TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

PROCEEDINGS AT THE LAST DAY'S CONSULTATION.

An Explanation of How Some Teachers Fail—The Importance of Teaching "Civil Government."

The County Teachers' Institute reassembled yesterday morning at the Capital Grammar School.

The morning work opened with an address by Prof. Dickinson, relating to the "Teaching of Science in the Public Schools." The Professor said the subject had not been given sufficient consideration on account of a lack of suitable apparatus. He then went on to show how experiments might be performed with materials always at hand. Nature herself should be called upon to furnish the apparatus; every-day occurrences would illustrate the grandest principles of physics.

WHY SOME FAIL.

Superintendent Fisher continued the work by a short address on "Relation of the Teacher to Her School." He said that the reason why many teachers fail is because they haven't the "faculty of comprehending the situation in which they are oftentimes placed," a lack of being able to cheerfully accommodate one's self to one's circumstances.

Miss F. de Laguna gave the teachers a rare treat in "The Study of a Poem." "Sir Launfal's Vision" was chosen, and the exquisite lines seemed translated into many varied and beautiful meanings, and the words of each line to reflect the changes undergone since the beginning of language.

Miss Mildred Obarr read a very good paper on the "Kindergarten" and what it endeavors to do for the little ones. Members of the Free Kindergarten were then brought in and illustrated some of the beautiful and useful things they were being taught. Their singing was especially good, and members of the Institute wished to make them a little gift of remembrance, nothwithstanding their teachers' remonstrance.

CIVIL GOVERNMENT.

After a short intermission Miss Ritta Conclaugh rendered a difficult piano solo.

Superintendent P. M. Fisher spoke at length upon the importance of teaching civil government in schools. He would have it taught to the older pupils, the duties and responsibilities of the American citizen being emphasized. Mr. Fisher thought the coming generation of citizens would learn their rights and privilges soon enough. The benefit to be derived from having a night school where such things might be taught, was demonstrated. It was not altogether that American boys and men should learn these things, but it is necessary that foreigners wishing to become citizens should be well aware of the laws of the land.

Mrs. E. B. Purnell thought there was no reason why girls and women should not be instructed in the Constitution as well as boys and men; there would in all probability come a time when the preamble, in saying "We, the people of the United States," etc., would include women as well. Miss Marett and Miss Watson made a few remarks pertaining to the discussion.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

In the afternoon little Maud Blue played some stirring national airs and was loudly applauded, and Mrs. Condo gave a very interesting recitation.

Rev. R. M. Stevenson spoke of "Personal Influence of Teachers." He said that children are instructed more by the teacher's personality and love of learning; that text-book knowledge will become indistinct a few years after leaving school, but the impression made by the teacher would be lasting as live itself. In recalling some boyhood memories, Mr. Stevenson gave graphic descriptions of his earlier teachers; how one, by his attire, gave the impression of exactness; another, of earnestness; some of kindness, and still, in recalling others, he saw nothing but their crabbedness.

Superintendent Fisher and Professor Dickinson, being obliged to leave, the Institute members declared a vote of thanks be given them for their earnestness in carrying on the work.

ARITHMETICAL SIGNS.

Professor M. S. Lipowitz's discussion of "Arithmetical Signs and Symbols" proved extremely interesting. It has been found by consulting old manuscripts and marbles, that the early Egyptians were familiar with many forms of mathematics; it is also evident in the construction of pyramids and other of their works. The Greeks, although geometricians by nature, still had a system of their own for counting, etc. Still earlier than these were the Hindoos, versed in the mysteries of mathematics. He spoke also upon the mathematical symbols of the Chinese, in conclusion.

A recess was then taken, after which Miss Campbell sang a charming solo.

THE RESOLUTIONS.

The Committee on Resolutions then reported as follows:

Resolved, That we highly appreciate the work of Professor Dickinson and Superintendent Fisher, and tender them our best wishes in their future work.

Resolved, That our thanks are due to the Rev. Messrs. Silcox and Stephenson for their hearty words of encouragement, and to those that have kindly furnished us vocal and instrumental music during the institute.

Resolved, That we cordially approve of Superintendent Howard's course in appointing all committees beforehand, and further that no teacher, without a justifiable excuse, should refuse to perform any reasonable duty imposed by the Superintendent.

Resolved, That in the future some arrangement be made by which more time be allowed for discussion on subjects presented, even if the number of subjects be limited, and that by this arrangement, or some other, more of our teachers be led to participate in our institute work.

Resolved, That we heartily indorse Superintendent Howard's efforts to make these institutes both pleasant and profitable, and we believe they are growing more useful year by year.

The ladies of the kindergarten collection desire their thanks expressed to the ladies and gentlemen of the institute for their contributions.

The institute was then addressed for ten minutes by J. A. Woodson, on the subject of cultivation of the power of observation. His remarks commanded attention and were forcible.

Some routine business was then transacted. Superintendent Howard addressed the institute in conclusion, reviewing the work and congratulating the members on their attention and evident interest. The institute then adjourned sine die.

GORE'S ASSAILANTS.

One of Them Makes a Good Showing and Gets Off Easily.

Young William Healy appeared before Superior Judge Armstrong yesterday to answer the charge of assault with a deadly weapon against him.

Healy was in the company of a party of precocious youngsters some time ago, who waylaid a countryman named J. T. Gore, who was coming into town with a load of watermelons. First they purchased one of the melons from Gore, but either accidentally or intentionally dropped it on the ground and broke it. Then they wanted another, and Gore generously furnished them with one. This did not satisfy them, and they undertook to help themselves from the wagon. Gore whipped up his horse and tried to get away from the crowd. He was rewarded by a shower of stones and brickbats, one of which struck him on the head and severely injured him.

Healy was arrested with the others.

Several of the young man's companions state, however, that they did not see him throw anything at Gore, but admitted that he was in the crowd. When these facts were presented to Judge Armstrong yesterday and a request made that Healy be allowed to plead guilty to a lesser charge, the Judge gave his approval. The charge of assault with a deadly weapon was then formally withdrawn, and he was allowed to plead guilty to simple assault.

Judge Armstrong then imposed a fine of $50, and Healy paid it and left the Courtroom.

CONTEMPT CASES.

Side Issues of the "Boycott" Case to Be Heard in Bank.

The cases of G. W. McKay, S. E. Carrington, G. W. McMillin and others, cited to show cause why they should not be punished for contempt of Court in disobeying the temporary restraining order issued by Judge Armstrong in the "boycott" case, was continued yesterday until December 8th.

Judge Armstrong announced that at that time he would hear the matter in bank, with Judge Buckles, of Solano.

The case of James McClatchy & Co., charged also with contempt of Court, in having published affidavits pending a decision by the Court, went over to the same date.

INAUGURAL BALL.

Mr. Steffens Announces the Various Committees Appointed.

Joseph Steffens, President of the Inaugural Ball Executive Committee, appointed the following sub-committees yesterday:

Printing—C. H. Hubbard, J. O. Coleman and Dr. G. L. Simmons.

Music—E. R. Hamilton, Frank Ryan and F. F. Tebbets.

Hall and Decorations—W. H. Ennis, W. S. Leake and J. W. Wilson.

Supper—J. O. Coleman, J. W. Guthrie and August Heilbron.

Finance—Hon. Fred Cox, H. Weinstock, J. W. Hughes, C. H. Hubbard and W. S. Leake.

The President and Secretary of the Executive Committee are ex officio members of all committees. Before making definite arrangements, the various sub-committees will consult with the Executive Committee.

DEATH OF THE CLIONIAN.

The Social and Literary Organization Passes in its Checks.

The Clionian Club, a local organization which has for nearly two years held its own as a literary and social club, while other such institutions have lived their short lives and died, expired at its last meeting held Tuesday evening.

Summer and winter, during that whole period, without intermission, its members have met and labored for improvement and culture, and they claim for the club something that can seldom be said of similar institutions in Sacramento—that it has, to a great extent, accomplished its purpose, and that in retrospecting its past life it can calmly pass away:

Like one who wraps the drapery of his couch
About him, and lies down to pleasant dreams.

JAY PAGE'S MONEY.

SULLIVAN, WRIGHT AND QUINLAN HELD FOR TAKING IT.

A Strong Case Made Out Against Them at the Preliminary Examination Yesterday at Brighton.

The preliminary examination of John Sullivan, William Wright and D. Quinlan, charged with robbing Jay H. Page of $60 at Brighton on Thursday last, took place before Justice of the Peace Foster, of Brighton, yesterday.

Charles T. Jones, of this city, appeared as attorney for Quinlan, but the other two were not represented by counsel. Assistant District Attorney A. J. Bruner appeared for the prosecution.

The evidence given at the examination made out a pretty plain case against the two, particularly Sullivan.

PAGE'S STORY.

Page, the victim, told his story, and was corroborated by the station agent at Brighton. Page testified that he had been employed for some time by Mrs. Briggs, who has a ranch near Saulsbury station, and had managed to save out of his wages $72 50. With this amount he started to walk to Sacramento last Thursday, and before arriving at Perkins only took two drinks on the road. Upon arriving at Brighton he went into Mrs. Kirn's saloon, and there met Sullivan, Wright and Quinlan. He did not know them, but invited them to drink, which they did. They talked together, and had two or three more drinks. Then all four walked over to the station. Up to this time Page said he had not felt the slightest effect from the liquor.

But suddenly everything began to whirl before his eyes, and he fell upon the station platform in a stupor.

When he came to his senses again he was minus all of his money.

ACCUSED THEM OF IT.

He immediately went back to Mrs. Kirn's place and found Sullivan, Wright and Quinlan there. He accused them of having robbed him, but they denied it.

The station agent in giving his testimony said he saw Page in company with the trio as they approached the station. At that time Page seemed perfectly sober. A few moments later, however, the witness noticed to his surprise that Page was helplessly drunk, or stupefied. The witness suspected that Page's companions meant him no good, and he watched them as closely as he could. Quinlan, he said, appeared to be quite drunk, but the others were perfectly sober. The station agent saw actions that led him to believe that Page had been robbed, and when the trio went back to Mrs. Kirn's, leaving Page at the station the witness went over to the saloon and informed Mrs. Kirn of what he had seen.

THEY HID THE MONEY.

When Page accused the men of having robbed him, Sullivan and Wright acted in a suspicious manner, and a few moments later they went out into the tank-house in the rear of the saloon. Mrs. Kirn says she watched them, and saw Sullivan stooping as though he were hiding something. After they came out she went into the tank-house and found $40 in gold where Sullivan had hidden it.

When the three men were arrested, $19 35 was found upon Quinlan. The latter, however, declared that he had nothing to do with the robbery, and stated that he saw Sullivan take the money from Page. He claimed that Sullivan handed him $20 after the robbery, and he was too drunk to know anything about it. He maintained that he was innocent of any intent to do wrong, and his attorney, Mr. Jones, made a strenuous plea for his release.

Justice Foster, however, held all three to answer before the Superior Court in bonds of $1,000 each.

POLICE COURT JOTS.

How Judge Buckley Disposed of Yesterday's Calendar.

In Judge Buckley's Court yesterday J. Donley was found guilty of stealing a can of coal oil, and sentenced to sixty days' imprisonment in the County Jail. Pat Lord was fined $5 for being drunk and "Captain" Dozier was sent below for ten days for a similar offense.

John Connors, a vagrant, was ordered to jail for twenty days.

Ben Thompson was acquitted of disturbing the peace and J. M. Sullivan was found not guilty of being a vagrant.

The case of Ah Joe, charged with petit larceny, was continued until December 2d.

The Elected and Defeated

Can be made happy, for "Bob" says everyone is invited to visit his retreat, the Sacramento Exchange, 1012 Seventh street, today (Thanksgiving Day), and partake of the excellent spread. There will be roast pig, roast turkey, cranberry sauce, crab salad and all the delicacies of the season. "Bob" will also have oceans of egg-nog. Remember, everyone is invited. *

At the Cafe Royal.

Thanksgiving Day will be observed in the proper style at the Cafe Royal, Seventh and J streets, to-day. Mr. Gamble, the proprietor, has prepared a bountiful lunch for all, consisting of roast pig, roast turkey, cranberry sauce, salads, pie, etc., etc. He also will have five barrels of the very best egg-nog. *

Turkeys! Turkeys!

We have a few choice Turkeys left which will be sold at less than cost this morning. Come early and get one at T. H. Cook & Co.'s corner Tenth and K streets. *

To-morrow and Saturday.

Great sale of boots and shoes, beaver pants, toys, etc., at the Red House. See show-windows of goods now on sale. *

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. *

CALL or write for free catalogue of tencent music. Hammer's music store, No. 820 J street. Sole agency for Chickering & Son's Pianos. *

THE "Pease" Cabinet Grand Upright Piano for $325 is a better piano than others sold for $500. A. J. Pommer, Agent, Ninth and J. *

IT is here. Reed's absolutely pure sap Maple Syrup. Nothing like it in town. At Weber & Co.'s, 1217 and 1219 L street. *

A FINE Turkey Dinner and a good cigar at the International Hotel for 25 cents. *

THE NEW REGIME.

THE OLD CLERKS AT THE CAPITOL PREPARING TO LEAVE.

Dusting Off the Desks and Posting Up the Books—They Were an Accommodating Set.

All of the clerks, as well as heads of departments, in the State Capitol building, with the exception of the attaches in the Surveyor-General's office, are beginning to realize the fact that their presence will soon be unnecessary, and are good-naturedly preparing to vacate and make room for others.

They intend to have their books posted up in good shape and put the work of their respective positions in such a condition that the new men will have no trouble in understanding their duties.

Citizens who have had business relations with the different offices are unanimous in saying that they could not have wished to meet a more polite and obliging set of men than were employed in the building. A request for information invariably found a cheerful answer, and the accommodating manners of the employes tended to make visitors feel as though it were a pleasure to have them call.

A WORTHY CORPS.

In the offices which the local reporters have been in the habit of frequenting, they have always found a jolly and entertaining set of men to deal with, who were always ready to impart any information they possessed, and willing to go out of their way to accommodate the news-gatherers.

Executive Secretary Douglass, besides being a general favorite in the building, has been the steady friend of the reporters who sought news in the Governor's office, and his services were appreciated.

In the Secretary of State's office, Thomas Egan has controlled the desk which the scribes generally seek when in quest of an item, and they have been almost invariably accommodated. A dearth of office news generally brings forth a heated debate on the political issues of the day, and Tom always claims the victory. He inclines "slightly" to the Democratic doctrines.

The sub-positions in the offices of the Controller, Surveyor-General, Librarian, Treasurer, State Printer, Adjutant-General, Attorney-General and Superintendent of Public Instruction, have been filled by a competent corps of clerks.

Supreme Court Clerk J. S. Williams has probably done more for the local papers than anybody in the building. By repeated correspondence with the San Francisco office he has succeeded in having the Sacramento district opinions forwarded to this city before they are given out in San Francisco. He has shown reporters every courtesy that could be desired and, in fact, has made them acquainted with the workings of the office.

THE PHOTOGRAPHS, TOO.

But all the Democrats must go in a short time—porters, janitors and all. Ed. Rego's phonograph will no longer be heard relating to innocent tourists the history of the Columbus and Isabella statues in the court of the Capitol building. "This piece of statuary was carved from one solid block of marble," etc., will soon be discarded to make way for a new composition by the man who will be so fortunate as to succeed the present day-watchman. Rego is happy, however, and report has it that he will leave the State's employ with more cash than anybody in the building. It is said that the sum of his daily earnings for four years on the sale of photographs of the statuary will amount to several thousand dollars.

The ratification meetings of the janitors and porters in the corridors of the building have already ceased, and the majority declare that they could not possibly have remained and suffered the malarial climate another four years.

A few have cut off their party ties, however, and announce themselves Republicans from January 1st hence; insisting, when rebuked by their loyal friends, that they can change their politics back again when necessary.

ROGERS' WATCH.

It is Found in the Possession of George Parker.

Albert Rogers, the barber, has recovered his gold watch, but from a different person than the one with whom he claimed to have left it.

Rogers reported to the police about a week ago, that on Monday evening November 17th, he left his watch with Jack Wilson, the bartender in Barney Kane's saloon as security for the loan of $1, which he required to pay a bill in Irvine's livery stable.

The next day Rogers, so he claims, called at the saloon and found a different mixologist behind the bar. He told the fellow he called to get his watch and at the same time slapped down $1 on the counter. The bartender thereupon brought forth an old silver watch, and Rogers was amazed. He had Wilson summoned and asked him where he had put the watch. Wilson told him that he never saw any gold watch, and never met him (Rogers) before.

The matter was reported to the police, but Rogers would not swear to a complaint, claiming that a conviction could not be had as there were no witnesses to the transaction.

An item concerning the affair appeared in the RECORD-UNION last Thursday morning, and on last Tuesday afternoon George Parker, a druggist at Second and K streets, brought the watch to Rogers. He stated that Rogers came into his store a week ago Saturday or Sunday, and left his watch there, in order to obtain the loan of $1.

Rogers says that it was not until Monday that he borrowed the money, and he insists that he did not give the watch to Parker.

The police are puzzled over the matter.

AH GIN'S SCRAPE.

He Is Not Believed Guilty, But Is Held In Bondage.

District Attorney Bruner announced that he was not prepared to proceed in the case of Ah Gin, charged with grand larceny, when that case was called in Superior Judge Armstrong's Court yesterday afternoon. He explained that as yet he had not been able to secure necessary witnesses, and he had been requested by the party interested in the prosecution of the Chinaman to have the case continued.

After some further talk Judge Armstrong ordered the case continued for the term, and also reduced the amount of Gin's bonds from $2,000 to $500.

Ah Gin is the heathen who, in company with another of his race, presented a forged check to W. P. Harlow to be cashed. Gin was formerly employed by Harlow, and the latter still had implicit confidence in him, and still believes that "Charley," as Gin was called, was an innocent party in the transaction. It is understood that the object of continuing Gin's case indefinitely is to give the authorities a chance to catch Gin's companion, who is the really guilty party.

NEW NOTARIES.

A Large Batch of Them Appointed by the Governor.

The following Notaries were appointed by the Governor yesterday: D. M. Conner, Niles; W. J. Herren, Oroville; Frank McNorton, Willows; M. Golden, Germantown; E. W. Witmer, Placerville; Oliver Wolcott, Fresno; Charles A. Lee, Zebra; O. T. Redfield, Madera; N. L. Palmer, Huron; R. D. Johnston, Gold Bluffs; James Hutchings, Bishop; Grant Read, Middletown; W. D. Morton, Pomona; Jonathan Mentzer, Centerville; F. A. Whipple, Fort Bragg; T. P. Hopkins, Potter Valley; P. F. Simonds, Nevada City; T. N. Hunt, Idlewild; Frank M. Mott, Perris; G. N. Barrett, Jamul; H. H. Dougherty, San Diego; F. R. Wehe, Downieville; Allen A. Converse, Sonoma; C. S. S. Hill, Oakdale; M. K. Hook, Red Bluff; D. G. Reid, Weaverville; Thomas O. Toland, Ventura; Chas. E. Swezy, Marysville.

EASTERN STAR INSTALLATION.

Music and Dancing and a Sumptuous Banquet.

The newly-elected officers of Naomi Chapter, No. 36, O. E. S., were publicly installed last evening at Masonic Hall, by Mrs. Ella Hatch, Past Worthy Matron. The Chapter room was very handsomely decorated with flowers in various designs. After the installation some two hundred and fifty members and guests sat down to a generous banquet, after which there was music and dancing. During the evening Miss Mabel Boyd, on behalf of the Chapter, presented the retiring Worthy Matron, Mrs. Ella Hatch, with an elegant and costly Past Matron's jewel, studded with diamonds.

The newly-installed officers are: Mrs. Sallie A. White, W. M; William B. Miller, W. P.; Mrs. Minnie Kolliker, A. M.; Miss Mabel Boyd, Secretary; Mrs. S. W. Cunningham, Treasurer; Mrs. George Guthrie, Conductress; Miss Lucy L. Gett, Associate Conductress; Mrs. Fannie M. Willis, Adah; Mrs. Mattie Rood, Ruth; Miss Carrie Simpson, Esther; Mrs. Laura K. Hoops, Martha; Mrs. Mary G. O'Neal, Electa; Mrs. May F. McLaughlin, Warder; George Dunn, Sentinel.

BROTHERHOOD OF TRAINMEN.

Their First Annual Ball Was a Great Success.

Sutter Lodge, No. 340, Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, gave their first annual ball at Turner Hall last evening, and the attendance was unusually large and appreciative.

The hall was neatly decorated, and a most excellent repast added to the pleasantness of the evening.

The following committees were in charge and ably fulfilled the duties devolving upon them:

Committee of Arrangements—H. E. Smith and J. F. Heeney; J. F. Doughty, Floor Director; Floor Managers—A. Burgess, S. B. Coon, M. H. Cooey and E. Condry; Reception Committee—James Bailey, W. M. Keenan and F. H. Almes.

The dances were eighteen in number by the call of a handsome programme, upon the title page of which was an engraving of a train approaching a flag station. The engraving was made to the order of the Lodge and is decidedly original and handsome.

DENBY AGAIN.

He Is Now in Jail on a Charge of Burglary.

William L. Smith, a paper-hanger, who lives in the alley between Ninth and Tenth, L and M streets, left his house about 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and when he returned a few hours later discovered that the house had been ransacked by burglars. Furniture was turned over, the contents of the bureau drawers strewn about the rooms, and everything was in a disordered condition generally.

The matter was reported to the police and last night officers Wagner and Stafford arrested the notorious slack-wire performer, Denby, and charged him with the crime. Denby is now locked up in the city prison.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS.

Deeds to Real Estate Filed With the County Recorder.

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

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

R. S. Carey to Sacramento Railway and Improvement Company—The block between K and L and Nineteenth and Twentieth streets; also, all the railroad cars, horses, harness, etc., belonging to the Sacramento Railroad (street); $10.

L. H. Todhunter and Philip Herzog (by George C. McMullen, Sheriff), to Occidental Building and Loan Association—North half of west thirty feet of lot 1, between M and N, Fifth and Sixth streets; $3,000.

Thomas E. and James B. Morgan to George Henry Butler—99.42 acres in section 29, township 4 north, range 3 east; $4,000.

W. D. Kennedy to W. H. Kennedy—Lot 7 of Florin, containing 5 acres; $200.

A. T. Colton to Flora D., Frederica C., Eva C., Harry F. G., Catherine Y., Lizzie B., Mary J. and Walter G. Trumpler—West half of lot 1, between N and O and Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets; $1.

Henry Garrett, by Sheriff, to W. W. Washburn North half of lots 1 and 2, V and W, Ninth and Tenth streets; $1,200.

AMUSEMENTS.

At the Clunie Opera House this evening Manager Hall will present a novel and interesting entertainment. Lewis, the wonderful wrestler and champion of wrestling, one time known as "The Strangler," will contest with McInerney, the young Irish champion, for $500, in a match of catch-as-catch-can. Both men are widely known for their skill and marvelous strength. In San Francisco Lewis has drawn some of the largest houses that ever responded to the call of an athletic entertainment. One day last week, at the Republican Wigwam, no less than 2,500 spectators witnessed the contest between Lewis and McLeod, the Olympic Club champion wrestler. So, too, with Acton and with McInerney he has had contests that drew immense audiences. That Lewis is the most powerful and skilled wrestler who has visited the coast in years is undeniable. McInerney, who goes from here to Oregon and Washington to meet local champions, is a fine wrestler, one of great strength, agility and high skill in the art. That the exhibition these two will make will be one well worth witnessing goes without saying. Of the $500 put up by Manager Hall, the winner is to take $400 and the loser $100. In addition to the main match, between the falls of three in five, French Barney and Con Reardon will give exhibitions of the Graeco-Roman style of wrestling. The exercises will begin at 8:15 exactly. The wrestlers will choose referees to-day, and propose to have some citizens act who have public confidence. "Parson" Davies, who is manager for Lewis, asks that any local strong men will come on the stage to-night, and if Lewis does not throw them one by one, in a minute each, he will pay $3 per minute to whoever resists a throw for the sixty seconds, for a period of half an hour.

BRIEF NOTES.

It is stated that the pay-car will arrive in this city on Monday next.

E. Lyon yesterday filed his bond as County Treasurer in the sum of $245,000. The amount required by law is $200,000.

A horse belonging to F. Haldrick broke away from Agricultural Park the other day and ran to Eleventh and I streets, where it fell down and broke its neck.

The Weather.

The Signal Service temperature at 5 A. M. and 5 P. M. yesterday was 43° and 63°, while the highest and lowest was 65° and 41°, with light and variable winds and a cloudless sky. The barometer is now rising and is considerably over 30 inches.

The highest and lowest temperature one year ago yesterday was 58° and 42°, and one year ago to-day 58° and 44°, with fresh northerly winds and a partly clouded sky.

Early Morning Blaze.

The fire department turned out yesterday morning at 3:45 o'clock in response to an alarm for a fire at Nineteenth and G streets. An unoccupied house, owned by a man named Bush, was badly damaged by fire before the engines arrived on the scene. It is thought that tramps set the structure on fire. The loss is covered by insurance.

Burglars for Folsom.

Deputy Sheriff Costello of San Francisco lodged two prisoners at the city prison en route to Folsom. They were William Siebert, who is to serve fifteen years for two convictions for burglary, and Harry Dubois, sentenced to serve three years on a similar charge.

Reward for a Murderer.

The Governor offered a reward of $300 yesterday for the arrest and conviction of the murderer of Mrs. Farmer, who was killed in Mint canyon, Los Angeles county, on the morning of November 14th this year.

Startsman's Trial.

The case of E. W. Startsman, charged with criminal assault upon a little girl in September last, was called in Superior Judge Armstrong's Court yesterday, but was continued until Monday next.

Frank Bragg Dead.

Frank S. Bragg, whose home is in Sacramento, and who is well known here, died in Butte, Montana, on Saturday last. The remains have been shipped to this city for burial.

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. *

"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. *

OUR stores close to-day at 12 o'clock M. Until that hour bargains will be offered from the Government stock. Red House. *

THANKSGIVING.

HOW THE DAY WILL BE CELEBRATED IN SACRAMENTO.

Religious Services, Baseball, Horse-Racing, Lawn Tennis, Athletic Games, Etc.

It may rain to-day, and it may not.

That will not make much difference to the turkey-eaters, who always make Thanksgiving a "home holiday." But to the masses who go to church or to some amusement—or both—the character of the day, climatically speaking, may have some concern.

From all reports received last night, up to the hour of going to press, Thanksgiving will pass off in Sacramento in the usual Thanksgiving manner. There will be services at the churches, baseball, horse-racing, athletic games, lawn tennis contests, a wrestling match and turkey at home.

THE CHURCHES.

Thanksgiving service will be held at St. Paul's Church at 10:30 A. M. A feature of the service will be the introduction of a number of little girls into the choir. They have been in training for some time and will in the future sing with the boys. Rev. J. F. von Herrlich will officiate in the ceremonies.

There will be a union Thanksgiving service at the First Baptist Church, on Ninth street, between L and M, at 11 A. M. Rev. Arnold T. Needham will officiate and preach the sermon.

Services are also announced to take place at other churches.

CUSTOMARY OBSERVANCE.

The day being a legal holiday, all the public offices and Courts will be closed.

All the business houses will be closed, in conformity with a resolution passed by the Board of Trade some time ago.

Postoffice hours will be the same as on Sunday, from 12 to 1 o'clock, and there will be but one general delivery by carriers.

AMUSEMENTS.

The first event of the day in the amusement line will be a pigeon shoot at Agricultural Park in the forenoon, which promises to be very interesting.

At noon the "field day" games of the Sacramento Athletic Club will begin at East Park. This affair promises to be one of the big events of the day. No admission fee to the park will be charged, and the club invites everybody. There will be nine contests—running, jumping, weight-throwing, etc.—and as some of the club's best men are entered the contest promises to be exciting.

A handsome medal will be awarded to the winner of each event, and a gold club-championship medal to the winner of the most events for the day. There will be a series of tennis games played to-day on the courts of the Sacramento Lawn Tennis Club, Fifteenth and M streets, by members of the club and several crack players from Woodland. Play will begin about 9 o'clock and continue through the day. Those interested in the game are invited to witness the contests.

The City's Art Gallery will be open to-day until noon only.

A trotting match, three in five, will be given in the morning at 10 o'clock at Agricultural Park. Four horses are entered to start and it is expected that the event will be interesting.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Woodley Maslin left for the Bay yesterday.

D. M. Burns returned yesterday to San Francisco.

Captain G. W. Bond, of Irvington, Alameda county, is in the city visiting relatives.

J. S. Williams, Deputy Supreme Court Clerk, went to San Francisco yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Richmond, of East Orange, N. J., are stopping in the city for a few days. They are making a tour of the coast.

Arrivals at the Golden Eagle Hotel yesterday: N. J. Kitchen, Trenton, N. J.; C. T. Sappington, Baltimore; Tom Anderson, M. C. Migee, J. S. Crosby, Jos. McKee, C. Morgan, New York; J. Denny, Visalia; R. S. Powers and wife, Mrs. R. W. Smith, Oroville; G. G. Liebhardt, Denver; J. B. De Golyer, Miss Lottie Chambers, Lincoln; Harry L. Stich, T. O. Geary, Elk Grove; F. Brittan, A. L. Rockwell and wife, George E. Chambers, Miss M. Hood, G. W. Barnhart, J. E. Polhemus, Henry T. Fennel, Mrs. V. Baker, S. Hollub, J. E. Terry, N. P. Vallejo, S. J. Strauss, San Francisco; Wm. R. Eilert, Milwaukee; W. H. Rivett, Covote Creek; Samuel Reid, Kansas City; Mrs. Martin, Reno, Nev., J. G. Bidleman and wife, St. Paul.

Arrivals at the Capital Hotel yesterday: A. C. Brownell, Elmira; R. H. Blamer, Woodland; L. F. Griffin, city; W. S. Green, Colusa; Grant Olmstead, city; John T. Murdock, Yolo; Wm. S. Ellis, Walsh's; C. B. Miller, city; John Peterson, Pleasanton; W. H. Landen, Redwood City; C. Flowney, Solano county; James Warden, Mendocino county; Charles D. Waters, Council Bluffs; E. F. Connors, L. F. Chase, San Francisco; M. Conboy, Alex. Tuttle, Oakland; A. W. Stuart, Courtland; B. F. Sheldon, Georgetown; E. K. Downer, Downieville; W. Delaney, Truckee; Arthur I. Gray, B. V. Hoover, Elk Grove; C. M. Reddish, San Francisco; D. A. McGuff, Woodland; Mrs. Hoover, Elk Grove.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Department One—Armstrong, Judge.

WEDNESDAY, November 26th.

People vs. Ah Ging—Continued for the term and defendant's bond reduced to $500.

People vs. Wm. Healy—Charged with an assault with a deadly weapon. Charge reduced to simple assault and defendant fined $50.

People vs. Charles Roth—Charged with grand larceny. Continued to December 1st.

People vs. E. W. Startsman—Charged with criminal assault. Continued until Monday.

Fruit Company Incorporated.

Articles of incorporation of the Hermosa Fruit Company were filed in the Secretary of State's office yesterday. Principal place of business, San Francisco. Capital stock, $160,000. Directors—H. M. Fiske, N. J. Bird, G. B. Root, William M. Searby and Benjamin Plant.

Real Estate Sale.

D. J. Simmons & Co. will sell at auction to-day at 10:30 A. M. on the premises, by order, the west half of lot 7, between R and S, Eighth and Ninth streets.

IF any who suffer from headache want relief at once, they have to use Bradycrotine.

MARRIED.

Sacramento, November 26—By Rev. A. C. Herrick, Charles Matthews to Minie D. Todhunter, both of Washington. *

Sacramento, November 18—By Rev. J. F. Von Herrlich, Bert Fuller to Mattie M. Shick, both of this city. (No cards.) *

DIED.

Near Sacramento, November 26—Mrs. Evaline Feagher, 71 years, 6 months and 15 days.

[Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the undertaking parlors of J. Frank Clark, 1017 Fourth street, to-morrow (Friday) morning at 10 o'clock.]

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, No. 722 L street, this 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—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 private.]

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

[Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of his sister, Mrs. C. H. Todd, Twenty eighth and B streets, to-morrow (Friday), at 2 o'clock.]

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

[Friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, which will take place from the residence of his sister, Mrs. E. H. Milliken, to-morrow (Friday), at 2 o'clock. Interment private.]

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Embroidery Silk, on spools. 4 cents.
Suspender Mountings, in black, light blue, gendarme, white, red, gold and pink, 75 cents.
Suspender Cord, to match mountings, 1 cent per yard.
Ivorine in all shades, 25 and 50 cents and $1 50 per sheet, according to size.
Parchments, 50c and $1 50 per sheet, according to size.
Purse Fixtures, gilt or steel, figured silks, 75 cents, $1 and $1 25 per yard.
Florentine Silks, 32 inches wide, choice colorings, 85c.
White Bolting Cloth, 18-inch, 75c; 40-inch, $1 65.
Bolting Sheeting, 36 inches wide, 75 cents.
Fancy Silk Tassel Fringes, in new contrasting shades, 20 and 40 cents.

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Navy Cheviot Double-breasted Reefer Jackets, stitched all round, pocket lapels and puffed shoulders, with Astrakhan shawl collars and neatly finished, $12 50.
Tan and brown English Homespun Blazers, with vest and puffed shoulders, cord and tassel around neck, side pockets, and neatly bound with tinsel cord throughout, $12.
Extra Super Broadcloth Jackets, in tan only, large pearl buttons, reefer style, high shoulders and rolling collars, pocket lapels, handsomely bound with silk braid, $16 50.

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Ostrich Plumes, 15½ inches long, in tan, black, brown, terra cotta, white and cream, 85 cents each.
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Millinery Pin Ornaments, 10 cents a dozen.
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