "Motion Song," which followed, well illustrated children's imitative faculties, giving by various gestures of the little hands and arms what older persons would have to express in words, and at the same time laying a foundation for future exercises in calisthenics.

Charles V. Osborne read a paper on "Pedagogics," in which he dwelt with emphasis on the impractical manner of teaching children. He said that higher education, without a practical use of the same, was not necessary to good citizenship. The nation looks, not to its highly educated men for advice, but to its practical, reasoning men. The duty of the teacher is, not to cram the youthful mind with facts, but to teach the child to think for himself and to rely upon himself. Tell the child *how*, and he will not ask *why*. There is too much cramming and too little unfolding in the present school system. The hope of promotion keeps up a temporary, but not a lasting, interest in studies. Narrow the many text-book facts down to a few and enlarge upon the few; then the child will become a thinking being instead of a machine for remembering. In speaking of school government, Mr. Osborne said that as a rule, only poor teachers have poor government. The bringing in of bugs, throwing spit-balls, etc., did not reflect upon the scholars, but upon the teachers. Guard against too much government, but good order is the *sine qua non* of success.

A short recess was declared, after which E. P. Howe, Jr., gave the teachers some good ideas in regard to the collecting and preservation of insects. Have plenty of specimens and an ordinary cabinet in which to preserve them. Let the children learn to notice and compare, being sure of each insect's habits; note the injurious insects and their destructive qualities. Mr. Howe thinks the study of entomology a great benefit to children in the country, and if the teachers would all do their duty, the bugs would have his heartfelt sympathy.

Superintendent Fisher, of Alameda, regretted the lack of entomology-teaching in the schools. He thought a few of the more destructive and of the more useful insects could be taken and understood in every school. Mr. Fisher then spoke in a most vivid and impressive manner of "Patriotism in the Public Schools." Patriotism cannot be taught as one of the studies. People are patriotic because they love everything connected with the land in which they were born or in which their childhood was spent. Their country is endeared to them from the many struggles which it has undergone and the victories it has won. It is not to American children that American teachers should teach patriotism, but to foreigners coming to make homes and gain liberty in the land of the free. Mr. Fisher would have the American flag waving over every school-house in the land, and he would have its significance explained many times.

Mrs. E. B. Purnell responded with a few fitting remarks. She said that patriotism did not consist of a boisterous celebration on the Fourth of July—it was born of a deeper feeling. Patriotism has been manifested in all ages. Miltiades and his heroes of Marathon, Oliver Cromwell, William the Silent—all these were patriots of other countries. Webster and Washington were true patriots of America.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

In the afternoon Miss Mabel Barnes favored the audience with a vocal solo. Little Annie Laughlin recited in a most captivating manner, and was loudly encored.

Superintendent Fisher spoke at some length, defining "The Relation of Trustees and School Officers to the Public Schools." His remarks would have been of greater benefit had more Trustees been present. Only two being on hand, they were called upon for their opinions in regard to the subject.

Mr. Welty, of Pacific District, stated that he always allowed the teacher to run the school according to her own ideas.

Someone then remarked that "the trouble we hear about must be caused by Trustees' wives."

Mr. Welty couldn't say as to that, but thought Trustees "pretty good fellows." He then went on to state that he was very much interested in education, and had been trying for a long time to revise the English language, there being no reason why such a difference should exist in "mansion" and "mention," "gem" and "jam," etc. He thought a reconstruction of the English language would save a vast amount of money in the teaching of it.

Mr. Lipowitz thought the idea a good one, although "a chestnut," and that "wife" should be spelled "yf."

Mr. Simons, an ex-teacher, spoke a few encouraging words to the teachers, narrating some of his early experiences.

Mr. Jackson was next called upon, and replied: "I came not here to talk."

A few minutes were given to recreation. Miss Mary Quinn favored the assemblage with a piano solo.

Mr. J. H. Pond was listened to with great attention while reading "Pride in Our Vocation." Mr. Pond prefaced his remarks by declaring himself "a champion of the fair sex," in reply to a previous remark. He declared men had two objects in life; one was to disparage women, the other to deliver orations. He said that the speech previously prepared by him having been despoiled of its beauties by former orators, was left like a tree lopped of its boughs—nothing but the trunk remained—the title.

Speaking of college education, Mr. Pond wished to correct the false but popular idea that it is of no use in a business life. There must be natural ability, but when to that is added a thorough education, it is reasonable to suppose that the result will be eminently satisfactory. If study gives as a return nothing but the pleasure derived from the perusal of books, then it would more than pay every one to obtain a college education.

In ancient times the crown of laurel was awarded to the teacher, as the one who had done the most for mankind. Should not the teacher, then, feel a pride in his vocation?

Miss Carrie Wooster's paper on "Defects in the Course of Study" showed some well-developed ideas. They agree with those of many other teachers. Miss Wooster believes there are too many studies, and too little time given to finish them. It is both a detriment to the pupils and burden to the teachers. Take a longer time in which to learn the required studies, and learn them thoroughly.

Superintendent B. F. Howard closed the afternoon with some remarks relating to Miss Wooster's subject.

EVENING EXERCISES.

A Large Audience Entertained by Prof. Dickinson and Others.

The Seventh-street Methodist Church was barely half large enough to seat all who wished to witness the exercises last evening, and all that could not get within hearing distance of the inner doors had to turn away.

The exercises opened with a baritone solo by J. A. Monyihan, who sang, "Sweet Slumber, Come," so pleasingly as to demand a recall.

Albert Hart recited "The Vagabond," or "Rodger and I," in a manner not often excelled.

Miss Lizzie Lenn was encored for her singing of "Forget-Me-Not," as was George W. Shannon for his bass solo, "Nature's Adoration." He responded with "The Old Sexton."

The accompanyists of the evening were Misses Lizzie Griffin and Lillie Crowell.

The exercises concluded with an interesting lecture on the "Geology of the Stars," by Professor John Dickinson, of the University of Southern California. It was a most interesting and instructive address, and showed that the speaker had given much thought and study to the subject.

To-day's Programme.

This will be the last day of the session of the Institute. The exercises will commence at 9:30 o'clock in the Capital Grammar School building.

First on the programme will be the roll-call and music, and the other exercises will be in the following order:

9:40, "The Physical Conditions of Success in Teaching," Professor John Dickinson.
10:20, "The Study of a Poem," Miss F. de Laguna.
10:50, Recess.
11:00, Music.
11:05, "The Study of Civil Government—Its Importance," Superintendent P. M. Fisher.
11:45, Remarks, Rev. R. M. Stevenson.

IN THE AFTERNOON.

1:30, Roll-call and music.
1:40, "Arithmetical Signs and Symbols in Ancient times," Max Lipowitz.
2:50, "Thoughts on Observation," J. A. Woodson.
3:00, Music.
3:10, Miscellaneous Work; Reports of Committees.
Adjournment.

MOUNTAIN WATER.

The Blue Lakes Enterprise Apparently Assuming Shape.

Now that the question of an increased water supply for this city is being talked of, the following statement from the *Contra Costa Gazette* may not be without interest to people in this vicinity: "At a special meeting of the Stockton Board of Trade last Friday evening J. S. Emery, of the Blue Lakes Water Company, presented an outline of the project of that company for supplying Stockton, Oakland and other cities with fresh water from the Blue Lakes of Alpine county. Mr. Emery said that it was proposed to start with 100,000 shares of stock, but only one-half of this amount would be issued, and it would be assessed at $6 a share. With the $300,000 thus raised the bonded indebtedness would be taken up and the corporation would then place a mortgage for $5,000,000 on the property at 5 per cent. interest, payable in fifty years. The bonds could be floated at par.

"It was further stated that the pressure at Stockton would be equal to a vertical column of 900 feet high and would be sufficient for water-power purposes. Mr. Emery explained that the company preferred to lay its mains to the city and contract to supply so much water daily and let the city make the rates and provide for its distribution. Mr. Emery said that he thought it would take about a year to get the water to Stockton. A committee of five was appointed by the Board of Trade to confer with Mr. Emery and his associates and arrange for a future public meeting for the purpose of consultation.

"The above project is of especial interest to Martinez and the other towns along the water front of Contra Costa county, as in all probability the mains will be laid along the line of the Southern Pacific Company. It would insure a bountiful supply of good water, and be an incentive to the establishment of manufactories on the water front."

DECEASED ESTATES.

Various Applications for Letters of Administration Thereon.

Silas Carle, one of the executors named in the will of Orlando Smith, deceased, has filed in the Superior Court a petition for letters testamentary thereto. The estate consists of property in Oakland and promissory notes, amounting in all to $15,762 75. The petition is set for hearing on the 5th of December.

Edwin K. Alsip has applied for letters of administration on the estate of John B. Gilliland, deceased, in accordance with the terms of the will. The estate consists of real estate in this city and an insurance claim, amounting in value to $5,300. Set for hearing December 5th.

Mrs. Jennie Sherry, widow of P. B. Sherry, deceased, has applied for letters of administration on the latter's estate, which is valued at $4,650. The heirs are the petitioner and her two daughters. Set for hearing December 5th.

New Incorporations.

The following articles of incorporation were filed in the Secretary of State's office yesterday:

Nipomo Orchard and Packing Company of San Francisco. Capital stock, $50,000. Directors—J. H. Wylie, J. C. Currier, C. H. Reed, James O'Neill, Fred W. Vaughan.

California Super Phosphate Company of Los Angeles. Capital stock, $100,000. Directors—J. B. Charles, H. H. Holley, E. F. Whitney, J. C. Kurtz and F. H. Lowell.

Verona Vine and Orchard Company of San Francisco. Capital stock, $100,000. Directors—Bernard Schwartz, Herman Nathan, Louis Nathan, David Davis and Abraham B. Block.

Funeral of Mrs. Hurlburt.

The funeral of Mrs. Clara Hurlburt took place yesterday morning (not on Monday, as was announced) from the residence of Myron Smith, and was largely attended. The floral tributes were many and beautiful. There was singing at the grave by Mrs. Carter, Mrs. Pinkham, Mrs. Cook and Mr. Cohn. The pall-bearers were Messrs. Sims, Reith, Mack, Hull, Burton and Johnson.

Clear the Sidewalks.

The proprietors of the sidewalk boot-black stands were all served with notices yesterday by officer Stafford that they must vacate the public thoroughfares within one week. The notices served on them (over Street Commissioner McLaughlin's signature) stated that if the stands are not removed within the time mentioned he will have them taken away himself.

Accident Near Brighton.

Two young ladies, Nettie Teeples and Belle Manlove, were thrown from a buggy near Brighton on Monday evening, in consequence of their horse running away and overturning the vehicle.

Miss Manlove's injuries are of a superficial nature, but it is said that her companion, beside being otherwise bruised, suffered a fracture of one of her limbs.

Changes on the Placerville Railroad.

This afternoon a new time-table will go into effect on the Placerville Railroad. The local passenger train, which formerly left this city at 3:50 P. M., will leave at 3:10 P. M., and instead of arriving at 3:50 P. M., will reach this city at 2:40 P. M., in time for passengers to take the local train for San Francisco.

School Directors Nominated.

The Republican City Central Committee held a meeting last evening and nominated the following candidates for School Directors:

First Ward—Thomas Harper.
Second Ward—Herman Lages.
Third Ward—A. C. Tufts.
Fourth Ward—Dr. T. B. Reid.

Death of an Esteemed Lady.

Annie E., wife of S. M. Kiefer, who for many years has been connected with the Sacramento Postoffice, died last evening, after a lingering illness. She leaves three sons and three daughters. Her funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon. She was a native of New Jersey, aged 60 years.

Concerning the Pay-Car.

Nothing has been heard of the pay-car as yet, and the probability is that it will not reach this city until after Thanksgiving Day. It is thought that possibly it may not get here until next Monday.

Turkeys.

You will find a very choice lot of turkeys, chickens, ducks and geese at the Sacramento Market. Call early and get first selection. Curtis Bros. & Co., 308, 310 and 312 K street. *

EAT Quaker Rolled Oats for your breakfast. *

A TURKEY Dinner will be given by the ladies of the Cathedral at Turner Hall on Thanksgiving Day, from 11 A. M. to 4 P. M., for 25 cents. The ladies who have contributed towards the dinner will please bring their donations to Turner Hall on Thursday morning. *

BE sure and try Quaker Rolled Oats for breakfast. *

BE careful and read our ad. this morning, and if you have a little notion of buying any goods do not do so until you get prices throughout each department of our stores, and if our goods are just as good and you can save a quarter on each dollar, you should do so. Red House. *

SCHMIDT's sarsaparilla and iron, the great beverage. J. McMorry, agent, 4th and M. *

ATTENTION!—Maple Syrup cranks call at Weber & Co.'s and get some of the Maple Syrup like you used at home. *

THE INAUGURAL BALL.

IT PROMISES TO BE THE GRANDEST EVER GIVEN HERE.

Mayor Comstock Names the Executive Committee—Tickets will be $10, and Scarce at That.

An adjourned meeting of the Citizens' Inaugural Ball Committee was held at the Court-house last evening. Mayor Comstock announced that he had selected the following gentlemen to act as an Executive Committee, to have entire management of the affair:

Joseph Steffens, Hon. Fred. Cox, J. O. Coleman, Colonel E. R. Hamilton, H. Weinstock, G. L. Simmons, August Heilbron, C. H. Hubbard, W. S. Leake, Frank Ryan, Colonel J. W. Guthrie, W. H. Ennis, J. W. Hughes, J. H. Wilson and F. F. Tebbets.

The committee as selected was unanimously approved, and the meeting adjourned.

The Executive Committee then assembled, and selected officers as follows: Jos. Steffens, President; W. D. Knights, Secretary; William Beckman, Treasurer.

In assuming the chair Mr. Steffens stated that he proposed to devote all of the time necessary to assist in making the ball the grandest that has ever been held in the State. The most prominent men in San Francisco were anxious that the affair be a success, and promised considerable financial aid. They promised to do all in their power to assist the Sacramento committee in making arrangements, and it might be a good idea to hold some consultations with the San Francisco committee.

Mr. Coleman suggested that in addition to the invitations, an elegant souvenir be gotton up.

On motion of Mr. Ennis, the price of tickets was fixed at $10.

Considerable discussion ensued as to whether or not the number of ladies entitled to accompany each gentleman should be limited. Mr. Ennis thought that it was not the proper thing for a gentleman to escort half a dozen ladies or more. The number of the fair sex should be restricted.

Mr. Hubbard expressed similar views, and thought a gentleman ought not to be accompanied by more than two ladies.

Mr. Leake held very different views. There could not be any too many ladies present to suit him. He believed a gentleman ought to be privileged to take as many ladies as he could get to go with him.

Mr. Heilbron thought so too. There were many ladies who went simply to look on and witness the festivities, and they should not be excluded.

After considerable discussion the matter was finally postponed until another meeting, when the full Executive Committee would be present.

It was resolved that complimentary tickets be issued to the heads of the incoming and outgoing departments, members of the Legislature, and the leading papers of the State.

It was also resolved, as the sense of the committee, that stringent measures be taken to guard against the admission of persons who had not purchased tickets, or been invited. Many were in the habit of giving their invitations to outsiders, notwithstanding the fact that the tickets were always marked "Not Transferable," and this matter ought to be guarded against by stationing men at the door acquainted with those who had purchased tickets, or been extended complimentaries.

It was unanimously agreed that Mayor Comstock act as Chairman of the Invitation and Reception Committee, and that steps be taken to secure a list of fifty prominent citizens from San Francisco, Oakland, Los Angeles and Sacramento to act on the committee. A suggestion was offered that Chairman Stump of the State Central Committee be consulted, and it was acted upon and adopted.

The Chairman was empowered to appoint Committees on Printing, Music, Decorations, Finance, and Supper, and Mr. Steffens announced that he would select the committees before the next meeting.

The committee adjourned to meet next Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the reading-room of the Golden Eagle Hotel.

TO-MORROW'S ATHLETIC GAMES.

The Sacramento Club's Races at East Park.

The Sacramento Athletic Club made its formal announcement yesterday of the events to be given at the out-door meeting at East Park to-morrow.

There will be nine events, and the sport will begin at 12:30 o'clock sharp. No admission fee will be charged to the grounds, and it is anticipated that there will be a large attendance. Cars will connect at Twentieth and H streets for the grounds. The events and entries, including the handicaps, are as follows:

Fifty yard scratch—Rubenstein, Bauer, Bergman, Newbert and Barley.

One hundred yard scratch—Bauer, Bergman, Newbert and Barley.

Two hundred and twenty yard handicap—Rubenstein (10 yards); Bauer (scratch); Bergman (8 yards); Newbert (4 yards); Campbell (scratch); Barley (1 yard.)

Eight hundred and eighty yard handicap—Rubensfein (10 seconds); Bauer (3 seconds; Line (scratch); Bergman (5 seconds); Newbert (3 seconds); Gilbert (scratch.)

One mile handicap—Bauer (6 seconds); Line (scratch); Rubenstein (20 seconds); Gilbert (scratch); Newbert (6 seconds.)

One hundred and twenty yard hurdle handicap—Line (penalized 5 yards); Campbell (penalized five yards); Rubenstein (scratch); Newbert (scratch.)

Running broad jump—Rubinstein, Bauer, Bergman, Barley, Newbert, Campbell.

Putting sixteen-pound shot — Newbert, Barley, Bauer, Whitmore.

Running broad jump—Campbell, Barley, Bauer, Newbert.

The officers of the day will be as follows: Timers—R. M. Hamilton, Fred. Yoerk, Val. McClatchy. Judges—I. A. Robie, Jud. Brusie, F. Whitmore. Inspectors—John Heaney, H. B. Bonordon, A. M. Arnold. Clerks of Course—George Littlefield, Wm. Johnson. Starter—A. L. Ripley. Announcer or Reporter — Elwood Bruner. Scorers—T. L. Enright, A. P. Booth. Marshal—Thos. Dwyer.

NOT GUILTY.

The Burglary Charge Against the Athertons Not Sustained.

J. C. and Ed. Atherton were tried in Judge Armstrong's Court yesterday on charges of burglary. On the night of October 6th they were arrested by special officer Brady at Eighth and J streets, and charged with having broken in the show-window of D. M. Bishop's optician store, in that vicinity, and abstracting therefrom several articles.

The officer's story was in brief, that between 2 and 3 o'clock in the morning, while he was standing in the doorway of Coolot's store, he saw two men on the sidewalk a short distance below and opposite Bishop's store. They acted, he said, in a suspicious manner, and he kept out of sight and watched them. Presently he heard the crash of breaking glass, and started toward the men. They did not attempt to run away, but made some resistance when he arrested them.

He took his prisoners to the police station and searched them, but nothing was found on them. Returning to the scene of arrest, he found the window broken, and the proprietor said some of his goods were gone. They instituted a search, and on the sidewalk, at Eighth and J streets, found the missing articles. The officer did not see the Athertons break the window, but the circumstantial evidence against them appeared to be strong.

The prisoners testified that while they were standing near Bishop's store some man whom they had not before seen broke the window and then rushed past them down J street. Their theory is, that while Brady was going to the police station the guilty party went back and got the articles, and left them where found.

J. E. D. Baldwin, the photographer, testified that the young men had been in his employ, and that, so far as he knew, their reputations for honesty were good.

The prosecution was conducted by District Attorney Bruner, and the prisoners were defended by Charles N. Post. The case went to the jury at about 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and were out less than ten minutes.

The case was ably presented on both sides, and when the jury returned to the Court-room so soon it was generally thought that a verdict of guilty had been reached. On the contrary, the defendants were found not guilty on the first ballot.

While the circumstances were undoubtedly against the defendants, still there was a lack of positive evidence in that direction, and as they were young men of good address and apparently well-reared, with nothing in their demeanor to indicate that they are professional crooks, the jury readily acquitted them.

THE PENNANT SQUABBLE.

It Is a Result of an Error in Making Up the Schedule.

The Sacramentos baseball managers have come to the conclusion that the Directors arranged the late schedule in too hasty a manner, and the mistake has just been discovered. According to the schedule, the Oaklands and San Franciscos were only called upon to play 139 games each, while the other two clubs were billed for 140 games.

It is thought that, in making up the list of games, the Directors forgot to schedule a game between the Oaklands and San Franciscos to be played in Oakland last Sunday morning. It will be remembered that a game was played there on Sunday, but it was one which had been postponed—or, rather, the one which was declared a tie.

The future action of the Directors will be awaited with interest.

A meeting of the Directors of the League will be held in San Francisco this evening.

KNOCKED OUT.

Fight to a Finish With Chairs, Instead of Pillows.

Last night two men got into a fight over a game of cards in a saloon on K street, near Fourth, and used chairs pretty freely on one another. The biggest one got a whack on the head that knocked him quite silly, and one leg of the chair went off on its own hook and demolished the bar mirror.

The battered individual threw his overcoat on the counter and got out of the place. Finding officer Franks, the latter went with him to see if he could recognize the saloon he was in. He found it, and also his coat, but the $20 which he claimed to have left in one of the pockets was "not in it" any more than he was in the fight.

The "hayseed" will probably confine his gambling to the rural districts henceforth.

AMUSEMENTS.

The box-sheet for the Lewis-McInerney wrestling match to-morrow night, which is exciting considerable interest, opens at the Opera House this morning. There is no charge for reserving seats.

McInerney, who is to meet Lewis, arrived in the city last evening. He emphatically states that he is not in partnership with Lewis, or traveling to give exhibitions with him, but that he is now en route to Oregon and Washington, to meet local wrestlers, and goes thence to Chicago. It should have been mentioned yesterday that there are to be two matches to-morrow night. In addition to the catch-as-catch-can between Lewis and McInerney, an exhibition of Graeco-Roman wrestling will be given by French Barney and Con. Reardon, both of San Francisco.

To-night the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, of Sutter Lodge, will give a grand ball.

More Official Bonds.

Yesterday W. W. Rhoads filed his official bond as County Clerk-elect, in the sum of $50,000, with the following sureties: John Gerber $10,000, G. C. McMullen $10,000, Adolph Heilbron $10,000, J. W. Wilson $10,000, M. Gardner $10,000, Obed Harvey $10,000, Joseph Steffens $10,000.

W. A. Henry has filed his official bond as Township Justice of the Peace, with Peter Newman and J. M. Wood as sureties in the sum of $5,000 each.

Henry Starr has also filed his official bond, with Peter Newman and N. Greene Curtis as sureties in the sum of $2,500 each.

George Coleman, Overseer of Road District No. 4, has filed his bond in the sum of $5,000.

John P. Brissell, Constable-elect, has filed his bond in the sum of $5,000, with William Gutenberger and Charles Heisen as sureties.

Round-up of Dive Cattle.

Officers Simmons, Higgins, Campbell, Lowell and others made a raid on the dives early yesterday morning and arrested twenty men who were lounging about or sleeping in chairs in the different places.

In the Police Court yesterday each defendant was given an opportunity of explaining what he had been doing in the way of earning his living during the last year, and every man in the crowd, excepting Joe Sullivan, gave such a good account of himself that Judge Buckley ordered them discharged. Sullivan was sent to jail for forty days.

Weather Notes.

The Signal Service temperature at 5 A. M. and 5 P. M. yesterday was 46° and 61°, while the highest and lowest was 67° and 45°, with fresh to gentle and light and variable winds and a partly clouded sky. There was an appreciable rainfall at San Francisco yesterday.

The highest and lowest temperature one year ago yesterday was 61° and 42°, and one year ago to-day 58° and 42°, with fresh and variable winds and a cloudless sky.

State Horticultural Society.

The next meeting will be held on Friday, November 28th, at 12:30 P. M., at the hall of the State Board of Horticulture, 220 Sutter street, San Francisco. The subjects for discussion will be: "Orchard Cultivation," "Table Grapes" and "Local Adaptation of Different Fruits." All are invited to take part in the discussions.

Ball-Playing on the Streets.

Five boys named George Keefer, Ed. Danforth, Joseph Conway, John McCafferty and Edward Cheney were in the Police Court yesterday charged with misdemeanor in playing ball on the streets. Judge Buckley resolved to make an example of the defendants, and ordered each fined $2 50.

Notaries.

Governor Waterman appointed the following Notaries yesterday: E. O. Crosby, Alameda; C. S. Upham, Moore's Station, Butte county; George E. Cloud, Fortuna, Humboldt county; Woods Crawford, James Stewart, Lakeport; A. L. Williams, St. Helena.

Baseball To-morrow.

A game of ball will be played to-morrow by way of a benefit for the Sacramento club. The team will be divided, and some local talent will be added to fill out the positions. The game will commence at 2 o'clock, and tickets can be procured for fifty cents.

Bell's Auction To-day.

Bell & Co. will sell at auction to-day, at 10 o'clock, two houses of fine furniture, comprising bedroom and parlor sets, kitchen and dining room articles, glassware, crockery, carpets, etc. Also, fifty boxes of mountain apples, just received.

Postoffice Hours To-moorow.

Office hours at the postoffice to-morrow (Thanksgiving Day) will be the same as on Sundays, from 12 to 1 o'clock. There will be one general delivery by carriers in the forenoon.

New Dress Goods To-Day.

Double width Orkney Worsted Plaids and Stripes, 12½c per yard; double width 36-inch Fancy Rayures Stripes, silk mixed, new shades, 50c per yard; double width, 38 inches wide, silk and wool mixed, Broken Plaids, new styles, 50c per yard; single width Dress Pisids, in latest dark shades, 10c per yard. Remember, our Millinery is still going at the same low prices quoted Saturday at Red House. *

ONLY $325 at $5 per month will buy a cheap new piano at Cooper's, first-class (so says its maker). We also sell real first-class pianos as low as anywhere, giving better value in the solid iron frame Mathushek, of which piano over 1,100 sold in Sacramento city, used and recommended by our very best pianists, many of whom have lately purchased it after teaching on it for many years first. *

THE women wear bonnets and dress,
The men wear trousers and caps,
But when it comes to both sexes,
They both eat Quaker Rolled Oats. *

THE celebrated Gabler & Bro. Cabinet Grand Upright Piano, from $400, easy installments, at Steinway agency. A. J. Pommer, corner Ninth and J streets. *

QUAKER Rolled Oats are sold by all first-class grocers. *

BRIEF NOTES.

Katie Wells has commenced suit for divorce from J. R. Wells.

It was Charles, and not N. Grondona who ran for Overseer of Road District No. 4½.

The nimble official-elect is wearing out his shoe-leather these days hunting up men of capital to go on his official bond.

As near as can be ascertained, with Del Norte county to be heard from, Beckman's majority over Yell, for Railroad Commissioner, is 4 164.

In Judge Van Fleet's Court yesterday Charles H. Puddephatt, a native of England, was admitted to citizenship; W. H. Milleman and T. Rowan, witnesses.

Judge Armstrong has postponed until Friday the hearing of the matter of G. W. McKay and others, charged by the *Bee* publishers with contempt of Court.

Some fiend placed an obstruction on the railroad track near Dunnigan's, Yolo county, on Saturday, but it was found in time to prevent an accident to a freight train.

On Monday a large porcupine was killed by two little sons of Andrew Bloom on his ranch near Franklin. The boys' dog tackled the thing and got its hide full of quills.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

A. M. Roup, of Lake valley, is in the city.
Judge M. C. Tilden, of San Jose, is in the city.
Sheriff John Butler, of Placer, was in the city yesterday.
Philip Oppenheim, of San Francisco, is at the Capital Hotel.

Next Monday Superior Judge Van Fleet will leave for the East on a visit.

Dr. Durant, the Prison physician at San Quentin, was in the city yesterday.

Arrivals at the Golden Eagle Hotel yesterday: S. C. Hirschberg, Ed. J. Marx, St. Louis; J. M. Stewart, B. Hirschfeld, G. W. Tuthill, Cincinnati; C. E. Locke, Chicago; H. A. Culloher, Albuquerque; E. L. Brooks, Chicago; E. W. Clark and wife, Placerville; L. A. Reister, Chico; F. S. Sprague, Woodland; Miss M. C. Curdts, San Jose; Edgar A. Walz, F. P. Deering, Ralph S. Buck, F. P. Button, D. W. Dowe, W. A. Leiber, D. B. Wilson, San Francisco.

Arrivals at the Capital Hotel yesterday: S. Hoffman, Peoria, Ill.; J. B. Hays, W. A. Marshall, J. S. Salomon, George P. Quinn, San Francisco; A. C. Brownell, Elmira; Grant Olmsted, C. B. Miller, Eugene Swift, city; J. Layden, Omaha; W. P. Nash, Suisun; W. M. Gouge, Redding; Philip Aaron, Stockton; W. N. Wilson, Haywards; H. F. Turner, Sierra Valley; John C. Gray, Oroville; W. A. Johnston, Courtland; A. D. Fellows, John Butler, Auburn; A. W. Romp, Lake Valley; J. W. Frost, Philip Oppenheim, San Francisco; N. M. Weaver, L. G. Rhodes, Woodland; Wand. Oatley, Los Angeles; W. T. Emmett, Dunnigan; W. K. Rogers, Sonoma.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Department One—Armstrong, Judge.

TUESDAY, November 25th.

People vs. H. J. Palmer, embezzlement—Continued.
People vs. J. C. and Ed. Atherton, burglary—Verdict of not guilty.

Good Bye, Elixir.

The years of her life numbered four-score-and-ten,
Her memory long ago failed her—
Her health was so feeble that medical men
Could not guess what the thing was that ailed her;
She was as blind as a bat, as deaf as a post,
And everything seemed to confuse her;
We daily expected she'd give up the ghost;
And yet we all dreaded to lose her.

A short time ago, as a dernier resort,
In hopes that it somehow might fix her,
We gave her in moderate doses a quart
Of Quaker Oats, and that beats elixir.
It acted like magic; much younger she grew;
Her brain showed no silvery shade in,
And then in the course of a fortnight or two
She changed to a charming young maiden.

Yet still Quaker Oats continued to act—
To childhood we saw her returning,
And fiction was not half so wondrous as fact,
For dolls she was found to be yearning!
She shortly became her great grand-children's pride,
With playthings and innocent prattle,
Until as a baby of ninety she died,
Choked to death, having swallowed her rattle.

FOR the finest turkeys and the largest assortment of poultry, game, vegetables, oysters, crabs, shrimps, cranberries, etc., call at the California Market, 712 K st. *

"COMPOUND SULPHUR POWDER" (put up only by the W. H. Bone Co., No. 12 Bush street, San Francisco) gives the best satisfaction of any remedy on the market. It thoroughly cleanses the blood, and for habitual constipation, indigestion, biliousness, piles, etc., *it has no equal*, Kirk, Geary & Co. *

EVERYBODY should eat Quaker Oats for breakfast who would be in it. *

HOOD'S COMPOUND EXTRACT OF SARSAPARILLA TRADE MARK

Hood's Sarsaparilla has by its peculiar merit and its wonderful cures won the confidence of the people, and is to-day the most popular blood purifier and strengthening medicine. It cures scrofula, salt rheum, dyspepsia, headache, kidney and liver complaint, catarrh, rheumatism, etc. Be sure to get Hood's Sarsaparilla, which is peculiar to itself. Hood's Sarsaparilla sold by druggists. $1; six for $5. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

100 Doses One Dollar

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.

MARRIED.

Spokane Falls, Wash., October 18—Gus Bowman of Sacramento, Cal., to Miss Dora Rushmire of Spokane Falls.

DIED.

Sacramento, November 25—Lawrence McKearney, a native of County Tyrone, Ireland, 51 years and 3 months. (San Francisco papers please copy.)

[Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, 722 L street, Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock; thence to the Cathedral, Eleventh and K streets, where requiem high mass will be celebrated for the repose of his soul, commencing at 10 o'clock.] *

Sacramento, November 25—Adrian J. Gonnet, a native of Sacramento, 26 years, 7 months and 5 days (beloved husband of Elizabeth Gonnet and brother of Gus. F. Gonnet and Mrs. Chas. Beckhuft).

[Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, which will take place from the Pioneer Hall to-morrow (Thursday) at 3 o'clock.] *

Near Sacramento, November 25—Alf. Estill, youngest son of Jacob and Julia Heintz, a native of California, 5 years, 10 months and 5 days.

[Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, which will take place from the undertaking parlors of John Miller, Odd Fellows' Temple, corner Ninth and K streets, this afternoon at 1 o'clock.] *

Sacramento, November 25—Earnest, youngest son of Fred and Mary Berzer, a native of Sacramento, 3 months and 16 days.

[Funeral private.] *

Sacramento, November 25—Annie E., wife of S. M. Kiefer, a native of Newark, N. J., 60 years and 25 days. (Dayton (O.) and Newark (N. J.) papers please copy.)

[Funeral notice hereafter.] *

Near Sacramento, November 23—Marshall Humphrey, a native of Maine, 65 years, 9 months and 28 days.

[Funeral notice hereafter.]

Butte City, Montana, November 22—Frank S. Bragg, a native of California, 29 years, 10 months and 20 days.

[Funeral notice hereafter. Interment at Sacramento.] *

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

CHANGED DAILY FOR WEINSTOCK, LUBIN & CO.

TO-MORROW BEING THANKSGIVING DAY OUR STORES WILL REMAIN CLOSED ALL DAY. TO-NIGHT THEY WILL REMAIN OPEN LATER THAN USUAL.

The largest assortment of Men's Clothing and Furnishing Goods in the city.

THIS EVENING AT 7 O'CLOCK,
SPECIAL SALE OF
Men's Suits at $5 69.

We have just received from New York a special lot of Men's Suits, closed out by our buyer there at a special price. The Suits are heavy weight, sack style, neat brown mixed goods, and well sewed and put together. All sizes. Price, $5 69.

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The display of general HOLIDAY NOVELTIES in the Embroidery Department, embracing all kinds of hand-painted Satin and Ivorine Novelties, will be continued TO-DAY.

The collection is rich in new ideas, and an inspection of it will give many suggestions for home work.

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Dunlap's latest styles of Silk Hats in two shapes, one intended for young and the other for middle-aged and elderly men. These are our best. Price, $8.

"Broadway" style of Silk Hats made of a lower grade of stock than the Dunlap, and although not as well finished, yet good Hats for the price—$5.

Tall Cassimere Hats, made to imitate a Silk Hat in shape, neat and durable; just the thing for winter weather; price, $5.

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LADIES' KID BUTTON SHOES, made with a medium square toe and a neat patent leather tip, the vamp cut in one continuous piece; edges beaded, giving the shoe a highly finished appearance; all sizes, $3 75.

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MEN'S FINE CALF SHOES, elastic sides, double sole, finished with a fair stitch; the bottoms are standard screwed, giving it more durability than can be had in a machine-sewed Shoe; all sizes, $4.

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

CARPETS! CARPETS!

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY YOUR CARPETS IF YOU WILL BE NEEDING ANY within the next three months. The manufacturers have raised their prices from five to fifteen cents per yard since the new tariff law took effect. We are still selling CARPETS as low as ever, but cannot do so long. See our beautiful new fall patterns, just received. OILCLOTHS, MATTINGS and RUGS the lowest in the city.

FURNITURE AND CARPETS SOLD ON EASY PAYMENTS.

CHAS. M. CAMPBELL.....409 K street.

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Men's Fine Grain Leather Waterproof Boots (United Workingmen's make)...$4 25
C. & P. H. Tirrell's Best Kip Boots 4 00
Misses' Fine French Calf Button Spring-heel Shoes..... 2 50

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625 J STREET,
Retiring from Business!
SHOWCASES AND FIXTURES FOR SALE. n17-tf

THANKSGIVING DAY

FALLS ON NEXT THURSDAY, THE 27TH INSTANT, AND WE HAVE MUCH TO BE THANKful for during the past year. The citizens of Sacramento and vicinity have treated us very nicely, our trade has increased very perceptibly, and we feel happy to say that we greatly appreciate the excellent patronage given us. Our prices are always the lowest, and our goods always the best. We guarantee a perfect fit in all cases, as it is always our aim to please. We carry a very large and complete lot of Men's, Youths' and Boys' Clothing, Furnishing Goods, Hats, Caps, Boots and Shoes. See our price list below:

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