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Weather Forecast. Official forecast for the twenty-four hours ending at midnight December 6th: Fair, except light rain along the extreme north-west coast; north to west winds; warmer.

EXPERT MORGAN'S REPORT. We this morning present the text of the report of Colonel R. P. Morgan, employed by the Railroad Commissioners to examine the railway systems of California, and report whether or not the rates for freights and fares charged are inequitable.

It was the office of the press of San Francisco, where the news originated, to have published this report, since it was submitted to a State body sitting in that city, and is a document of first importance to all the people, treating, as it does, of subjects that the anti-railroad press has been constantly harping upon of late as of supreme concern to the State and all its commercial and industrial interests.

The report we give very nearly in full. We have eliminated no part of it, nor a thought or suggestion of the text. But, in order to make it less lengthy, and thus consult the convenience of the readers, some passages we have placed in synoptical form, but in all such the thought and judgment of the expert have been preserved, and the parts so treated are clearly distinguished.

At this time this report cannot be commented upon as its merit and importance deserve. We invite the reading public to examine it carefully, and to read it in a judicial frame of mind. Such a document deserves from every fair minded honest and unprejudiced treatment. There appears to be no allegation in it, no conclusion reached by it that the author has not fortified by citation of facts, by deductions logically drawn and conclusions legitimately reached.

It is not surprising that the report has excited the ire of the anti-railroad newspapers of San Francisco, since it finds practically that the charges those journals have indulged in are in the main baseless regarding the rates for fares and freight upon the several railroad lines of this State.

Colonel Morgan is an railroad engineer of long experience, and for many years has made the study of railroad cost, operation and charges a specialty, and has in that direction examined and reported upon railway systems related to the entire inland commerce of the nation. That he should find, as the railroad companies of this coast have held, to wit: that in judging of the justice of rates, the conditions and circumstances of locality are of first account, and must control honest judgment in making comparisons of schedules of rates of roads of widely separated localities, is precisely what ought to have been expected, since it is the simple, unavoidable and ever present truth. No sort of sophistry, no amount of ranting, no manner of vituperation will avail as against that truth. In fact, as the expert advises the Railroad Commissioners, comparison of rates of different railway systems without comparison of conditions is so far from being just or beneficial that it is unjust and harmful.

It is said that Colonel Morgan has given the State "a black eye" by those who have assailed the conclusions reached by the expert, to wit, that railroad rates are not inequitable in California, in view of cost of construction, operation and maintenance, area traversed, volume of production, density of population, growth of industries, development of resources, cost of fuel, character and extent of grades, land monopoly, non-productive area crossed, etc.

But it is of infinitely greater importance to know if the expert has spoken the truth. Our pride may be touched and our vanity offended, but if this examiner of railway environments has told us simple truth, it will be wholesome administration of what we may have long needed. No people can afford to conceal from themselves the truth concerning themselves. That the State has not advanced and developed correspondingly with our hopes and desires the sensational press charges up to the railway system of the State, declaring that reduction of rates all around, like charge on all roads for the same distance and service, would be the cure-all for every business and industrial ill felt.

Expert Morgan, on the other hand, not only denies this conclusion, but makes clear that the proposed remedy is not only impossible, but if possible would be ruinous. He shows that California is and always will be exceptional in conditions that must be the factors in determining what are just and equitable railroad rates; that uniform rates are impossible if they are not to bear unjustly upon the people and the carriers, and finally that rates with us are not susceptible of the charge of being disproportionate to the service, or unreasonably high.

We shall consider the several branches of the report fully hereafter. At present

it is but justice to an experienced critic, but fair to the State and its best interests, that the people should read and consider the report dispassionately and weigh it with judicial carefulness. If it is error, its mistakes will be the sooner developed than under the policy of suppression and vituperation adopted by most of the San Francisco press.

THE football fad is being run to extremes. It has become a craze in college circles, and if we are to believe one-half that is told of the training to which the teams are subjected, they can have no time for study. That, however, is a matter that may be passed over, in view of the greater evil that is imminent in every game. For the play is so rough that it is a wonder that some players are not killed in every game. We read of one recent contest in which the teams were piled up ten or fifteen feet, a struggling, writhing mass of humanity. When untangled three of the men were laid out crushed into insensibility; two were so bruised and damaged as to be unable to continue; one had two ribs broken, and two had wrists dislocated, while the entire lot was covered with dirt and grime mingled with reeking perspiration, and were so exhausted that their efforts to regain composure were painful to behold. College athletics are good for youth within reasonable limits, but these extraordinary strains and exertions must be harmful. That the effect upon maturing youth is ill where there is such violence of exercise is undeniable. It would seem that the young men of America when they once take hold of athletic contests are prone to run to excess, and in this football craze the fact is made clearly apparent. Indeed, in most games and contests the on-looking public seems to have cultivated a taste that is not far removed from that which we condemn in the Spanish people for indulgence as spectators in the cruel and often deadly strife in the bull ring. If the stimulation of this taste continues that is now demanding physical exhibitions that involve death, possibly, and serious bodily injury, probably, we will be amenable to the charge of brutality in our tastes. Football as it was may be played without great danger of serious injury, but as it is now given by the many rival clubs of the country it is a contest that is but mildly characterized when described as rough.

SORROWFUL SINNERS. Men and Women Who Live on the Jagged Edge of Society. F. Loraine had been drunk on Sunday, and as he stood up before Judge Craven's yesterday, with his face badly disfigured, he did not deny it. He tried to explain something about a sidewalk, but seemed to be still dizzy from the effects of his spree.

He was sentenced to \$5 fine or two days and a half in jail. Alexander McBeth looked as though he had encountered the ghost of Banquo or some other spirit, and had been badly used. He did not exclaim to the court, "Lay on, McBeth!" etc., but merely pleaded that it was his "first time," and looked as repentant as possible.

"Well, if it is your first time, go, and sin no more," said the Judge, and then McBeth quietly withdrew. Jack Leonard, a white-haired old man, charged with vagrancy, pleaded not guilty and had his trial continued until to-day.

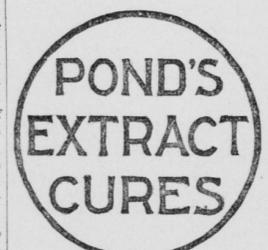
Minnie Talbot, who pleaded guilty to battery, for having struck a woman named Minnie Evans with a beer-glass, was fined \$10. Major Anderson appeared for Minnie, and asked the court that, inasmuch as it had seen fit to pardon McBeth, a Portia ought to have justice seasoned with mercy.

As the charge against the fair Minnie had originally been for assault to murder, the court did not feel inclined to make the fine less. Dan O'Neil, who became enamored of a valise at the depot and eloped with it, was captured, and pleaded guilty to petty larceny, was sentenced to ninety days in the County Jail.

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Sacramento, State of California. Probate. In the matter of the estate of URIAH UHLER, deceased. Order to show cause for order of sale of real estate should not be made. Wm. H. Bevin, as the administrator of the estate of Uriah Uhlter, deceased, having filed his petition hereto, duly verified, praying for an order of sale of the whole of the real estate of said decedent, for the purposes therein set forth, it is therefore ordered by the Judge of said court that all persons interested in the estate of said decedent appear before the said superior court at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, to wit: on the 10th day of January, 1893, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, in the courtroom of said superior court, Department No. Two, at the City of Sacramento, in the County of Sacramento, State of California, to show cause why an order should not be granted to the said administrator to sell so much of the real estate of the said decedent as shall be necessary, by the copy of this order be published at least once a week for four successive weeks in the RECORD-UNION, a newspaper printed and published in said county.

MATT F. JOHNSON, Judge of the Superior Court. Dated December 5, 1892. ROBERT T. DEVLIN, Attorney for Administrator. (Indorsed.) Filed December 5, 1892. 06-5711 W. W. RHODES, Clerk.

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BONDS FOR SALE.

PURSUANT TO A RESOLUTION OF THE Board of Directors of the Grapeland Irrigation District, duly passed at its regular meeting held the 7th day of November, 1892, notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received at the office of said board, in Grapeland, San Bernardino County, California, up to the 27th DAY OF DECEMBER, A. D. 1892, at 1 o'clock P. M. of said day, for the purchase of bonds of said district, to the amount of one hundred and fifty thousand (\$150,000) dollars. By order of the Board of Directors of Grapeland Irrigation District. J. J. OSTERHOUT, President. E. T. MYERS, Secretary. Grapeland, Cal., November 28, 1892. 45-1

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