EXCITING RUNAWAY.

Caused by the Reckless Driving of an Expressman.

B. U. Steinman and His Wife's Sister Thrown From a Buggy, but Unhurt—Vehicle Smashed.

Shortly after 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon what appeared to be a comet came shooting up Eleventh street to the Capitol, carromed on the granite posts, skipped over the terraces and granite steps and struck a newspaper reporter—as something like an item.

It was first observed about a quarter of a mile down Eleventh street, and in less than one minute it arrived, but only a portion of it stopped.

It proved to be only a horse attached to a red buggy, or rather a part of a buggy, which was once red. The combination tried to enter the Capitol building via the Controller's office, and come out through the Secretary of State's apartments, but failed. As the next best thing, it swerved in a graceful curve around the south side of the building, striking a granite post at every rod. It chipped a piece out of a Wells-Fargo Express wagon, jumped over a chariot in which John O'Meara was riding and luckily missed killing a number of people who were taking an airing in the park.

What there was left of the buggy is worth about forty cents, and was piled up on one of the terraces in the shape of a total wreck.

The rapid equine disappeared out Tenth street in the general direction of Siskiyou, like a telegram. He had ascended and descended granite steps and terraces to his heart's content, without a stumble. He took in two flights of stone steps in two skips.

It was ascertained that the horse and buggy belonged to B. U. Steinman, the banker. A reporter called at Mr. Steinman's residence and found that he was uninjured, and at the time was taking a bath. It was learned that Mr. Steinman, in company with Mrs. Heilbron, his wife's sister, were in the buggy at Eleventh and R streets, where they were run into by an express wagon piloted by W. H. Rhodes. Both occupants of the buggy were thrown out and the buggy overturned, but luckily neither of them were injured.

The wild expressman's horses stopped the train at the crossing by balking on the track.

BICYCLE BOOM.

Arrangements for the State Meeting of Wheelmen Here July 4th.

The Capital City Wheelmen held a meeting last evening for the purpose of arranging for the league meet on the 4th of July. The meet is to be under the joint auspices of the Bay City Wheelmen of San Francisco and the Capital City Wheelmen of this city, the committee in charge consisting of Messrs. Doane, Plummer, Sperry, Elliot and Story of the former club, and Messrs. Lavenson, Upson, Morrell, Dexter and Gilbert of this city.

There was a large attendance and much enthusiasm shown. The programme outlined consists of a parade during the day, to be followed by the races at the Park in the afternoon. At night there will be a lantern parade, concluding with a big ball at the new Pavilion.

On the Sunday preceding the 4th the visitors will be entertained by tours throughout the surrounding country.

The local club is making considerable progress at present. Three new members were elected and three applications handed in last evening. The members are desirous of having the co-operation of all wheelmen, and citizens generally, to make the meet a success.

The Capital Citys are going to Stockton on Sunday, to lay out stations for the relay race.

S. J. Black, a celebrated trick rider, is in the city.

NARROW ESCAPE.

A Gas Company Employe Has a Lively Experience.

Thomas Sullivan, an employe of the gas company, came very near having the life crushed out of him yesterday. He was working at the bottom of an excavation at Fourth and J streets when a horse driven by Ted Horstmeyer became unmanageable in that vicinity, reared and fell into the ditch.

The animal fell right over the spot where Sullivan was whrking, and all who who witnessed the occurrence supposed that the latter was crushed to death.

Sullivan, however, managed to crawl out from beneath the kicking and squirming animal, and, to the surprise of all, had escaped injury beyond a few slight bruises.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

George W. Phelps of Berkeley is in the city.

W. H. Diggs of Woodland is at the Golden Eagle.

Railroad Commissioner Beckman has gone to Fresno.

Mrs. H. M. LaRue is home from her Los Angeles visit.

Attorney-General Hart came up from the bay last evening.

George C. Gorham, Jr., of Bakersfield, is at the Golden Eagle Hotel.

S. Dunn and J. Shuster, prominent citizens of Chico, are in the city.

E. H. DePue arrived in Sacramento from San Francisco last evening.

Miss Della Magan has gone to Victoria on a visit to Mrs. Marvin, who was formerly Miss May Kewen.

John McComb, Jr., has entirely recovered from his illness and is visiting his relatives at North Temescal.

Matt. Storn, the well-known horseman, came up from San Francisco last evening, and registered at the Golden Eagle.

Mrs. H. N. Sheets (*nee* Bentley) departed Wednesday evening, by the southern route, for the East, where she has been called by the serious illness of her daughter.

Arrivals at the Golden Eagle Hotel yesterday: D. Withowsky, J. F. McCarthy, B. Frankenberg, H. R. Millear, P. L. Strong, Sidney Soule, C. F. Mallett, H. G. Weisbud, S. B. Edwards, Wm. H. H. Hart, E. H. Depue, San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Woodbury, Boston; W. R. Eliot, Meriden, Conn.; A. F. Warde, Miss Bowman, Miss Oliver, Miss Adele Belgarde, John Butler, G. A. Sutton, C. H. Putnam, L. Kander, J. E. Terry, E. H. Block, F. W. Friedhoff, Herman Schaefler, New York; Geo. O. Sweet, R. M. Simon, Chicago; Geo. C. Gorham, Jr. Bakersfield; M. H. Diggs, Woodland; H. C. Chambin, Philadelphia; M. F. Dobbin, Denver; Geo. W. Phelps, Berkeley; S. F. Dietz, St. Louis.

Yesterday Colonel Charles F. Crocker, First Vice-President of the Southern Pacific Company, returned from the East, accompanied by Russell J. Wilson, the well-known San Francisco lawyer, who had been looking after Timothy Hopkins' interests in the Mrs. Searles estate. Colonel Crocker was met here by General Superintendent Fillmore and Division Superintendent Wright, the former returning with him to San Francisco. In Mr. Crocker's party were also four prominent New York millionaires—H. R. Bishop, a brother-in-law of D. O. Mills; Lispenard Stewart, State Senator of New York; H. Ray Miller and A. L. Norris. They are the guests of Colonel Crocker, and are here strictly on pleasure bent. It is their intention to leave by the next steamer for Japan, and investigate that land of poetry and luxurious ease.

County License Collector Egbert W. Bates of this city and Miss Jennie I. Whipple of Florin were united in wedlock yesterday afternoon at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. H. A. Whipple, at Florin. The groom is a son of Supervisor George O. Bates. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. Richard Rodda. The happy couple were the recipients of many handsome and costly presents. Among those present were: Supervisor E. Greer and wife, Supervisor Thomas Jenkins and wife, County Treasurer E. Lyon, W. B. Devin and wife, Frankie Devin, Miss May Whipple, Miss Electa Brusie, Mr. and Mrs. C. Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. George O. Bates, Rev. and Mrs. Rodda, Miss Lily Whipple, Douglas Whipple, Misses Edith and Ina Enos, E. Enos, Frank T, Johnson and Mrs. W. C. Raymond of Crockett, sister of the groom.

The Club Amigo gave its closing party, the last of a series of ten entertainments, at Turner Hall last night. The party was a delightful one to the many young folks present. The attendance was as large as any heretofore, more than forty couples being assembled. The hall was very tastefully decorated, the floor covered with canvas, and no pains spared to add to the comfort and enjoyment of the guests and members. A large number of spectators were present and filled the gallery. The music for the dancers was supplied by an orchestra of eight pieces, the musicians being freely complimented. At 11 o'clock supper was served in the hall. The officers and Executive Committee were as follows: President, F. F. Smith; Vice-President, A. M. Robinette; Secretary and Treasurer, W. Bryan; Floor Directors, A. F. Drainor, H. Harper, F. Sullivan and S. L. Howe. Following is a list of the club members, most of whom were present: Wm. Bryan, J. Huntoon, J. Vogelsang, W. Howe, Burt Martin, F. S. Smith, Clark Williams, Ed Sheehan, W. Stephenson, H. Catlin, W. C. Hendricks, Al Trainor, F. Trainor, W. B. Schaw, Chas. A. Phillips, S. J. Cox, H. E. McKee, C. Hall, Ben Welch, Harry Welch, H. E. Kleinsorge, Bruce Dray, H. B. Hemmelman, Gus Turner, W. B. McFessel, Chas. Jones, A. M. Robinette, F. J. Sullivan, Arthur Dray, F. Allen, H. O. Beatty, T. Henry, C. Harrison, W. S. Calderwood, W. Harper, Luke Howe, V. Merkley, H. Harper. Ladies — Lucy Murry, Ivy Hughson, Marcelle Green, Etna Carroll, Laura Terry, Corra Matt, T. A. Waite, Edith Waite, Etta Wallace, Laura Cooper, Hattie Bell, Mabel Lewis, Edna Lewis, Mollie Sheehan, Ida Ing, Martha Ing, Miss Stephenson, Sadie Breen, Allie Sheehan, Lucy Abbott, Ruby Merkley, Lulu Nichols, Ollie Maydwell, Lindie Maydwell, M. J. Johnson, Mabel Deming, Laura Turner, F. Herzog, O. Ennis and Ritta Colclough.

BRIEF NOTES.

The pay-car is expected to disburse its coin among the railroad employes tomorrow.

The San Francisco police are trying to find George Harney, who was in this city on Wednesday.

Owing to the indisposition of Rev. J. L. Levy there will be no services at the Synagogue to-night.

Property-owners on Q street are circulating a petition to have that street graded from the river to Twenty-eighth street.

George Borchers, the baseball pitcher, will leave for Tacoma in a couple of days, having signed to pitch ball for the club of that city.

A juvenile class in calisthenics will be started in the rooms of the Young Women's Christian Association next Tuesday, the 29th.

Some malicious miscreant the other night smashed the show-cases of H. S. Beals on J street and scattered his photographs about the sidewalk.

The railroad company has leveled off several acres of land below the round house at Truckee, by filling depressions and covering the bowlders.

It is said that Donner Creek is filled with spawing trout, and that grab-hooks and other nefarious contrivances are slaughtering the helpless fishes.

The Coast Secretary of the Young Women's Christian Association will visit the local organization next week and will be with the members at their first anniversary, to be held April 3d.

The State Supreme Court has just decided that hokey-pokey is an illegal game, regardless of whether it is a percentage game or not. But Supreme Court decisions in matters of this kind are supposed not to affect this city.

Articles of Incorporation.

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

The Bankers' Mutual of California, of San Francisco. Directors—Charles O. Alexander, Gustave H. Umbsen, Seeley F. Long, Richard Hynes and Zenus U. Dodge.

The F. E. Brown Company of Redlands, San Bernardino County. Capital stock, $1,250,000. Directors—F. E. Brown, R. F. Archer, B. O. Johnson, C. E. Fish and Fred S. Ward.

The San Francisco Nursery for Homeless Children of San Francisco. Directors—Sidney M. Smith, Charles M. Gorham, James W. Ward, Cyrus S. Wright and James H. Robinson.

Little Freddie's Knife.

Fred Viskers, charged with having stolen a pocket-knife valued at twenty-five cents, was arraigned in the Police Court yesterday. Freddie Viskers has no whiskers, and is only about three feet tall and 8 or 9 years of age. He stood up as straight as he could, and scorned the allegation that the knife was worth "two bits."

The case was so important as to require a continuance until to-day. The court almost needed a telescope to find the small offender, and perhaps the delay made is to allow the boy to grow to visible proportions.

Good Words From Portland.

In a letter received by Rev. R. M. Stevenson from Rev. B. Fay Mills, dated at Portland, the 21st, the latter says:

"The Lord is greatly blessing the work here. Yesterday there were three great meetings, and in that one day there were at least 800 inquirers who manifested a desire to become Christians, and who signed their names to the usual formula for that purpose. Several hundred of these were men, and young men."

Robbery at the Cemetery.

Burglars broke into the office of the Superintendent of the City Cemetery on Wednesday night and tried to pry open the lockers, but failed.

The thieves made away with a set of straps used in lowering coffins. They entered the office by breaking the glass door. Information of the robbery was left at the Police Station yesterday, but no arrests have been yet made.

Lucey's Sentence Postponed.

Judge Cravens yesterday, at the request of counsel for Ed Lucey—who is under conviction for selling liquor without a license—postponed until next Tuesday the passing of sentence in the latter's case.

In the meantime the defendant's counsel, W. A. Anderson, will prepare an argument on his motion for a new trial.

Funeral of Mrs. Dunn.

Yesterday the funeral of Mrs. E. V. Dunn, wife of Police Court Clerk Dunn, took place and was largely attended. Rev. R. M. Singleton officiated. There was singing by a special choir, and a profusion of floral offerings. Many of those in attendance were members of the Order of Chosen Friends.

A Magnificent Display.

Many attractions are presented the ladies during the spring season, and while some are magnified by the splendor of design, others have the real worth of merit, both as to quality and consideration. Spring millinery has been the agitation for the past two weeks or more, and yet many have not made the necessary selections. It is now in order to mention that a most beautiful display of spring millinery is on exhibition at the emporium of Miss McGrath, 420 J street. Here can be found everything pertaining to the wants of all ladies in the line of headwear. The latest novelties and designs predominate in the exhibit.

WRITE to Cooper for everything in the musical line. 631 J street.

PREPARING FOR THE SHOW.

A Sacramento County World's Fair Association Organized.

Work Will Commence at Once—Arrangements for a Mass-Meeting Next Week.

In accordance with a call issued by Mayor Comstock a large number of prominent citizens of this city and of the county met in the Supervisors' chamber, in the Hall of Records, last evening, for the purpose of taking steps toward organizing a County World's Fair Association.

Among those present were noticed Mayor Comstock, Geo. C. McMullen, Supervisors Greer, Bates, Black, Miller and Jenkins, W. W. Coons, L. L. Lewis, C. H. Cummings, W. W. Greer, Robert Greer, David Lubin, H. M. LaRue, David Reese, P. C. Drescher and others.

An informal talk was indulged in before the meeting was called to order. The Mayor finally called for order, and on motion of Mr. Lubin it was decided to organize permanently as the Sacramento County World's Fair Association.

Supervisor Greer was nominated for permanent Chairman, but declined, as he thought he could do better work for the cause on the floor rather than in the chair. Supervisor Bates was then nominated and elected.

Mr. Bates made a graceful speech in taking the chair, thanking the meeting for the honor conferred upon him.

W. W. Greer was unanimously chosen permanent Secretary, and C. H. Cummings was elected Treasurer.

Mr. Lubin said there was a movement on foot to consolidate the counties of Northern California in one grand display of county exhibits, as had been done in Southern California. At the World's Fair District meeting, held last Saturday at the Golden Eagle Hotel, it was decided to hold a convention of representatives of the northern counties on April 9th, and it was agreed that each county and district World's Fair Association in the north should send five delegates to the convention. He thought that the meeting should proceed at once to select five to represent Sacramento County.

The suggestion was acted upon, and the delegates selected as follows: D. Lubin, E. Greer, P. C. Drescher, David Reese and H. M. LaRue.

Supervisor Jenkins moved that an Executive Committee be appointed. The motion was carried, and it was decided to have the committee consist of twenty members—twelve from the outside districts and eight from the city.

A committee consisting of Messrs. Greer, Jenkins and Drescher was then appointed for the purpose of selecting the Executive Committee. The nominating committee was given a week in which to present the names.

Mr. Greer moved that the membership roll of the association be opened and signed, and that each signer be assessed $1. The motion was carried and all present signed. It was agreed that the list should remain in the Secretary's hands, and that it should be open for signatures from all parts of the county.

A committee consisting of D. Lubin and W. W. Greer was appointed for the purpose of drawing up the constitution and by-laws of the association.

An adjournment was then taken until April 2d, at 1 P. M., the understanding being that the gathering will be made a sort of mass meeting. Good speakers will be in attendance, and the public will be invited. An effort will be made to have William H. Mills and Secretary Thompson, of the State World's Fair Commission, address the meeting.

In the meantime the Executive Committee will have been selected, and will organize and divide itself off into subcommittees on agriculture, horticulture, viticulture, forestry, floriculture, etc.

COMMERCIAL.

SACRAMENTO MARKET.

SACRAMENTO, March 24th.

FRUIT—Lemons—Sicily, $7@7 50 ₱ box; California, $3@4 50; Limes, $5 50@6 ₱ case; 75c@$1 ₱ 100; Bananas, $2 50@3 ₱ bunch for Island; Cocoanuts, $7@8; Oranges—Navels, $3 50@4 ₱ box; Riverside, $1 75@2 ₱ box; Los Angeles, $1 50@2 50 ₱ box; Pineapples, 60@75c each, $7 ₱ doz; Apples, $1@1 50 ₱ box; Cape Cod Cranberries, $10 50 ₱ bbl.

CANNED GOODS—Assorted table, $1 65@1 75; Apples, $1 60; Apricots, $1 60; Blackberries, $1 75@1 85; Cherries, $1 90@2 25; Currants, $2 25; Gooseberries, $1 80@1 90; Muscat Grapes, $1 40@1 50; Plums, $1 40; Quinces, $1 75; Strawberries, $2 50.

BREADSTUFFS—Flour, $5 25 ₱ bbl; Oatmeal, 10-lb sacks, 3¼c ₱ lb, $3 50 ₱ 100-lb sacks; Cornmeal, White, $2 60 ₱ 10-lb sacks; Yellow, $2 50 ₱ 25-lb sacks; Cracked Wheat, $3 15 ₱ 100-lb sacks; $2 85 ₱ 100-lb sacks; Hominy, $3 75 ₱ 100-lb sacks, $3 50 ₱ 100-lb sacks; Graham, $2 90 ₱ 100-lb sacks; $2 65 ₱ 100-lb sacks.

VEGETABLES—Onions, Silverskins, $1 35 1 50 ₱ cwt; Cabbage, 85c@$1 ₱ 100 lbs; Carrots, 70c@$1 ₱ 100 lbs; Turnips, new, 85c@$1 25 ₱ sack; Common vegetables, 12½c ₱ dozen; Parsnips, $1@1 50; Beets, 75c@$1; Horse Radish, 10c ₱ lb; Garlic, 5@6c; Artichokes, 70@80c ₱ dozen; Dried Pepper, 20@25c; Potatoes, Early Rose, 60@65c; Peerless, 60@70c; Oregon Burbanks, 85c@$1; River Burbanks, 50@60c; River Reds, 50c ₱ ctl; New Potatoes, 3@3c ₱ lb; Celery, 60@75c ₱ dozen; Cauliflower, 75c ₱ dozen; Red Cabbage, 3c ₱ lb; Spinach, 3c; Hubbard Squash, 2c; Asparagus, 4@5c; Peas, 7@8c; Mushrooms, 10@20c; Rhubarb, 7@8c; Tomato Plants, 15c ₱ doz; Shives, 15c ₱ bunch.

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter, Valley, 18@20c ₱ lb; Fancy Petaluma, 21@22c ₱ lb; Eastern Creamery, fancy, 16@18c; packed in firkins, choice, 23@25c; pickled roll, 26½@28c; common, 12½@13c ₱ lb; Cheese, California, 12@13c; Young America, 14@15c; Eastern Cream, 15c; Limburger, 18@20c; genuine Swiss, 29@31c; American, Swiss, 21c; Martin's Cream, 17@18c; Eggs, 20c.

POULTRY—Dealers' prices: Live Turkeys, 12½c; dressed, 16@17c; full-grown Chickens, $5 50@6 per dozen; young roosters, $5@6 ₱ dozen; broilers, $4@5; tame Ducks, $6; Pekin, $7; Geese, $1 50@2 ₱ pair.

HAY, GRAIN AND FEED—Oat Hay, $12@15 ₱ ton; Alfalfa do, $10@12 ₱ ton; Bran, $20 ₱ ton; Middlings, $23 ₱ ton; Barley, whole, paying, $1 07½@1 22½; rolled, $1 30; Wheat, choice milling, paying, $1 70 ₱ cwt; Rye, $1 90; Tame Oats, $1 75@1 90; Corn, paying, $1 20@1 25 ₱ cwt.

MEATS—Beef, 7c; Mutton, 10c; Lamb, 12½c; Veal, large, 5@6c; small, 7@8c; Hogs, 5@5½c; dressed Pork, 7@8c; Hams—Eastern, 13@14c; California, 11@13½c; Eureka Hams, 12@13½c; Bacon—Light medium, 10@11c; selected do, 12c; extra light, 12½@13c; extra light boneless, 13½@14c.

MISCELLANEOUS — Seeds — Alfalfa, new crop, 7@8c; Timothy, Eastern, 5@6c; Pop Corn, ear, 2@3c; shelled, 4@5c; Red Clover, 10@11c; Red Top, 6@7c ₱ lb; Nuts—Chile Walnuts, new, 11@12c; California Walnuts, 9@10c; Almonds, new, 11@13c; Peanuts, California, 5@6c; Eastern, 6@7c; Lard—California, cans, 10@11c; Eastern, 8¾@10c; Hides—Salt, light, 4c; medium steers, 6c; heavy steers, 7½c; heavy cows, 5c; dry, 9½c; Tallow, 3½c.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 24th.

FLOUR—Net cash prices for Family Extras, $5 05@5 15 ₱ bbl; Bakers' Extras, $4 90@5; Superfine, $3 20@3 40.

WHEAT—The situation is wholly against sellers. The demand is light and prices keep on the down grade. No. 1 shipping is quotable at $1 57½ ₱ ctl as a top figure. Milling is quotable at $1 65@1 67½, with very light trading. Distant centers are depressed, and this fact affects matters locally.

BARLEY—Nothing new. Supplies are more than ample, as a rule. We quote as follows: Feed, 95@97½c for dark coast, 98¾c to $1 for good quality and $1 01¼@1 02½ for choice; Brewing, $1 05 to $1 15 ₱ ctl.

OATS—Business is of moderate proportions only. We quote as follows: Surprise $1 50@1 60; good to choice feed, $1 30 to $1 37½; off grades, $1 20@1 27½; Gray, $1 25; Oregon Black, $1 20@1 27½ ₱ ctl; California Black, $1 10@1 20 for common and $1 25@1 35 ₱ ctl for good to choice.

CORN—Movement is slow. We quote as follows: Large Yellow, $1 25@1 26½; Small Yellow, $1 25@1 27½; White, $1 22½@1 25 ₱ ctl.

CRACKED CORN—Quotable at $28 50@29 ₱ ton.

CHOPPED FEED—Quotable at $21 50@22 50 ₱ ton.

CORNMEAL—Millers quote Feed at $27 50 to $28 ₱ ton; fine kinds for the table, in large and small packages, 3¼@3¾c ₱ lb.

OILCAKE MEAL—Quotable at $25 ₱ ton from the mills.

SEEDS—Mustard, Brown, $3@3 25; Yellow, $3 25@3 75; Canary, imported, $2 75@3 12; Hemp, 3½@4c ₱ lb; Rape, $2@2 50; Timothy, 5½@5½c; Alfalfa, 12½c ₱ lb; Flax, $1 75@2 ₱ ctl.

MIDDLINGS—Prices are undisturbed. Quotable at $17@19 50 ₱ ton.

HAY—is lower. Alfalfa, $9@11; Wheat $12@15; Wheat and Oat, $11@13 50; Barley, $11@12 50; Wild Oat, $11@13 50; Stock, $8@10 ₱ ton.

STRAW—Quotable at 45@55c ₱ bale.

HOPS—Quotable at 16c to 20c ₱ lb.

MILLSTUFFS—We quote: Rye Flour, 4c; Rye Meal, 3½c; Graham Flour, 3½c; Oatmeal, 4½c; Oat Groats, 5c; Cracked Wheat, 4c; Buckwheat Flour, 5c; Pearl Barley, 4@4½c ₱ lb.

BRAN—Steady trading. We quote: No. 1, $16@16 50 ₱ ton.

RYE—Quotable at $1 55@1 60 ₱ ctl.

BUCKWHEAT—Quotable at $1 75 ₱ ctl.

GROUND BARLEY—Quotable at $22@23 ₱ ton.

POTATOES—New have further declined to 90c@$1 50 ₱ ctl. Stocks of old continue large. We quote: Early Rose, 20@30c; Burbanks, 30c to 40c for River and 85c@$1 for Salinas; River Red, 20@30c; Oregon Burbanks, 50c@$1 ₱ ctl; Oregon Garnet Chile, 40@50c ₱ ctl.

ONIONS—Choice, $1 25; common to good, 50c to $1 ₱ ctl.

DRIED PEAS—We quote: Green, $1 50@2; Blackeye, $1 45@1 60; Niles, $1 35@1 40 ₱ ctl.

BEANS—We quote: Bayos, $2@2 10; Butter, $2 50@3; Pink, $2@2 10; Red, $2 25@2 40; Lima, $1 90@2; Pea, $2 60@2 75; Small White, $2 40@2 60 ₱ ctl.

VEGETABLES—Receipts to-day included 710 bxs Asparagus, 286 bxs Rhubarb and 153 sks Green Peas. Some choice Asparagus sold 25c higher than quotations, being of exceptional quality. Trade generally is fair all round. We quote as follows: Rhubarb, 75c@$1 25 ₱ box; Asparagus, $1@1 50 for common and $1 75@2 for choice ₱ box; Cucumbers, 75c@$1 ₱ dozen; Los Angeles Green Peppers, 20@25c ₱ lb; String Beans, 5@10c for Los Angeles and —@—c for bay; Los Angeles Summer Squash, —@— ₱ lb; Los Angeles Tomatoes, 50c@$1 50 ₱ box; Green Peas, 2@4c ₱ lb; Turnips, 50@75c ₱ ctl; Beets, $1 ₱ sack; Carrots, feed, 40@50c; Parsnips, $1 25 ₱ ctl; Cabbage, 50c; Garlic, 2@3c ₱ lb; Cauliflower, 50@60c ₱ dozen; Dry Peppers, 10@12½c; Dry Okra, 15c ₱ lb; Marrowfat Squash, $3@6 ₱ ton.

FRESH FRUIT—Two chests and a half of Strawberries arrived from Mountain View, selling at $1 50@1 75 ₱ drawer. Some Los Angeles Strawberries were also in market this morning, but they were of poor quality and almost unsalable. A few sales were made at 5@6c ₱ bskt. We quote: Apples, 50c@$1 25 ₱ box for common to fair and $1 50@2 50 for good to fancy red.

CITRUS FRUIT—Prices show no variation. Supplies are ample. Mexican Limes, $4@4 50 ₱ box; California Limes, 60@75c ₱ box; Lemons, Sicily, $6@6 50 ₱ box; California Lemons, $1@1 25 for common and $1 50@3 ₱ box for good to choice; Los Angeles Seedlings, 75c@$1; Los Angeles Navels, $1 25@2 for common to choice; Riverside Seedlings, $1@1 75; Riverside and Duarte Navels, $1 50@3; San Bernardino Seedlings, $1 50@2; San Bernardino Navels, $2 50@3 50; Bananas, $1 50@2 50 ₱ bunch; Pineapples, $9 ₱ dozen.

DRIED FRUIT—Apricots, bleached, 5@7c; do, sun-dried, 3½@4c; Peaches, sun-dried, 2½@3½c; bleached, 4c to 5½c; Apples, 4@5½c for evaporated, 3@3½c for sliced and 2½@3c for quartered; pitted Plums, 4@4½c; unpitted do, 2@2½c; Grapes, 1½@1½c ₱ lb; Prunes, 4@7c ₱ lb; German Prunes, 4@5c; Pears, 7@8c for evaporated, 3@5c for sliced and 2½@4c for quartered; Nectarines, 3@4c for red and 4@5c for white; Figs, 4½@5c for pressed and 3@4c for unpressed.

RAISINS—We quote: Layers, fancy, $1 20@1 35 ₱ box; good to choice, 90c@$1 10, with the usual advance for fractional boxes; Muscatels, 60@75c ₱ box, and 2½@3c ₱ lb for sacks.

NUTS—We quote: California Walnuts, 4@6c for hard shell, and 7@8c for soft shell; Chile Walnuts, 8@9c; California Almonds, 10½@11½c for soft, —c for hard shell, and 12@13c for paper shell; Peanuts, 1½@3c; Hickory Nuts, 7@8c; Filberts, 11@12c; Pecans, 11½@13c for small, and 15@16c for large; Brazil Nuts, 6½@8c ₱ lb; Pine Nuts, —@—c ₱ lb; Cocoanuts, $4 50@5 ₱ hundred.

HONEY—We quote: Extracted, 5@6c for amber, and 6½@6½c for bright. Comb is quotable at 8@10c in 2-lb frames, and 10@13c for white in 1-lb frames.

BUTTER—Remains stationary. Quotable at 20@21c ₱ lb for fancy, 18@19c for good to choice and 17@17½c for common grades; Eastern, 15c ₱ lb.

CHEESE—We quote as follows: Choice to fancy new, 13@14c; fair to good, old, 9@12c; Eastern, ordinary to fine, 11@13c; do, fancy creamery, 13@14c ₱ lb.

EGGS—Fair volume of business. We quote: California ranch, 18c; store lots, 16½@17c; Eastern, 16@17c ₱ dozen.

POULTRY—Geese are in demand at higher prices. Broilers and young Roosters are cheaper. Live Turkeys—Gobblers, 16@18c; Hens, 15@17c; Roosters, $6 50@7 for old, and $8@9 for young; Broilers, $4 50@6; Hens, $6 50@7; Ducks, $9@11; Geese, $2 50@2 75 ₱ pair.

GAME—We quote: Hare, $1 25@1 50; Rabbits, $1@1 50 ₱ dozen.

PROVISIONS—We quote as follows: Eastern Hams, 12@12½c; California refrigerator-cured Hams, 10½@11c; Eastern Breakfast Bacon, 13@13½c; California Bacon, heavy and medium, 9½@10c; do, light, 11½@12c; do, extra light, 13@13½c; do, clear sides, 10c to 10½c ₱ lb; Pork, extra prime, $14@14 50; do, prime mess, $15@15 50; do, mess, $17 50 to $17 75; do, clear, $18 50@19; do, extra clear, $19@19 50 ₱ bbl; Pigs' Feet, $12 50 ₱ bbl; Beef, mess, bbls, $7 50@8; do, extra mess, bbls, $8 50@9; do, family, $11@11 50 ₱ bbl; do, smoked, 11½@12c ₱ lb; Eastern Lard, tierces, 8@8½c; do, 10-lb tins, 8¾c; do, 5-lb tins, 8¾c; do, 3-lb tins, 9c; California Lard, tierces, 8½c to 8¾c; do, kegs, 9@9¼c; do, 10-lb tins, 10¼ to 10½c; do, 5-lb tins, 10¾@10½c; do, 20-lb buckets, 9½c; do, 10-lb buckets, 9¾c ₱ lb.

WOOL—Nominal.

HIDES AND SKINS—Quotable as follows:

	Sound.		Culls.	
Heavy steers, 57 lbs up, ₱ lb	7	@7½c	6	@6½c
Medium steers, 46 to 56 lbs	6	@—	5	@—
Light, 40 to 45 lbs	4	@4¼	3½	@3¾
Cows	4	@4¼	3½	@3¾
Stags	4	@—	3	@—
Kips, 17 to 30 lbs	3½	@4	3	@—
Veal Skins, 10 to 17 lbs	5	@—	—	@4
Calf Skin, 5 to 10 lbs	6	@—	—	@5

Dry Hides, usual selection, 10c; Dry Kips, do, 9c ₱ lb; Calf Skins, do, 9c; Cull Hides, Kip and Calf, 6c; Pelts, shearlings, 10@25c each; do, short, 40@70c each; do, medium, 70@90c each; do, long wool, 90c@$1 40 each; Deer Skins, summer, 37½c; do, good medium, 30@32½c; do, winter, 20@25c ₱ lb; Goat Skins, 30@90c apiece for prime to perfect, 10@25c for damaged and 5@10c each for kids.

MEAT MARKET—Following are the rates for whole carcasses from slaughterers to dealers: Beef—First quality, 7c; second quality, 6½c; third quality, 5@6c ₱ lb. Veal—Quotable at 5@7c for large and 6@9c ₱ lb for small. Mutton—9½@10½c ₱ lb. Lamb—Spring, 15@16c ₱ lb. Pork—Live hogs, on foot, grain fed, heavy, 4¼@4½c; light, 5@5¼c; dressed Hogs, 8@8½c ₱ lb.

EASTERN AND FOREIGN MARKETS.

NEW YORK, March 24th.

WHEAT—92⅞c for May, 90⅞c for June, 91¾c for July, 90½c for August, 90½c for September and 92⅝c for December.

SUGAR—Cuba Centrifugal, 3¼c.

CHICAGO, March 24th.

WHEAT—80⅞c for May and 81⅝c for July.

LIVERPOOL, March 24th.

WHEAT—Sellers would be willing to make some concessions. California spot lots, 7s 9d; off coast, 37s 9d; just shipped, 37s 9d; nearly due, 37s 9d; cargoes off coast, steady; on passage, unaltered.

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Nervous debility, Mrs. Fred. Loy, 327 Ellis St.
General debility, Mrs. Belden, 510 Mason St.
Nervous debility, Mrs. J. Lamphere, 755 Turk St.
Nervous debility, Miss R. Rosenblum, 2321 7th St.
Stomach troubles, Mrs. R. L. Wheaton, 701 Post St.
Sick headaches, Mrs. M. B. Price, 16 Prospect Place, S. F.
Sick headaches, Mrs. M. Fowler, 327 Ellis St.
Indigestion, Mrs. C. D. Stuart, 1221 Mission St.
Constipation, Mrs. C. Melvin, 126 Kearny St.

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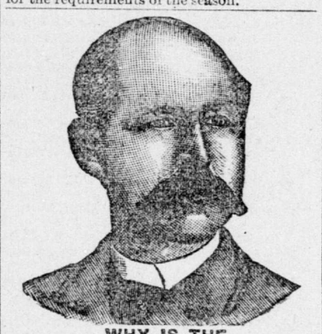
We hear a great deal, just now, about spring medicines. It is known that people feel run down after the labors and siege of winter, and it is assumed they need a spring medicine. This is not true. Spring medicines are not needed; nature will throw off the rheums in the blood which have accumulated during the winter, if she has only a little help. Nature is able to clean her own house, and take care of her own household, with a little assistance, and a little, gentle stimulant is all the spring medicine anyone requires. "But," you may say, "what do you mean by stimulant, and what do I require?" We answer, something absolutely pure, powerful and which has been proved to abundantly answer the purpose. Unquestionably, whisky, if of the right kind, is the proper thing to use, but unfortunately, there are few good whiskies in the market, and only one which is absolutely pure, and possesses medicinal qualities. That whisky is Duffy's Pure Malt. It has been upon the market for years. It has the unqualified indorsement of physicians and chemists, and it is the only whisky which can be recommended. It is true, certain unscrupulous druggists and grocers seek to sell other and inferior goods, claiming they are equal to Duffy's, but they possess little purity and no medicinal power whatever, whereas Duffy's is specially designed as a medicinal whisky. It would be well to bear these facts in mind when considering the subject of spring medicines, and how to best put the system in shape for the requirements of the season.



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