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Weather Forecast. Northern California-Fair; warmer in the north portion Tuesday; probably still warmer Wednesday; brisk northerly winds; a hot norther in the interior.

SCURVY POLITICS. It was anticipated that any protests against by independent manhood entered the attempt to bulldoze communities in the interest of Barham and Hilborn would raise a chorus of howls from those who are aiding the pretensions of these men to be returned to Congress.

The "Record-Union" has not denied the abstract right of the two Congressmen to be candidates for nomination, but it has said and does insist that the same right inhering in other citizens who desire to exercise it and present themselves as candidates, should not occasion such indecent assault upon them as has been made in the interest of Barham and Hilborn, namely, that these aspiring citizens, because they dare oppose the ambition of the two Congressmen shall be stigmatized as "corporation hirelings" and "servitors," since the one and only claim for preferment of Hilborn and Barham is that they "fought the railroad."

The Petaluma "Argus" is the latest to echo Hilborn and Barham that they were the "friends of the people" because they "fought the railroad," therefore whoever dares to aspire honorably and frankly for nominations upon which Hilborn and Barham evidently think they have mortgages, must be slaves of the railroads. There is no other interpretation to be given to the long article when it declares:

We will ascertain this fall whether the people or the railroad are to select Congressmen, and whether they are to serve the people or the railroad. If the Republican party wishes to disgrace itself it can do so effectually and emphatically by retiring Barham and giving the nomination to a railroad tool-or allow the railroad to put up one of its enemies whom it can defeat by fine work.

Which verifies the earlier statement that Barham and Hilborn propose to bulldoze their way to nomination by denouncing through their chosen agencies every man who has the temerity to oppose them, as a "railroad hireling." That is to say, all virtue resides in the incumbents, and it is summed up simply thus: "We opposed the funding bill, we fought the railroad." The conclusion is in the estimate of these men that whoever dares to contend with us for return to Congress is a tool and a servitor of the "octopus."

That is the long and the short of the whole matter. The people will not give their approval to such a coercive means of political advancement. They will not be parties to such scurvy politics. The people love fair play, manly conduct and straightforwardness, and despise and abhor such tactics as the Barham and Hilborn following have adopted in the vain hope to frighten all possible opposing candidates from the field.

This afternoon the pioneer wholesale grocer of the Pacific Coast, T. M. Lindley, he having been the first jobbing grocer to open business on these shores, will be buried from his late home in this city where he died on Saturday. In honor of his memory the grocery business houses will all close during the funeral hours. This is a tribute of respect that is not often paid, but the memory of Mr. Lindley is well worthy of it. The lives of men should be good examples to those who come after them. Such was the case in the life of Mr. Lindley. He lived the good citizen, he was active as the good citizen, just, broadminded, liberal, self-respecting and respecting the rights of others, frugal, yet free to promote good works, he was a model for youth in or out of business. He lived here the better part of the 76 years of his useful life. Here he reared a large family and amassed a comfortable fortune by diligence, pru-

dence and uprightness. Frequently thrown down by business and other reverses and stripped of his possessions, he rallied again and again, and won by his indomitable will and his business perseverance. He was respected by all the people, honored in all business circles and beloved by those closest to him. His was the life of a citizen that justifies passing out in the usual order, and making his example the text for approving recognition.

It was related in the dispatches yesterday that the women who have been made widows in Cuba by Spanish soldiers, whose sons have fallen before Spanish bullets and those whose lovers have been cut to death by Spanish cavalry, took to arms under Maceo, and made up a large and formidable body of Amazons. When Maceo made his recent attack upon the trocha four companies of these women were engaged, and they fought like demons. Exhausting their ammunition, they seized the machete and rushed in a charge upon the Spanish with irresistible fury. They cut and slashed right and left, as no other soldiers ever had, and the fight became absolute slaughter until Maceo had to order it stopped, as the enemy was beaten and helpless. But the women refused to be called down, and proceeded to butcher the wounded, and finally the commander had to threaten to shoot down the infuriated beings, before he could control them and put an end to the horror. This is characteristic of women everywhere, no matter what nationality. At once the most gentle, refining, merciful and gracious of God's creation, once aroused and carried away by her emotions, her hates and the memory of her wrongs and the opportunity for revenge, she is the most cruel, merciless, and unforgiving and ruthless of human beings. History all along the line proves this to be true, and it is a fact that enters very deeply into the question of woman suffrage, and argues against placing women in an attitude where the conditions would appeal to characteristics that are not ennobling, merciful or gentle.

There is not sufficient warrant for believing the story that Secretary Olney has advised Spain to send more troops and crush the rebellion in Cuba, and that if Spain abandons the island the United States will undertake the pacification of Cuba. In the first place the probability is that if Secretary Olney has written to Spain at all about sending troops to Cuba, it is in the way of intimation that unless the rebellion is suppressed speedily, the United States may feel obliged to recognize the belligerency of the Cubans. Secondly, that if he has said anything at all about pacification, it was with reference to tendering the good offices of the United States to bring about peace. It is wholly improbable that he has said that the United States Government will undertake the pacification of Cuba, for if Spain abandons the island pacification will ensue as a matter of course. There would, in that event, be nothing to settle. Besides there is nothing in the act or attitude of Spain suggesting any intention to abandon Cuba. So, then, there is nothing to give the Secretary warrant for assuming that to be probable or possible. The story does not hang together well.

The President has sent an ultimatum to Spain concerning the prisoners taken from the schooner Competitor. It amounts to this, that these men must not be executed, that they may be freed or tried anew, and afforded every opportunity for defense; that the United States Government regards the conviction of the men as an outrage, and cannot think of their being executed. It is said in Madrid dispatches that in all probability new trials will be ordered for the men before the proper tribunals, and that eventually they will be discharged. This is the tenor of the dispatch regarding the matter. We can rest assured that the President has not said to Spain that citizens of the United States can invade Spanish territory to make war on the Government, and not take the lawful consequences. It would be simply impossible for us to take any such stand as that. The President has not therefore said that the men should not be punished if properly found guilty.

The story came yesterday with much circumstantial detail that the English and the Egyptians have achieved a decisive victory over the Dervishes at Firket. It is said that 1,000 Dervishes were slain, their commander killed and the whole body of one of their armies of the advance put to flight. If this be true, and there seems no reason to doubt it, though we should remember that the Dervishes have no newspapers, telegraphic wires or war reporters, then it is most fortunate for the invaders of the Sudan. The Dervishes are superstitious, and a serious reverse at the outset of the campaign will do much to dispirit them. However, they are fatalists also, and the Khalifa may be able to soon convince them that nothing has happened that was not bound to take place. But nevertheless they will fight hereafter with less boldness, in memory of the terrible flight to which we are assured they were put at Firket.

MABEL FORBES ESTATE. Annual Account of Her Guardian, Meda F. Stephenson.

Meda F. Stephenson, guardian of the person and estate of Mabel Forbes, a minor, has filed her annual account in the Superior Court.

The estate has received \$2,596 in dividends, \$1,425 from sales of real estate, and there was cash on hand September 15, 1890, amounting to \$531; total receipts, \$4,552 34. The disbursements amounted to \$3,055 55.

There is cash on hand, \$896 79; Capital Gas stock, \$5,786 27; Ogden Bank stock, \$1,425; total assets, \$8,108 07. The petition has been set for hearing on the 19th instant.

School Exhibition. The fourth annual exhibition of the Sutter District School, on the Riverside road, will be given Friday evening next. A. Hunter, the teacher, extends a cordial invitation to all persons interested in the advancement of education.

A GIRL'S STORY.

She Tells of the Recent Cyclone in Oklahoma.

The following letter will give "Record-Union" readers some idea of what pranks a cyclone or tornado plays. It is written by a young girl, Miss Grace Ebb, of Homestead, Oklahoma, to her aunt, Mrs. Lizzie Hubbard, of Kansas, who is now visiting in this city with her brother, Dr. F. M. Shattuck, who is attending for publication, of course, it gives in rude details some sketches of tornado work that brings one nearer to the true horror of the thing. The writer says:

"We had a big cyclone here on Friday night, the 10th, about 8 o'clock. It was a mile wide and twenty miles long, that we know of. We have not heard any more than of twenty miles of its work. It may be longer—we do not know as yet.

"We were the most motley outfit you ever saw—just literally drenched with mud and water. Almost everything we had is gone. The house is unroofed, the stable gone, windows smashed out, buildings all gone. Even the pasture fence is torn up, and great big trees are torn to pieces and twisted down.

"In some places the earth is actually scooped out in great holes or basins. Our farm wagon and buggy were carried off and smashed up, so that there is not a piece that can be repaired. We had about one hundred yards of muslin overhead for ceiling, and the floors were carpeted. The muslin was torn to pieces, and the carpets taken up and whipped to pieces. Our clothing was blown off the nails, and we had a large box that was sitting out of doors, but not a thread of it can be found.

"You never saw a more distressed looking neighborhood, but, then, every one seems to be thankful that they are alive after it all. We do not know what to look, or what to do. The week before two little boys of our neighbors were struck and killed by lightning. One of the fathers was away and never got home until to-day. They say it is nearly every day. The storm took everything almost in its course."

AMUSEMENTS. There was a good first-night audience at the Clunie Opera-house last evening to welcome Frank Bacon's delectable comedy company in its return to the boards of its early triumphs. The play was "The Fair Rebel." It is a pretty sentimental story of the war of the rebellion. The plot is not deep; it involves nothing intricate and nothing improbable. It is full of patriotic feeling and of love and heart and pure friendship. It is a military play in which the blue and the gray are freely mingled. It will present to the old favorite that assisted by the new people, Winsome, pretty, natural Virginia Jackson, to the surprise of the audience, was "leading lady," playing first part and doing it with much success. But, then, Miss Jackson does all she undertakes on the stage with such heartiness, sincerity and abandon of self for the part that it was to have been expected that she would succeed as "A Fair Rebel." Still the audience must have remembered how much better she is in character acts, in low comedy and in those dialect and make-up parts that made her a favorite while she was yet little more than an amateur. Jennie Weidman had the sou-brette part and filled it capably. She has improved in appearance and her act, and notably in giving more of precision and sharpness to her enunciation. She had a warm welcome from an approving audience. Miss Weidman is one of the most reliable stock actresses on the road, not pretentious, but modestly and intelligently earnest. Frank Bacon had a hearty welcome. His name is too well known here and his comedy act too highly appreciated to call for comment. The part he has in "A Fair Rebel" gives him but small opportunity. William Burness, Howard Scott, Miss Mai Wells, well known here, had congenial parts, and played them with entire satisfaction. Norval McGregor is the new leading man, and so far as this play gives opportunity to judge him, we would say that he is capable. Stanley Ross, William Beckwith, Albert Ford, George Hermance, Kitty Kerwin and others, fill the list, and are acceptable in the roles given them. All in all, Bacon's company is a good one, and his friends here will be pleased to learn that it has been playing to success throughout the coast, and that Mr. Bacon now has headquarters at the Oakland Theater, which is under his management, "A Fair Rebel," with its new scenery, its act and stage set and its interior and exterior of Libby Prison, will be repeated to-night.

A musical and literary entertainment will be given at the Calvary Baptist Church, on I street, between Twelfth and Thirteenth, this evening, when the following programme will be rendered: Quartet, "Italia," Mrs. Turrell, Miss Andrews, Messrs. Longbottom and Milkin; piano duo, Misses Beede and Alken; solo, "Anchored," W. Dunster; piano solo, Miss Lettie Daul; song, "No Little Boy of Sals," Miss Bell Muddox; harmonica solo, Mr. Whittier solo, "A Day Dream," Mrs. Frank Bergman; male quartet, Messrs. Dunster, Barkworth, Gibson and Hamilton; recitation, "Miracle of Cana," Miss May Powers; piano solo, Miss Ellsworth; solo, selected, Miss Eva Reeves; instrumental trio, mandolin and zithers, Messrs. Townsend, Meyer and Bauer.

WHEELMEN'S CLUB. Improving and Extending Wheelways—What the Yellow Badge Means.

The Capital City Wheelmen had a large meeting last evening, elected more applicants to membership, talked wheelway and bicycle path betterments and extensions, and heard reports of collecting and solicitation committees. President Emils announced the ten names of members chosen to represent the club in the recreation ground project.

The club approved what was done at Rocklin the other day by its representatives, and proposes to do all it can to encourage cycle organizations in the foothills and the construction of paths in that direction.

The new path to Galt was announced.

THE CZAR. Of Russia was crowned last week at an expense of 400,000.

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FRED TROUT, 1015 Broadway, Sacramento, Cal.

TRIAL JURORS.

Citizens Drawn for Jury Duty on the 15th Instant.

The following venire of trial jurors has been drawn in Judge Hinkson's court, returnable on the 15th inst.: From the city—P. H. Menken, J. G. Martine, John Morrison, Henry Fuchs, P. Breckendorf, S. Morris, C. Joy, John Riley, J. B. Deserve, Louis Caffero, J. A. Lafferty, W. W. Bassett, B. O. Smith, Edward Ellis, G. W. Harlow, S. Dwyer, P. F. Sands, George G. Locke, J. H. Farley, S. Spencer, M. Haley, J. G. Fields, C. Crocker, E. D. Shirland, William Lannagan, Gus Lavenson, J. M. Woods, John Kites, J. S. Jones, H. Myers, W. B. Geiser, W. I. Wallace, R. H. Hawley, J. J. Long, A. Brewer, J. Frank Clark, M. Ginsberg, N. Stein, P. Hallanan, J. N. Payne, William Eberhardt.

From Oak Park—L. H. Plate, Patrick Dugan, J. P. Culverston, E. S. Mason, F. C. Houghton, A. H. Gebhard, E. T. Gross.

From Elk Grove—Harvey Coons, I. W. Roden.

From Isleton—S. Hodopp.

From Sutterville—H. B. Bagwell.

From Union House—O. J. Stephenson.

From Perkins—W. W. White, F. W. Menke, Thomas Howrigan.

From Walnut Grove—Edmund Date.

From Antelope—John Donahue.

From Florin—W. A. Gardner, P. H. Smith.

Mrs. Siller's Funeral.

There was a large attendance of relatives and friends of the late Mrs. Catharina Siller at her funeral on Sunday, from 1711 Thirteenth street. Many very handsome flower-pieces were sent by friends, with which to beautify the casket and grave.

Rev. Gehler conducted the services, and the music was furnished by Miss Clinch and Mrs. C. F. Howard. The pallbearers were C. Brown, L. W. Grothen, Harry Lau, George Howarth, Al Cook and Charles Kemitz. Deceased was the mother of Mrs. Emma Siller, Mrs. P. Grossler, J. L. and L. G. Siller.

New Trial Denied.

In May, 1895, Peter McGraw sued the Friend & Terry Lumber Company for \$10,000 damages for injuries received in falling into an excavation in the sidewalk along the company's property at Twelfth and J streets.

In December last he recovered judgment for \$3,000, and subsequently the company moved for a new trial. Yesterday the motion was denied by Judge Johnson.

Accident to a Young Lady.

While horseback riding last evening, Miss Eugenia Hughes was thrown at Eleventh and F streets, in consequence of her saddle turning. Fortunately, she was not seriously injured.

For several blocks the horse ran with her while she lay across his back unable to check him or protect herself in any way.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE. BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF FORECLOSURE made and entered by the Superior Court of the County of Sacramento, State of California, on the 25th day of May, A. D. 1896, and an order of sale issued out of said court and directed to the Commissioner on the 1st day of June, 1896, in an action wherein George F. Wittenbrock is plaintiff and the undersigned is administrator of the estate of Maria Louisa Cass, and Simon Cass and W. H. Cass are defendants, lying and being in the city of Sacramento, county of Sacramento and State of California, and bounded and particularly described as the east half of lot number eight in block bounded by I and J streets and Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets, as designated on the map of said city.

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