ROBERT ALLEN DIES.

After Weeks of Suffering He Succumbs to the Hammer Blow.

His Assailants Will Now Be Charged With Murder—Furlong Must Stay in Jail.

Robert Allen, the victim of the cowardly thugs, Gordon, Haley and others, died yesterday at Stockton from the effects of the hammer blow he received on the head.

The death of the unfortunate saloon-keeper was not unexpected, as he was reported to be sinking several days ago.

This means that Gordon, Smith and Furlong will be tried for murder, instead of robbery—also Haley, if he is ever captured, and possibly Casey, the informer, too.

The facts of the cruel assault have all been published in full in the RECORD-UNION, and only a brief resume is all that is necessary now.

Early on the morning of the 11th of May last Robert Allen was on his way home from his saloon, when he was cruelly knocked down with a blacksmith's hammer and robbed of several hundred dollars. The garroters escaped and for a time the whole affair was wrapped in mystery. But through the skill of Chief Drew, Captain Lee and Special Officer McLaughlin, a clew was obtained, and the thugs—all except Haley—were captured. Casey and Gordon, two of the prisoners, confessed and implicated Dive-Keeper J. D. Smith and William Furlong, who was employed as a bar-keeper by Allen.

Casey was not prosecuted and Gordon pleaded guilty. Only two days ago the latter was sentenced to twelve years' imprisonment at Folsom. Smith was tried for robbery last week, and the jury disagreed.

In the meantime Robert Allen's life hung by a thread. At one time he was reported as doing well, and then a few days later the reports would be discouraging. Within the last week or so, however, it was known that he could not live.

District Attorney Ryan, Coroner Clark, Dr. G. A. White and Stenographer Davis went to Stockton yesterday to attend the autopsy and inquest in the evening.

FURLONG'S CASE.

It was expected that William Furlong, one of the alleged conspirators, would be discharged yesterday on motion of the District Attorney. When the time came, however, that official refused to make the motion to dismiss. Of course it could not be done otherwise, except by a habeas corpus proceeding. In any event Furlong would have been detained as a witness, and he is perhaps, as well off where he is, though the District Attorney admits that there is so far little evidence against him.

There are rumors again that Furlong has about concluded to tell all that he knows concerning the murder and robbery of Allen.

THE INQUEST.

Death the Result of a Blow Struck by a Hammer.

STOCKTON, July 31.—At the inquest held to-night over the remains of Robert Allen of Sacramento, who was robbed and fatally beaten by robbers in May last, there were present from Sacramento District Attorney Ryan, Coroner Clark, W. J. Davis, County Physician White and Dr. Simmons. District Attorney Ryan said charges of murder will be preferred against the prisoners, although one of them, Harry Gordon, has been found guilty of robbery.

The autopsy was made to-night by Drs. Rucker and Hoischolf, of the State Insane Asylum, Coroner Clark of this county and Dr. Clark, at whose place Allen died, the Sacramento physicians being present.

The top of the skull was taken off and the brain exposed. There was a hole almost as big as one's thumb in that part of the skull, which was removed. It had been made with the small end of a blacksmith's hammer, used by Haley, the robber who struck the blow.

Miss Annie Allen, daughter of deceased, testified that on the morning of May 11th, about 1 o'clock, she went to the door of the Allen residence and found her father, hatless, bleeding and bruised, the right side of his head wounded, and his hands covered with blood. There were marks on his neck as if he had been choked.

He was assaulted half a block from his home. She found at that place at 4 o'clock a bunch of keys and a hammer near a pool of blood. Her father said he looked back and saw two men following him. That was all he remembered.

W. J. Davis, the Sacramento court reporter, related the confession of Gordon, telling how he and Haley watched Allen when he closed up and went home. The plunder amounted to $300.

Dr. Asa Clark testified that Allen came to him a month ago with a fracture of the posterior part of the parietal bone on the right side, which was the cause of death. The hole was little more than an inch long and about an inch across. The bone was crushed down on the membrane of the brain, though the membrane and brain were not penetrated. His mental power seemed to be very much affected. The injury was such as might have been effected with a hammer.

Dr. Hoesholt testified that indications of inflammation and congestion were observable in the brain. This condition was caused by the fracture. He was one of the surgeons who performed the trepaning operation on Allen. There were no indications of other wounds at that operation or at the post-mortem.

When asked if the fracture was necessarily fatal, he said it would be hard to answer that question, but the cause of death was certainly from this wound.

Dr. Simmons of Sacramento testified to the condition and appearance of Allen after the assault. Allen had curious delusions regarding his wealth. Dr. Simmons' opinion was that death resulted from the effect of the blow, which was given with an eight-pound hammer. Dr. White of Sacramento and Dr. Rucker, Superintendent of the State Insane Asylum, testified to what the autopsy revealed.

The jury's verdict was that the deceased was a native of Ohio, aged about 65 years, and died from a wound inflicted with a hammer by persons to the jury unknown.

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Men's Black Worsted Suits, worth $5, now	$2 50
Men's Fancy Worsted Suits, worth $6, now	$3 00
Men's Fancy Cassimere Suits, worth $8, now	$4 00
Men's Fancy Cheviot All-wool Suits, worth $10, now	$5 75
Men's Extra Fancy Cheviot All-wool Suits, worth $12, now	$6 50
Men's Fine Worsted All-wool Broadwales, worth $17 50, now	$12 50
Men's Fine French Imported Black Corkscrew, worth $22 50, now	$15 00
Men's Fine French Imported Worsteds, in broad and narrow wales, worth $25, now	$17 50
Boys' Sailor Suits, worth $1 25, now	45c
Boys' Suits, long pants, union cassimere; 13 to 18, worth $4, now	$2 25
Boys' Suits, long pants, all-wool cassimere, worth $5 50, now	$3 00
Men's Cotton Pants, worth $1 25, now	60c
Men's Cassimere Pants, worth $2, now	$1 00
Men's All-wool Fine Cassimere Pants, worth $3, now	$1 75
Men's Fine Tailor-made French Worsted Pants, worth $7 50, now	$5 00
Men's B Calf Sewed Shoes, in lace, congress, and button, worth $1 50, now	90c
Men's B Calf Solid Sewed Shoes, in lace, congress and button, worth $2, now	$1 25
Men's Heavy Police Lace Shoes, three soles, worth $3, now	$1 85
Men's Heavy Railroad Extension Soles, worth $3, now	$1 85
Men's Fine Calf Shoes, in lace, congress and button, worth $3 50 and $4, now	$2 25
Men's Fine French Calf Hand sewed Shoes, in lace, congress and button, worth $4 50, now	$2 75
Boys' B Calf Shoes, in lace, congress and button, sizes 1 to 5, worth $1 25 and $1 50, now	75c
Boys' Canvas Shoes, sizes 11 to 2, worth 75c, now	35c
Men's Nutria Stiff Hats, worth $1 50, now	35c
Men's Soft Hats, worth $1 25, now	50c
Men's Black Stiff Hats, worth $1 50, now	80c
Men's Shirts, worth 75c, now	25c
Men's Laundried White Shirts, worth 75c, now	25c
Men's Shirts and Drawers, worth 75c, now	25c
Men's Shirts and Drawers, worth $1, now	35c
Men's Percale Shirts, worth 75c, now	25c
Men's Long Hair-line Dusters, worth 75c, now	25c
Men's Cassimere Dusters, worth $1 25, now	50c

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

E. M. Luckett has returned from Santa Cruz.

Joseph Hahn is on a visit to his Napa vineyard.

Mrs. Frank L. Gray and baby are visiting at Haywards.

Mrs. W. W. Marvin and daughter have gone to Santa Cruz.

Miss Carrie and Rosa Yoerk have gone to San Francisco and Cazadero.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Tanquary have returned from their Eastern trip.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Weinstock and family are stopping at Santa Cruz.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Van Voorhies have gone on a visit to the lake region.

Senator Dennison and F. M. Campbell of Oakland were in town yesterday.

Mrs. J. F. Moody of Truckee has gone to San Francisco for medical treatment.

L. C. Jordan, accompanied by his wife and daughter, Alice, has left for Santa Cruz.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gilbert and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Johnson have gone to Monterey.

Miss Leasel Neubauer and Miss Nellie Heinrich have returned from Lake Tahoe.

Miss Marie Brusie of Cincinnati is in the city visiting her brother, Jud. C. Brusie.

George Slusher and wife have returned from a trip to San Diego and Los Angeles Counties.

Paul McDonald, son of State Treasurer J. R. McDonald, is home from the Hastings Law School.

J. S. Williams, ex-Deputy Clerk of the Supreme Court in this city, was up from Modesto yesterday.

Fred Trout, O. S. Flint and Adolph Meyers have returned from their camping trip to Lake Tahoe.

Luther T. Weber of this city has gone for a visit to Oakland, San Francisco, Santa Cruz and Pacific Grove.

Edward F. Laurence has gone to Chico to pay a visit to Miss Edith Bare and his cousins, Misses Pearl and Elsie Knapp.

Miss Adele Grau has returned from a short visit to Stockton where she has been entertained by her friend Miss Fairbank.

Miss Maggie Little and Miss Mary Woods will leave on Monday for a trip to Portland and other points of interest in the north.

Misses Allen, Smith, Goodhue, Eva Bennett, May Carroll and Heckson will go to Lake Tahoe to-day for a month of camp life.

Shelley Inch of Placerville was in town yesterday on his return from Sonora, Tuolumne County. Mr. Inch was called there on Wednesday to attend the funeral of his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Inch.

Mrs. Smith-Brown of Napa and Mrs. Frances Edgerton, who are visiting the southern coast, were entertained during the week by George Lord, Sr., at his place in San Bernardino.

Mrs. J. W. Crone of this city is visiting her father, Nicholas Francis, and her sisters, the Misses Carrie and Lizzie Francis of Rio Vista, and Mrs. Charles Joy of the Toland district.

Miss Belle Peyran left on last night's train for Tacoma, where she will visit friends for a few weeks. From there she goes to Fairhaven, where she will spend the rest of her vacation with her brother.

Arrivals at the Golden Eagle Hotel yesterday: William Stewart, Mrs. J. T. Evans, Portland; Nathan W. Blanchard, Santa Paula; Gideon Bowdish, Fresno; J. DeWitt Butts, Rochester, N. Y.; Ben. Smith, Oakland; F. E. Story, New York; C. E. Jacobus, W. R. Lett, E. R. Thomassen and wife, E. C. Davis, M. E. Hill, William H. Broom, M. S. Bornstein, W. B. Cotrel, D. C. Brownell, E. P. Stone, George Walker, William Cronan, R. D. Davis, San Francisco.

Arrivals at the Capital Hotel yesterday: D. O'Callaghan, Marysville; George B. Greene and son, Sol. Runyon and wife, Courtland; George W. Railton, Ithaca, N. Y.; L. B. Clarke and wife, Sacramento County; R. Day, Latrobe; J. L. Aldrich, Courtland; Frank Powell, P. Beers, Folsom; George D. Melville, James T. Blythe, Miss Mamie Conway, Miss Wasserman, George Alwagg, Louis Valdemer, Burton Stanley, William Delbauer, Miss Mai Estelle, Ed. J. Connolly and wife, William DeVan and wife; Mrs. George Dinsdale, Woodland; G. Meyer, C. A. Freybe, city; N. Anderson, San Francisco.

THE CAPAY MONSTER.

It Turns Out to be Only a Wild and Woolly Jackass.

Some weeks ago various stories were published concerning a strange monster which was said to be roaming the canyons north of Capay Valley, and some thrilling tales were told of its doings. The Woodland *Mail* thus explains:

"At last what seems to be a satisfactory explanation is offered of the mysterious animal that has so long been the terror to not only the nervous old maids and timorous damsels of fair Capay, but also of the brave and stalwart males of that section. When we state on the authority of E. B. Aldrich that the strange beast is nothing more than a small Maltese jack the nervous tension of the valley of the fig and olive will doubtless relax. Now, it is said that this jack, which is only about the size of a large dog, is one of the most voracious quadrupeds in the world, and as to his lungs—great heavens, when he brays it is said that the echo of his hypochondriac roar reverberates through the melancholy stillness of Cache Creek Canyon like unto the doleful undulations of maddened thunder.

"Notwithstanding his terrorizing roar, however, his Maltese highness is not now considered dangerous to human life, though he has been known to gormandize on a full fledged calf for breakfast, with a few tender lambs for dessert, and was turned at large some time ago from Casey Flat because of his diabolical inclination to chase men out of his corral. There may be some mistake about the stories of his climbing trees, though it is quite likely that if he ever started in to make one of his meals from an ordinary oak tree he would reach the top before his appetite became satiated."

BRIEF NOTES.

The is no pumping now in progress on Grand Island, for want of water. The island is practically dry.

Sheriff Harkey of Sutter yesterday took to San Quentin Benj. Labuser, who is to serve two years for embezzlement.

J. W. Strong, the brakeman who was so severely crushed at Newcastle on Thursday, is reported to be resting easily at the Railroad Hospital.

Although the first bale of hops marketed in New York was sent from Wheatland, the first one shipped out of the State was by John Merkeley of Sacramento.

The funeral of Mrs. Frances Nevitt took place yesterday from the residence of E. P. Figg, Rev. Father Grace conducting the services. The remains were interred in the City Cemetery beside those of her husband.

Some Japanese and Chinamen employed at the Sacramento Packing Company's cannery got into a fight on Thursday, and the row was about to become a general riot when the manager and white employes took a hand and stopped it.

Injury to a Hackman.

James K. Gilman, the well-known hackman, met with a painful accident yesterday. While driving along K street, near Third, the doubletree of his carriage broke off, and the horses starting off dragged him from his seat down upon the cobbles.

He was picked up and carried into a neighboring saloon, but was afterward taken to his home. His injuries, though painful, are not serious.

Handsome rugs may be made of the remnants of the best body Brussels stair carpeting, cut in lengths to suit, the ends hemmed, and a home-made fringe of yarn, made of colors to match those of the carpet, sewed on.

AMUSEMENTS.

A large and exceedingly well-pleased audience witnessed the production of Gilmore's magnificent spectacle, "The Twelve Temptations," at the Metropolitan Theater last night, notwithstanding the counter attractions of the lawn party and an open-air concert and meeting on P street. The performance was all that had been promised and the audience testified its appreciation by frequent and hearty applause. There has been no more handsomely staged piece at the Metropolitan for many a day.

The play is brightened with choice bits of comedy sketching, the "high lights" which bring out the pictures fill the eye and make the scene. Without these friendly faces in the foreground the Arctic perspective would become monotonous, and the climatic changes between torridity and frigidity would be to the gazing audience a sibyline book full of mystery and incomprehensible symbols. There is also in this new spectacle a legitimate attempt to combine many of the popular features of stage entertainments. There is a suggestion of panorama just enough to meet the requirement of interpreting a trip through a wonderful forest. There is also a touch of pantomime, that pleasant form of entertaiment with which the English managers still delight their patrons. Songs, specialties, and novel incidents are introduced, and every effort put forth to gratify, as near as possible, the varied tastes of an audience. There are pleasant illusions and grand transformations, and a perfect nightmare of gnomes, dragons, sea gulls, serpents, ferocious beasts and other inhabitants of earth, sea and air. The personation of many of these creatures requires acrobats and gymnasts of great skill, an immense dragon alone enlisting the services of six men in its manipulation.

The ballets are employed in illustrating, by their evolutions, dresses and tableaux, the climaxes and incidents of the strange story. The divertisements are new, comprising the Alhambra ballet troupe in "Policemen and the Flirts," "Riding on Grandpa's Shoulders," "The Parisian Belles," "The Little Lord Fauntleroys," the ballet of Terra-cotta, danced in a scene of the same hue, and which introduces twenty-two live cockatoos on gilt perches. The gorgeous ballet of "All Nations" was one of the most pleasing features of the entertainment.

The dancing of the premieres sisters Chitten, Signorita Paparello and Victor Chiado was superb. Ed. J. Connelly, as "Snow Apropos," and Miss Mamie Conway as "Bright Eyes," carried off the honors of the evening with their bright comedy work. Delhaur, the human frog, proved to be one of the best contortionists ever seen here, while the aërial performance of the Devans was almost marvelous.

"The Twelve Temptations" will be presented again to-night, and the house will no doubt be packed.

THE NONPAREIL CHANGES HANDS.

Lipman, Welger & Co. Changes to Wassermann, Davis & Co.

The drygoods establishment now known as the "Nonpareil" has been established since 1854, and for the past thirty years S. Wassermann has been connected with it. He is well known here and in the interior as a thorough and reliable gentleman and business man. Mr. Wassermann will attend to the buying in New York and San Francisco; R. D. Davis, the new manager, has for the past five years been manager of the well-known firm of Newman & Levinson of San Francisco. He has a reputation unexcelled; his business capabilities and gentlemanly address have won for him a host of friends at the Bay city, who regret very much to lose one of the most popular young men, both in business and social circles. Mr. Davis will endeavor to make as great an attraction as possible for the ladies of Sacramento, as well as those of the interior, and to please them in every particular. He will be pleased to see his friends, and the friends and customers of the old firm.

C. Kaufman, who has been with the "Nonpareil" for the past fifteen years as chief bookkeeper and financial manager, is the "company" of the new firm. He is also well and favorably known in this city, and will continue to look after the financial affairs of the new firm.

The new firm will always carry the finest and best assortment of drygoods, hosiery and fancy goods in the market. The store will shortly be remodeled, and made as attractive as possible. That the firm of Wassermann, Davis & Co. will be crowned with success is the sincere wish of their many friends.

Excitement in Social Circles.

The Marysville *Appeal* says: "A young and handsome waiter in this city is out and injured. He rode to the cannery, on Tuesday, on his bicycle, and took his best girl her dinner. He was waiting to see how she enjoyed it, when he was fired outside. He is nearly heart-broken, and will probably prevail on the girl to quit work."

CALIFORNIA FRUITS.

Yesterday's Sales in Chicago and New York.

CHICAGO, July 31.—The Earl Fruit Company sold four carloads of California fruit at auction to-day at the following prices: German prunes 80c@$1 35; Washington Plums, 50@80c; egg plums, 65@90c; Columbia plums, $1 15; Purple Duane plums, 65@97c; Magnum Bonum plums, $1 25; sweet gage plums, 35c; Fontainbleau grapes, 95c@$1 25; Foster peaches, 40@90c; early Crawford peaches, 50@$1 25; strawberry peaches, 50@75c; golden cling peaches, $1 50; orange cling peaches, 75c; nectarines, $1 50; California plums, 85c; Bartlett pears, $1 30@1 60. The markets are glutted with local fruit.

The Porter Bros. Company sold to-day five carloads of California fruit as follows: Decker peaches, $1; Foster peaches, 60c@$1 60; Tuscan clings, 50@90c; Washington plums, 50@75c; early Crawford peaches, 50@90c; German prunes, $1 20@1 30; Magnum Bonum plums, $1 15; nectarines, 75c@$1 20; grapes, in very poor order, 40c@$1 20; Bartlett pears, $1 10@1 75.

AT NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, July 31.—The Porter Brothers Company sold to-day four carloads of California fruit as follows: Bartlett pears, $1 25@1 60; Early Crawford peaches (in poor order), 55c@$1 30; Purple Duane plums, 90c@$1 45; Columbia plums, 90c@$1 50; Bradshaw plums, 65c@$1 30; Washington plums, 85c@$1 35; German prunes, 85c@$1 25; Egg plums, $1 25@1 30; Tragedy prunes, $1 10@1 65; Quackenboss plums, 75c@1 30.

The Earl Fruit Company sold at auction to-day, through E. L. Goodsell, California fruits at the following prices: Purple Duane plums, 75c; Bartlett pears, $1 50@1 70; Congress pears, $1 55; Clapp pears, $2 05; Crawford peaches, 70c; Washington plums, 60c; Columbia plums, 90c.

AT BOSTON.

BOSTON, July 31.—Blake & Ripley, agents for the California Fruit Union, sold one car of California fruit to-day, averaging for Crawford peaches $1 10; German prunes, $1 35; Bartlett pears, $1 19.

AT OMAHA.

OMAHA, July 31.—The Porter Brothers Company, agents for the California Fruit Union, realized for Hale's Early peaches, 75c@$1; Crawfords, $1@1 25; plums, $1@1 25; pears, $1 50@1 75.

AT MINNEAPOLIS.

MINNEAPOLIS (Minn.), July 31.—The Porter Brothers Company, agents for the California Fruit Union, sold two cars of California fruit, realizing for peaches $1@1 75; plums, $1 75@2; pears, $1 25@1 50.

If you have the time and the strength to rub the various articles of furniture you will find the following mixture an excellent one: Equal portions of turpentine, boiled linseed oil and vinegar. Shake the bottle well before using, and rub with a woolen cloth.

If a tablespoonful of kerosene is put into four quarts of tepid water, and this is used in washing windows and mirrors, instead of pure water, there will remain upon the cleansed surface a polish no amount of mere friction can give.

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[For the RECORD-UNION.]

STRENGTH.

"Underneath are the everlasting arms."

Peace, troubled soul!
Cease now thy wild complaint!
What though thou'rt sick and faint?
Heaven is thy goal.

The way is hard!
Thy Father guides thy way,
And all the long, long day
Thy steps will guard.

Still thine alarms!
Behold! lest thou should'st fall,
Beneath thee, through it all,
His loving arms!

A. G. G. (Dora Burns.)

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK SALES.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 31, 1891.

MORNING BOARD.

Andes	1 05	H. & N	2 05@2 15
B. & B	3 05@3 00	Justice	60c
Bullion	3 60@3 70	Kentuck	40c
Challenge	1 30	Mexican	2 50@2 40
C. C. & Y	5¾@5½	Ophir	3 50
Challenge	1 30	Overman	2 25
Chollar	2 20@2 25	Potosi	4 95@5 00
C. Imperial	15c	Savage	2 05
C. N. Y	10c	Scorpion	35c
Crocker	10c	S. Nevada	3 25@3 35
C. Point	1 35	Union	2 90@2 80
Exchequer	85c	Utah	95c
G & C	1 85@1 80	Y. Jacket	1 85

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Ophir	3 35@3 30	Bullion	3 75@8 70
Mexican	3 30	Exchequer	85c
G. & C	1 60	Overman	2 20
B. & B	2 85	Union	2 65
C. C. & V	5¼	S. Belcher	1 00@90c
Savage	1 85@1 80	Justice	55c
Chollar	2 35@2 40	Alta	65c
Potosi	4 95@4 90	Caledonia	60c
H. & N	2 00@1 95	Silver Hill	20c
C. Point	1 30	Challenge	1 20
Kentuck	35c	Occidental	1 15
Y. Jacket	1 75@1 80	Andes	1 00
Alpha	90c	Scorpion	30c
Belcher	1 50@1 45	Lady W	25c
Alpha	90c	Belle Isle	60c
S. Nevada	3 10@3 15	Mono	45c
Utah	90@95c	Peer	15c

The rose defeats the golden rod for the honor of being the State flower of New York, the vote, as announced by the Superintendent of Public Instruction, being 294,816 against 206,402. In the first vote by the public school children taken on Arbor Day, 1890, the golden rod was ahead of the rose, both, however, leading all other flowers. But deciding between those two the supporters of the other flowers this year have preferred the rose.

WARM weather often causes extreme tired feeling and debility, and in the weakened condition of the system, diseases arising from impure blood are liable to appear. To gain strength, to overcome disease, and to purify, vitalize and enrich the blood, take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

MARRIED.

HACK-BUTLER—In Freeport, July 29th, by Rev. Father Grace, Charles J. Hack to E. M. Dora Butler, stepdaughter of C. Meyers. *

Church Notices.

FOURTEENTH-STREET PRESBYTERIAN Church, between O and P.—Rev. G. P. Tindall, pastor—Services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Subject in the evening: "The Man Greatly Beloved." Sabbath-school at 12:15 P. M. The public cordially invited.

ELDERS H. C. SMITH AND J. F. BURton, of the "Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints" will preach on Sunday, August 2d, at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M., in Chapel, on corner of Twenty-fourth and K. Services will be continued through the week.*

WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN Church, corner Sixth and L streets. Rev. R. M. Stevenson, pastor—Subject, 10:45 A. M.: "Whom when Paul saw, he thanked God and took courage." Young people's meeting at 6:45 P. M., and preaching service at 7:45 P. M. The pastor's last Sabbath before vacation. A welcome to all *

GERMAN LUTHERAN CHURCH, CORner Twelfth and K streets.—Rev. Charles F. Oehler, pastor. Services. Sunday-school at 9 A. M. Sermon at 10:30 A. M. subject: "Jesus weint uber Jerusalem." Come and worship with us. *

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, NINTH street, between L and M.—Pastor, Rev. W. Ward Willis. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday-school at 12:15. Friday next Dr. Henson will lecture in this church. Subject: "Fools." Further notice will be given *

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, I STREET near Twelfth—Preaching by Rev J. H. Reider, morning and evening. *

M. E. CHURCH SOUTH, SEVENTH street, between J and K.—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. A. C. Bane. At 11 A. M.: "Stability of Character;" at 8 P. M.: "Vacation Thoughts." Last service until September 6th.*

ENGLISH LUTHERAN CHURCH, FIREmen's Hall, Eighth street, between J and K. Rev. W. S. Hoskinson, pastor—Morning subject: "The Christian Learning and Teaching;" evening: "The Evils of Tobacco." This will be the first of a series of subjects for the Sunday evenings of August. All will receive cordial welcome.* *

CENTRAL M. E. CHURCH, ELEVENTH street, between H and I Rev. C. H. Beechgood, pastor—Services at 10:45 A. M., and 7:45 P. M. Sabbath-school at 12:15. Epworth League at 6:45 P. M., led by Miss Retta Parrott. All are cordially invited to these services. *

SIXTH-STREET M. E. CHURCH, BEtween K and L streets.—Rev. Arnold T. Needham, pastor. Preaching at 10:45 A. M. by Rev. G. P. Tindall; at 7:45 P. M., by the pastor, on "The Right and Propriety of the Recent License Ordinance," and a reply to the arguments to be presented at the Clunie mass-meeting. Epworth League, 6:45 P. M. *

Lost—Found.

LOST—A DUMMY SHEET OF THE STATE Fair Daily. Please return to 410 J st. 1t*

LOST—AN OPEN-FACE GENTLEMAN'S silver watch. Finder will receive $5 reward by leaving it at 1322 P street. 1t*

LOST—A RED AND WHITE OR MULberry cow, 10 or 11 years old. THOMAS GUNN, Fourth street, between S and T. j31-3t*

LOST—A DIAMOND PIN, FROM Y. M. I. Hall to Seventh and O streets. Finder return to this office. jy30-5t*

General Notices.

MISS JENNIE GRAVES WILL TEACH private school at Perry's Seminary during vacation. 1t*

ANY ONE HAVING PURCHASED A Singer Sewing Machine on the installment plan, and not over $25 paid on same, will save $15 by calling on M. F. CRANDALL, 721 K street. jy27tf

Capay Valley Lands.

A CAPAY COLONY.

Busy Fruit-Growers in a Pretty Yolo Valley—Tancred and Its Adjoining Farms.

IN THE SPRING OF LAST YEAR Robert A. and Neal D. Barker associated themselves with William McKay, all of Oakland, with a view of searching out a suitable location in which to engage in the profitable occupation of fruit-growing. After visiting many localities, they decided on the Capay Valley, Yolo County, and the Rhodes tract at Tancred.

Negotiations were opened with the Capay Valley Land Company, owning the tract in question. With W. H. Mills, the General Agent of that company, they arranged for the purchase of about 220 acres of foothill land. This being more than they had thought of taking for their own use, they spoke to a number of friends about it, with the result that the tract was divided among the following people: B. L. Hickok, 40 acres; W. T. Barnett, 20 acres; N. T. Greathead, 20 acres; Mrs. L. Greathead, 20 acres; W. McKay, 20 acres; N. D. Barker, 20 acres; R. A. Barker, 20 acres; J. P. Brownlee, 20 acres; E. H. Haslett, 10 acres; Joseph Barker, 10 acres; A. W. Kelly 10 acres, and Frederick Kelly, 10 acres.

So far this had been merely a private venture of the gentlemen above named, but in talking up the question of dividing the land already purchased, it was found that so many more would like to join it than the area of the purchase would admit of, that it was suggested on all hands, "Why not get some more land and divide it up in the same way?" Then followed the idea of a stock company to take hold of a larger tract and arrange for the cultivation of the whole of it, after subdividing it according to the requirements of the subscribers. A provisional board was formed, a prospectus issued, and finally, on the 5th of June, 1890, the Western Co-operative Colonization and Improvement Company was duly registered and proceeded to business, with the following officers: President, William McKay; Vice-President, M. P. Brown; Directors—H. C. Ellis, Charles Brooke and R. A. Barker; Secretary and General Manager, Neal D. Barker; Solicitor, C. E. Snook; Treasurer, First National Bank of Oakland.

The balance of the tract, 373 acres, was purchased. A contract was entered into for the purchase of a large number of fruit trees, vines, etc. This early purchase of trees was the means of saving between $3,000 and $4,000 to the company, the prices in some cases having more than doubled since then.

The ideas which the prospectus set forth have been but slightly modified and the progress of the company has been uninterrupted. Those who went into it doubtingly have become enthusiastic, and almost all the members arranged to set out all their lands in fruit trees, etc., the first year. Consequently in this, the first season, some 40,000 trees and between 20,000 and 30,000 vines will be planted.

The satisfactory working of this scheme has had the effect of attracting considerable attention to the work of the Colony Company, and a number of people are now desirous of joining in with them. An additional 200 acres have been added to the sixty acres originally purchased.

For the company is predicted a very bright future, as well as for the beautiful valley in which their operations are conducted. How this marvelous little garden has come to be so long neglected is a puzzle to every one who has visited it, but one thing is very sure, and that is that this neglect will never again be felt in the valley.

The fruits set out are mostly of the standard varieties—peaches, apricots, Bartlett pears, prunes, figs, raisin grapes, etc., while along both sides of the avenues, throughout the tract, walnuts will throw their graceful shade. A considerable number of citrus trees are also being set out; quite a sufficient number to demonstrate that these fruits can be successfully grown in the valley, about which the colonists appear to have no doubt, provided proper care is given to the young trees. Neal D. Barker, General Manager of the company, resides on the tract, and to his care is to be ascribed much of the success of the venture.

Mention should be made of the town-site, about which there is a pleasant innovation which might with profit be followed by more ambitious places. A small park of some three acres has been laid out right in the center of the town. This park it is proposed to beautify by planting in it from time to time as many of the beauties and curiosities of tree and shrub life as may be obtained by diligent search and a wise expenditure of money. It is not expected that Tancred will ever be a large and busy city, but it is thought that it can be made a very pleasant little place to dwell in.

A petition has been circulated recently and very largely signed, asking the county to accept Island avenue, on the colony tract, as a county road, and to build a bridge across Cache Creek at this point, in order to give the settlers on the east side of the creek access to Tancred Station. The Tancred colonists are quite willing to give the necessary right of way, and are very desirous of having a bridge there, as the colony lands extend along both sides of the stream. It is thought that it would be a very wise expenditure of public money to grant them this very necessary improvement, as the operations of such companies are of widespread benefit to the whole county and State. The attractions and comforts of the cities are well known, but to those who are willing to settle on the land and show that the country also affords attractions and comforts and ways of making money pleasantly, every inducement should be held forth.

The following is a list of the principal members of the Tancred Colony, with the number of acres owned by each, and a fact worthy of mention is that in each contract or deed issued by the Colony Company there is a provision that no intoxicating liquor shall ever be manufactured or sold on the land. The apparent success of the enterprise shows that the ideas and plans of the colony, as set forth in the prospectus some time ago, are not impracticable: C. T. Hull, Berkeley, 5 acres; W. P. Hammon, Oakland, 14 acres; C. S. Kasson, San Francisco, 11 acres; Jos. Barker, 10 acres; A. W. Kelly, Kincardine, Ont., 5 acres; N. T. Greathead, 5 acres; R. G. Greathead, Oakland 10 acres; R. A. Barker, San Francisco, 10 acres; N. D. Barker, Tancred, 10 acres; Dr. K. Favor, San Francisco, 27 acres; J. P. Brownlee, Kincardine, Ont., 9 acres; W. T. Barnett, Berkeley, 5 acres; M. P. Brown, 10 acres; Chas. Brook, Sr., Oakland, 10 acres; W. C. Boutelle, Berkeley, 20 acres; Mrs. T. A. Crelin, Oakland, 5 acres; C. H. Peach, Tancred, 5 acres; H. C. Ellis, Oakland, 10 acres; J. Vanstone, Winnipeg, 10 acres; E. A. Vanstone, Tancred, 5 acres; E. Wadsworth, Sacramento, 5 acres; M. A. Thomas, Oakland, 6 acres; James Graham, San Francisco, 11 acres; A. Stark, 12 acres; J. Stark, 10 acres; Mrs. M. Vrooman, 5 acres; C. E. Snook, 10 acres; C. T. Greathead, 12 acres; Wm. McKay, 5 acres; Mrs. Wm. McKay, Oakland, 5 acres; Mrs. E. C. Wooley, Brooklyn, N. Y., 10 acres; Mrs. H. Beckley, Oakland, 5 acres; T. A. Marriett, 5 acres; J. C. Harrison, Tancred, 5 acres. The land reserved by the Colony Company, including town site, consists of 61 acres.

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Meeting Notices.

REGULAR MEETING OF SONS AND Daughters of Pioneers THIS (Saturday) EVENING at 8 o'clock.

WM. SIMS, President.
ANNIE L. LUTHER, Secretary. 1t*

SACRAMENTO TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION No. 46—The members will meet at the Valley Press at 12:30 P. M. SUNDAY, August 2d, to attend the Iron Molders' Picnic in a body. By order of the Union.

M. H. STROUT, President.
J. L. ROBINETTE, Secretary. 1t*

THE STATED ASSEMBLY OF Sacramento Commandery, No. 2, Knights Templar, will be held at the asylum THIS (Saturday) EVENING, August 1st, at 8 o'clock. Sojourning Sir Knights are courteously invited to attend. [1t] J. E. T. PIKE, E. C.

Wanted.

WANTED—A GOOD BARBER AT 1104 J street. 1t*

WANTED TO RENT—A TWO-STORY house of six or eight rooms; large yard. Address A. D., this office. au1-2t*

WANTED—HORSE FOR ITS KEEP—Light buggy work, good care. Reference Address "KEEPER," this office. 1t*

WANTED—PERSONS IN NEED OF GOOD reliable help, male and female, to send orders stating kind of work and price given to J. J. SMITH & CO., employment office, 1106 Sixth street, Sacramento, Cal. au1tf

WANTED—A SITUATION, BY A GIRL 14 years old, to assist in housework or take care of children; main object, a good home. Inquire at 728 Ninth street. jy31-2t*

AN EXCEPTIONALLY ACTIVE YOUNG girl, well educated, would like a position for four or five hours daily; a rare chance. Address box 7, this office. jy31-2t*

WANTED—BY A THOROUGH AND EXperienced teacher, two or three pupils in music (piano and organ); twenty-four lessons for $18; payment conveniently arranged; lessons at the pupil's home. Address TEACHER, this office. jy30-6t

INFORMATION WANTED OF THE whereabouts of MARINDA HOYETT (her maiden name being Hollenbeck), who came to California from Ohio about the year 1850, and married a Mr. Simons; when last heard from lived in Sacramento. Address RECORD-