

AMERICA'S DISCOVERER.

An Interesting and Instructive Discourse on Columbus.

The Lecture-Social Managed by the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor.

The "Lecture-Social" given at the Congregational Church last evening, under the auspices of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, attracted a large audience.

The lecture delivered by Rev. J. B. Koehne on "Columbus, and His Place in History," was an eloquent and instructive one, with which the audience generally was greatly impressed.

In summing up the character of Columbus and the struggle for civil and religious liberty, which started him forth a missionary to discover the New World, Mr. Koehne covered a wide range of historic incident, and referred to many great men who were more or less instrumental in causing the motive which inspired the great navigator.

Mr. Koehne characterized Columbus as a great thinker, dreamer and poet, who lived a thousand years in advance of his time, and whose great mission was to absorb largely the ideas originating in the great minds of his time.

During the course of his lecture he referred to gunpowder and the printing press as the power placed in the hands of the peasant, which made the conditions under which we live possible.

Mr. Koehne's lecture, in its entirety, was a very able and comprehensive discourse, and his ardent and eloquent made it as forcible as it was interesting.

At the close of the lecture the audience was invited to engage in the social, which had been arranged for in the classrooms of the church, and a large portion of those present did so.

The rooms were decorated with flowers and evergreens, and a spirit of sociability prevailed which enabled everybody to enjoy the occasion.

Both young ladies were enthusiastically applauded. Informal selections on the piano followed and the evening's entertainment closed.

DELIGHTFUL ENTERTAINMENT.

An Interesting Programme at the First Baptist Church.

A delightful entertainment was given at the First Baptist Church last evening. Rev. A. C. Herrick officiated as master of ceremonies, and under his direction the splendid programme went through without a hitch.

There was a very large attendance and everybody was pleased with the entertainment, particularly those numbers which were given by the children of the Sunday-school. The programme was as follows:

Piano duet by the Misses Scott, "The Lighthouse and Its Keeper," Birdie Winters; "The Bible," dialogue between America and the Nations, Mabel Bradley, May Kestler, Cora Taylor, Florence Williams, Anna Blanchard and Annie Bradford; vocal duet, Gertrude Mealand and Flora Robinson; "The Mites," a concert exercise by Beulah Bassett, Alfred Croucher, Florence Ashworth, Harold Parker and Janet Spears; "An Imitation Japanese," Mabel Croucher, banjo solo, Katie Withington; "The Flower Mission Band," Irene Davis, Lillie Carpenter, Nellie Mott, Nellie Kirkpatrick, Jennie Methven, Nellie Kniedler, Minnie Kirkpatrick, Maud Aiken, Maud Aiken, Audsen, May Bohn and Maud Davis; recitation, "The Little Missionary," Evelyn Young; flute and piano duet, Lulu Stuckney and brother; "Bassinet," Mrs. Mission Band; Willard Spears, Henry Bradley, Eddie Parker, Sheffield Harding and Agnes Kennedy; concert recitation, "The Fifth Psalm," Maud Bohn, Lizzie Barber, Ruth Neely, May Metcalf, Emma Dickman, Mamie Hoskins and Mabel Hoskins; zither solo, Carl Noack; "Voices of the Women," Lida Phelps, Lillie Champ, Arlie Aiken, Viola Parker, Margie Ferris, Ida Beecher, Josie Harris, Maud Aiken, Maud Aiken, Raymond; song and chorus, Mabel Bradley, Mary Kestler, Willard Spears and Henry Bradley.

FOOTING UP THE RETURNS.

A Slow Process in Progress Before the Supervisors.

The tally clerks employed by the Supervisors to assist in canvassing the returns of the late election began the task of adding up the precinct votes yesterday.

This proved to be very slow work. The vote for each candidate by precincts throughout the five Supervisor districts was added up by districts, and then these added together. Each clerk had a tally sheet of his own, and as fast as he completes a column, he compares it with the additions of the other clerks.

The footings show the Republican Electors received 4,302 votes; Democratic, 3,503; Peoples' party, 889, and Prohibition, 108.

The official footings for Congressman for the Second District are: Caminetti, 3,811; Davis, 3,750, and Dunn, 301. For Congressman (unexpired term) the vote is as follows: "A. H. H.," 3,722; English, 2,714, and Lyon, 1,122.

The footings will probably not be completed before Monday.

SUTTER GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

Longfellow Exercises by the Ninth Grade Yesterday.

Exercises commemorative of the poet Longfellow were held in the Sutter grammar school yesterday, of which Julian W. Johnson is Principal. They were as follows:

Song, "Speed Our Republic," by the school; instrumental solo, "Dreams of Arland," Ada Harry; "A Sadder Life," George Calvert; recitation, "The Childhood of Hiawatha," Clarence Gandy; recitation, "The Singers," Callie Williams; recitation, "The Reaper and the Flowers," Gertrude Jackson; instrumental solo, "Home, Sweet Home," Clara Burnett; recitation, "Eve's Dream," Nellie Neighbors; recitation, "The Children's Hour," Willie Lindsay; recitation, "Something Left Undone," Lillie Salz; recitation, "Footsteps of Angels," Clara Greene; instrumental solo, "Unique Galop," Annie Doban; recitation, "Snowflakes," Frank Orr; recitation, "Killed at the Ford," The Singers; Callie Williams; recitation, "The Bridge," Anna Ross; recitation, "The Day is Done," Carl Kimball; instrumental solo, "Warblings at Eve," Pauline Trainor; song, "Music on the Waves," by the school.

Articles of Incorporation.

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

The San Diego-San Publishing Com-

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TO-DAY! Specials for Our Regular Saturday's Sale From Each Department.

Another lot of our 50c Japan Tea for 30c per pound. FANCY GOODS DEPARTMENT.

A large sample line of Ladies' Cashmere, Wool, Jersey and Silk Gloves will be closed out at about half their value. DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT.

42-inch Open-work Lace Scrim, 10 and 12 1/2c a yard. 32-inch Heavy Turkey Red Calico, guaranteed fast color, 10c a yard.

A large line of 10c Light-color Flannelettes will be closed out at 6c per yard. 5-4 Extra-heavy Black Oil Cloth, for wagon covering, etc. Regular price, 50c a yard. Closing price, 35c a yard.

Men's All-wool Extra-heavy Gray Hand-knit Socks, extra long legs, closing at 3 pair for \$1. Men's Extra-heavy All-wool Jersey \$2 50 Over-shirts, heavy wool fleece lined in fancy patterns, \$1 45.

Men's Heavy Moleskin Overshirts, an extra-fine garment, well finished, for \$1. SHOE SPECIALS.

Men's Full-stock Pup Boots, solid oak-tanned sole, standard screw fastened, sewed with saddle seam up the side, every pair warranted, all sizes 6 to 12. Regular price, \$4 25. Reduced to \$3 50.

Men's Glove Calf Congress Gaiters, plain wide toe, low heel, all sizes, 5 to 10, \$1 25. Ladies' Dongola Kid Button Shoes, neat opera toe, with patent leather tip, all sizes, 2 1/2 to 7, \$1 45.

IN OUR MONDAY'S GREAT SALE

Of 100 cases of General Merchandise we have 500 Men's Long, Medium and Short Oilskin Coats, Pants and Jackets that are slightly soiled from being discolored; it does not injure them for wear. Your choice for 50c. Oilskin Souwesters at 10c. 50 dozen Boys' Felt Gauntlet Gloves, leather-lined palms, at 5c.

See our list of goods on sale in Monday's ad.

RED HOUSE, 714 and 716 J Street.

A COLD SNAP. The weather of yesterday gave us a gentle reminder that winter is upon the valley, and we must make preparations for it.

Table with columns for Suits, Men's All-wool Fancy-striped Pants, and Shirts. Prices listed for various items.

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Mechanical Store, 414-416 K Street, H. MARKS, PROPRIETOR.

JAS. G. DAVIS Furniture and Carpets. Wall Paper of All Kinds. Send for Price List.

IF YOU DESIRE DELICIOUS BUCKWHEAT CAKES FOR BREAKFAST.

Use PHENIX BUCKWHEAT FLOUR, which is guaranteed to be pure, white and healthful. For sale by all grocers.

SACRAMENTO LUMBER COMPANY, Dealers in Lumber, Doors, Windows and Blinds.

MONEY TO LOAN on Watches, Diamonds and Jewelry. Advance every evening. Unredeemed pledges. UNCLE IKE'S COLLATERAL LOAN OFFICE, 302 K St., Sacramento, Cal.

The Inter-Ocean and Weekly Union.

TRUSTEE'S SALE. SEALED BIDS. Will be Received On or Before November 21st, at 12 M.

THE WORLD'S FAIR! The Chicago Inter-Ocean AND The Weekly Union!

BOTH ONLY \$2 A YEAR.

Business Cards.

Multiple business cards for various services including Military and Society Goods, Stock Broker Office, J. Wingard, John J. Buckley, A. Nathan, Waterhouse & Lester, A. L. Hart, Holl & Dunn, and others.

Advertisement for BEECHAM'S PILLS, featuring an illustration of a man and text describing the benefits of the pills.

Advertisement for THE WORLD'S FAIR, featuring text about the Chicago Inter-Ocean and The Weekly Union, and a price of \$2 a year.

Advertisement for Joe Pohlman, The Tailor, featuring text about making the best fitting clothes and a price of \$18 for suits.