THE PURE FOOD EXPOSITION.

Was Formally Opened at Armory Hall Last Evening.

Hundreds of People Attended and Examined the Interesting Exhibit.

The Sacramento Pure Food and Health Exposition is an accomplished fact that several hundred people can vouch for.

The doors of Armory Hall were thrown open last night and the public took advantage of it to a much larger extent than is usual on an opening night, and everything inside the hall was in readiness also, which is another thing that does not always happen. There were a few minor things that amounted to slight drawbacks, the main one being that through a misunderstanding not quite enough electric wiring had been done and one or two of the booths that had expected to present some of their exhibits in cooked form through the medium of the electric fluid were unable to do so, but the matter will be rectified before Monday.

Armory Hall is generally a bare, uninviting place to the observer of esthetic taste, but it was not so last night. A transformation had taken place and the artistic taste and decorative ability of George Boyne had so changed its appearance that the soldier boys who march and wheel and go through the varous military evolutions on its floor at the word of command would hardly have recognized it.

Gay streamers, festoons and banners of green, gold and crimson were gathered in the center of the ceiling and radiated to the sides and corners, while a green valance had the upper part of the walls. The gallery was draped in golden tint, with shields and banners interspersed and at the back of the stage was a handsome background of old gold color, relieved by pink.

Around the sides of the hall and occupying the center of the floor were handsome booths, decorated with gay colors and containing a variety of food exhibits that made one's mouth water in contemplating them. The vegetarian and the man who believes that cereals and fruit are all that are necessary to sustain life, health and strength, would have thought it a delightful sight and even the omnivorous eater would have found a variety that would have been most satisfactory to him.

C. A. Neale's orchestra discoursed sweet music throughout the evening, the selections being choice and beautiful.

BEAUTIFUL BOOTHS.

On the right hand, as one enters, he finds a direct attack made on his palate, a sweet and insidious seduction that draws him irressistibly—especially if he has his best girl with him. With a background of palm leaves and a foreground of the most inviting varieties of candy, Barton's exhibit appeals both to the eye and the palate and he succumbs.

Next comes the booth of L. L. Lewis & Co., decorated with old gold color, setting off to good advantage the handsome specimens of stoves and the artistic arrangement of tin and agate ware and other articles of stock, and the visior tarries to take more than a passing glance.

Hall, Luhrs & Co. come next with a handsome double booth, one half trimmed with old gold and black, the exhibit being Shasta Water, and the other half in pink and white, with a fine exhibit of oysters, fish, etc., a very appetizing display.

C. R. Splicalo & Co. of San Francisco had a very pertty booth trimmed in greed and white and filled with all sorts of macaroni, from vermicelli to egg noodles and Italian paste, and almost made one wish he could be a subject of Victor Emmanuel long enough to learn to eat it like a Neapolitan does.

The Sacramento Cracker Company had one of the handsomest booths in the hall, trimmed with white and yellow, with a very tasty sign containing the name of the firm. Cracker connoisseurs would have looked a long time over the exhibit in the booth before they would have found any known variety of crackers lacking, and they were handsomely put up.

S. H. Farley had a large booth, prettily trimmed in pink and green and furnished in the most attractive style with groveries sufficient in quantity and variety to furnish a small grocery store.

Next to him was the yellow and red booth of Frank Jones, who exhibits the new telescopic coffeepot, which makes coffee on the French plan and does not require a double refrecting magnifying glass to demonstrate its superiority. Here also was a center of attraction on the Palo Alto Welsh rarebit, and the crowd bit at the bait, which was a rare one and each one duly sampled it.

The handsome booth of the Sacramento Electrical Engineering Supply Company came next, furnished with all late inventions for electrical cooking and housekeeping aids. A generation ago no one would have dreamed of cooking his food or ironing his clothes by lightning, but here it was a thing accomplished, and griddles, broilers, ovens, teakettles with an electrical attachment and irons heated by the electric fluid were displayed. Could Colton Mather have looked upon the collection, he would have thought the days of witchcraft had come again. A tastefully decorated booth in blue, yellow, green and pink, came next, illustrating also the world's progress. Above it was a sign which read: "The 'Record-Union,' a seven-day issue. Admittedly the leading paper of the great Sacramento Valley. The favorite home paper and therefore the best medium for advertising." Here were seen the paper matrices on which the impression had been made by the type made by the linotype machines, with the stereotype "turtles" to which the impression of the type made on the matrices had been transferred, ready for printing. It was an interesting exhibit and attracted much attention from the promenaders and gave them a partial insight into the work on a modern newspaper.

The next exhibit was not contained in a booth, being that of Frank Ruhstaller. Two handsome glass cases contained, respectively, a quantity of brewing barley and bale of hops without a wrapper. They were flanked on either side by handsome brass-bound kegs of from five to twenty gallons dimensions. On the tops of the cases were generous goblets representing the foaming nectar dear to Gambrinus.

Clark & Stanley's booth, trimmed with the national colors, displayed to good advantage the stock in trade of a cigar factory.

The Columbia Broom Factory's booth, also in a red, white and blue dress, had a prettily arranged display of the new brooms that sweep clean.

Beesley & Son, the up to date grocers, had a very pretty booth, decorated in crimson and white, with a nicely arranged exhibit of baking powder, syrup and their special soap, which they distributed with a generous hand.

The Buffalo Brewing Company had a circular frame well filled with the attractive array of bottles of "New Brew."

The booth of Charles P. Knox, with a tempting display of Knox's gelatine, completed the list on the sides.

In the center of the floor was the large booth of Lievre, Fricke & Co. of San Francisco, whose specialty is Red Seal baking powder, and who propose to furnish visitors with tempting hot biscuit during the exposition, to test its merits.

Adjoining it is the booth of the Sacramento Packing and Drying Company, trimmed in pure white, setting off to great advantage. The wainscoting, so to speak, was composed of a variety of shipping boxes, filled with various kinds of canned fruits, marked with the stencils the firm uses in shipping its goods to London and various cities in Scotland, where it does a large trade. There was a handsome display of jellies and jams, canned fruit, etc., while toothsome canned asparagus and fruit were offered for sampling. It was one of the most inviting displays on the floor.

The Del Monte Milling Company had a booth adjoining, trimmed in black and gold, where was displayed a great variety of meal, etc.

R. H. Roda had a display of stamps and marking ink for linen, and adjoining him was the stand of Jaffe's remedies.

Across the aisle was Weber & Co.'s exhibit of Star creamery butter, which attracted much attention, and a supply of excellent buttermilk, which was much appreciated.

A visit to John H. Spohn's booth convinced the observer that Aunt Jemima had come to town. She did not climb a tree this time, but baked the nicest of griddle cakes, sweetened them with a dash of sugar and dispensed them to an ever increasing crowd, which thoroughly appreciated them and moved on to the other part of the booth, to slake their thirst with root beer.

Across the aisle was the handsome display of syrups, jellies and jams of the Pacific Coast Syrup Company, and many stopped to taste the toothsome orange jam offered them.

The booth of Neubourg & Co. was adjoining, a fine display being made of various kinds of flour and meal, with samples of the grain from which they were made. This was an excellent exhibit, showing what a variety of products the firm manufactures.

The largest booth of all, extending almost the width of the hall, was that of the Johnson-Locke Mercantile Company, in a setting of green and filled with a fine exhibit of the variety of goods of which the firm makes a specialty. There were germea, Royal baking powder, Ivory soap, Kingsley's starch, Baker's chocolate and cocoa, etc., and deft maidens served those who took their places at little tables within the booth with delicious cocoa porridge, and the tables were not allowed to remain vacant long.

SCENES AS SEEN.

The picture the hall presented was a lively one. The colors of the booths had been skillfully harmonized and they presented a very attractive appearance. The crowd kept moving, except at two or three favorite centers, where the edibles were distributed. Here was seen the woman who would have liked to partake of the offered viands, but was too retiring to push her way through the crowd and contented herself with looking wishfully on. Next her was the woman who had her hands full of circulars and samples of every kind, with a long roll of macaroni tucked under her arm, and an alert eye to see that she had allowed no opportunity of accumulating them to escape her. She pushed her way into the front rank where any eating was to be had, and took care that she was not slighted, and when she left the hall, looked as if she might better have brought a basket. And there was her more modest neighbor, who sampled nothing and contented herself with using her eyes and asking questions and the matron who hung on the arm of her husband and looked at the exhibits and at the crowd. Each enjoyed herself in her own way and voted the exposition a perfect success.

OPENING ADDRESS.

The opening address was made by A. A. Jost, as follows:

Ladies and Gentlemen: The hour has arrived when it is fitting and proper that we should formally open this, the first Food Exposition ever held in Sacramento. As you will observe, a transformation scene has taken place in this hall. The dull walls and ceiling have by the addition of banners, streamers and festoons manipulated by the master hand of the artist and decorator, been made to appear a canopy of grace and beauty.

This bare floor, which has only known the roll of the drum, the sound of the bugle and the tramp, tramp, tramp of our citizen soldier, has given place to these handsomely decorated booths, loaded with good things to tempt the palate, and presided over by enthusiastic demonstrators and salesmen, who vie with their more attractive and lovely neighbors, who spare neither smiles nor words to try and convince you that pure food is the motto.

No placard on the outer wall "Free lunch, 10:30 to 2," but we guarantee all who may attend not only food for thought, but an assortment of good things to eat and drink that will satisfy the most exacting appetite. I hope we may all learn an object lesson from this exposition which may benefit us, in so much that we learn what to buy, how to buy it, and then how to prepare it to the best advantage.

Our sister city, the southern metropolis, Los Angeles, just closed a week ago an exposition of a similar character, and it was a grand success.

It is the object of the Grocers' Union and Managers Buckley and Pease to give you a high class entertainment and I hope we may merit your confidence and co-operation, in which event this exposition will go down in history as a gala week for Sacramento.

At the close of his remarks Mr. Jost was the recipient of a handsome bouquet, consisting of a single cauliflower, accompanied by a mammoth card from one of his admirers.

BLAIR'S ADDRESS.

He then called on H. R. Blair, the Secretary of the Executive Committee, who spoke as follows:

Ladies and Gentlemen: I shall cut my remarks as short as possible, believing that in some cases the shorter an address the better it is, especially when you have so many more interesting things to claim your attention than listening to a first speech.

The object of this food exhibit is primarily an educational one, and here you will find the whole science of domestic economy practically expounded. You can learn for yourselves how to properly care for the inner man and I would call the attention of sweethearts, wives and mothers to the fact that Emerson's saying that the way to a man's heart is through his stomach has never geen gainsaid.

It is as necessary to feed a man properly (or a woman either) as it is to properly care for a horse. If your husband, father or brother is a hard working man, one who has to exercise muscular force in his struggle for your daily bread, see to it that he goes to his work properly equipped with food of the right kind to sustain his muscular force. It is wonderful how much a woman can lighten the labors of those she feeds by feeding them properly. The same dinner that will lighten the work of a man doing hard labor might not set so easy on the stomach of a bank clerk or bookkeeper. But all that will be more interestingly explained to you than I am able to do it by Miss Tracy in a series of cooking lectures she will deliver every afternoon, and I believe no woman in Sacramento will be ignorant of the proper methods of preparing food after attending these lectures.

I will guarantee that if you follow Miss Tracy's instructions your cake will always be cake and not all dough. The queer results of the blind efforts of some alleged cooks remind me of the story of the little girl who was having a desperate struggle learning to sew. Her mother asked her what she was making and the little one replied that she was trying to make her doll a jacket, but it came out a pair of pants.

To those demontsrating the worth of their commodities at our first food exhibit I will state that an exhibit of this kind is of inestimable value to them. You can reach more people here in a few hours with the same effort than you could in a week by a house to house or store to store demonstration.

No matter how good a thing is, too much of that same thing becomes after a time tiresome, and Mr. Buckley, believing that variety is the spice of life, has incidentally provided a fine series of interesting features for your entertainment. You will be treated every evening to exciting bicycle races on the first home trainer ever exhibited in this city. The fact of the Capital City Wheelmen having charge of the races is a guarantee of their interest. Another most pleasing and wonderful invention is the vitascope or moving pictures. Our baby show has already over sixty entries and the articles to be given to the prize winners are most appropriate and valuable.

The musical features will be attended to by Charles Neale, who has done more towards furnishing the citizens of Sacramento with good instrumental music than any other conductor of music in the State. Mrs. Moeller and Miss Lida Clinch will see to it that you are treated to the very best vocal music. Some of our most beautiful children will treat you to fancy dances and our best solo instrumentalists will help drive dull care away.

Now, do not spare the exhibitors. They came here to have you taste their wares and see that you do so. Eat, drink and be merry, and don't forget to come often.

Mr. Blair also received a bouquet more in the line of utility than beauty.

MANAGER BUCKLEY TALKS.

Manager Buckley being called on made a few remarks, saying that it was with pleasure that he met intelligent people. He always met intelligent people at food expositions. He hoped at this time to demonstrate the value of them. There were always a few drawbacks on an opening night, but Monday they would be remedied. There will be a variety of attractions next week, amongst them the vitascope. Mr. Blair made a slight mistake in the number of babies entered for the show, as it was nearly 100. He hoped those present would come as often as they could, stay as long as they could and eat everything in the exhibit, as that was what it was brought there for. He welcomed them all.

The programme for Monday is as follows:

March—"Palatinus".....R. B. Hall
Overture—"Bonnie Scotland"... Catlin
Waltz—"Il Fiore di Italia"...Stephani
Selection—"Butterflies' Enjoyment"
..... Gung'l
Barn dance—"Happy Darkies"....
.....A. E. Godfrey
Grand selection—"Martha".... Flotow
Dance—"Brownie's Patrol"..Woodward
Selection—"Rob Roy".....De Koven
(Special Attractions.)
Washington's Birthday Celebration.
Oon to 6 p. m. packages crackers free.
Cooking lecture, 2:30 p. m., by Miss Susan M. Tracy. Subject, "Soups and Soup Stock."
Leoni—Serpentine Dances.
Chinese Dances.
Home Trainer Races, etc.

The food exposition management will be able to-morrow night to put on the most wonderful invention of this or any other age—the Animatoscope, which is the name for a machine that projects or throws enlarged pictures of scenes, natural and otherwise, on a large screen at the lower end of the hall. These pictures are of moving, life-like figures and are so realistic that they seem of the life. Among the many machines, from the vitascope or cinemotorgraph to the latest, the machine selected seems the best in all ways. The pictures embrace a realistic representation of the Sunset Limited train coming on at a speed of 60 miles an hour. One can almost hear the roar and rumble of the wheels, and as the train draws up almost into the faces of the audience, you expect each instant to hear the puff, puff, of the engine and the slowing down of the train to a standstill.

There is "The Widow Jones' Kiss," as rendered by John C. Rice and May Irwin in their play, and faithfully presented. This scene has always made a big hit East and wherever presented. The other great pictures are the surf scene at Coney Island, showing the breakers rolling and tumbling in on a smooth and sandy beach. Then comes the "Gardener and Naughty Boy," "The Charge of Mounted Police," fire scene, rescue at sea, streets of New York scene, etc. The animatoscope is certain to make a big hit here.

The entries for the baby show continued to pour in yesterday until the hundred mark was reached at 9 o'clock last night. The century entry was Master Willie Thornton, whose happy papa came all the way from the country, seven miles out, to register the heir and master of the household and contest for a prize. The exhibition of prizes, while showing only about three-fourths, yet attracted much attention. As one lady stated yesterday she would give $5 if necessary to see this baby show and she "would not for worlds miss it." As to-morrow is Washington's birthday and a legal holiday the hall will undoubtedly be jammed and packed with visitors, all will be welcomed.

GENERAL AZCARRAGA.

May be Sent to Cuba as Superior Officer to General Weyler.

It is probable that General Azcarraga, the Spanish Minister of War, will be sent to Cuba as Captain-General Weyler's superior officer.

Azcarraga is considered one of the shrewdest diplomats and intriguers in all Europe. He and Campos have been political enemies for years, and the downfall of Campos was brought about by the machinations of his enemy. It now seems probable that the Cuban campaigner will yet have the present War Minister's portfolio, in which case Azcarraga may expect to be sent to Cuba. Azcarraga, it is said, will not repeat the atrocities of Weyler, but will begin operations by releasing all American prisoners. Should he fail in his work, the vengeance of Compos would be complete. The ups and downs of political life are many, epecially in Spain.

BOWLES GOES FREE.

He Has Been Released by Justice of the Peace Henry.

Justice Henry has discharged William Bowles, who was accused of criminally assaulting Addie Wing, a fourteen-year-old girl. The Court held that the evidence was not of a sufficiently conclusive character to warrant the belief that a jury would convict Bowles.

The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children has, however, done its duty in the case. The society deserves the commendation and support of the public in its efforts to bring to justice both men and women who seek to debauch little girls. Several of those whom it has prosecuted for their infamous conduct are now behind the State Prison bars.

There are others who deserve to be there, but they are cunning enough to prevent the society's officers from securing the necessary proofs of their perfidy to convict them. The facts are know, however, and in at least one instance citizens have been aroused to such a pitch of indignation that there has been danger of extreme measures being taken against the offender.

Hints for Green Cyclists.

Don't try to catch the handle-bar with your teeth.

Don't look around to see if the hind wheel is following.

Don't be surprised if the front wheel shows a disposition to turn into a yard and lie down for a rest.

Always fall on your right shoulder, and do not let your ear strike the ground till a few seconds later.

When you lose a pedal don't get off and go back to look for it. It's there on the machine still, and if you'll feel for it long enough you'll find it again.

Should you find a runaway horse on your trail, keep close to the curb until he has passed. Then make a spurt and seize him by the tail and put on the brake.

Never kill a pedestrian when it can be avoided, but when you do kill one, dismount and say you're sorry.—Hub.

Irish women are said to have the most beautiful eyes, complexion and hands in the world.

AN AWFUL SORE

A Babe's Untold Suffering And Mother's Many Sleepless Nights.

CUTICURA WORKS WONDERS.

I herewith write out in full the beginning and end of that terrible disease, Eczema, which caused my babe untold suffering, and myself many sleepless nights.

My baby was born seemingly a fair, healthy child, but when she was three weeks old a swelling appeared on the back of her head, and in course of time broke. Every one called it a boil, and, now it had broken, would soon heal, but that was only the beginning of the trouble. It did not heal but grew worse, and the sore spread from the size of a dime to that of a dollar. I used all kinds of remedies that I could think of but nothing seemed to help, in fact it grew worse, her hair fell out where the sore was and I feared it would never grow again. It continued until my aged father came on a visit, and when he saw the baby he told me "to get CUTICURA SOAP and CUTICURA ointment right away." To please him I did so, and to my surprise, by their use the sore began to heal over, the hair grew over it, and to-day she has a nice head of hair, her skin is as fair as a lily, and she has no scar left to recall that awful sore.

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ELIZABETHAN PLAYERS.

Treated as Vagabonds in the Native Town of Shakespere.

About a mile beyond Stratford, Welcombe wood creeps down along the left. Just beyond, the dingles wind irregularly up from the foot-path below to the crest of Welcombe hill, through straggling clumps and briery hollows, sweet with nodding bluebells, ash, and hawthorn.

Nick and the master player paused a moment at the top to catch their breath and to look back.

Stratford and the valley of the Avon lay spread before them like a picture of peace, studded with blossoming orchards and girdled with spring. Northward the forest of Arden clad the rolling hills. Southward the fields of Feldon stretched away to the blue knolls beyond which lay Oxford and Northhamptonshire. The ragged stretches of Snitterfield downs scrambled away to the left; and on the right, beyond Bearley, were the wooded uplands where Guy of Warwick and Heraud of Arden slew the wild ox and the boar. And down through the midst ran the Avon southward, like a silver ribbon slipped through Kendal green, to where the Stour comes down, past Luddington, to Bidford and away to the misty hills.

"Why," exclaimed the master-player—"why upon my word, it is a fair town—as fair a town as the heart of man could wish. Wish? I wish 'twere sunken in the sea, with all its pack of fools. Why," said he, turning wrathfully upon Nick, "that old Sir Thingumbob of thine, down there, called me a caterpillar on the kingdom of England, a vagabond and a common player of interlude.

"Called me a vagabond. Me! Why, I have more good licenses than he has wits. And as to Master Bailiff Stubbes, I have permits to play from more Justices of the Peace than he can shake a stick at in a month of Sundays!" He shook his fist wrathfully at the distant town, and gnawed his mustache until one side pointed up and the other down. "But hark 'e, boy, I'll have my vengeance on them all—ay, that will I, upon my word, and on the remnant of mine honor—or else my name's not Gaston Carew!"

"It it true, sir," asked Nick, hesitatingly, "that they despitefully handled you?"

"With their tongues, ay," said Carew bitterly; "but not otherwise." He clapped his hand upon his poniard, and threw back his head defiantly. "They dared not come to blows—they knew my kind! Yet John Shakspere is no bad sort—he knoweth what is what. But Master Bailiff Stubbes, I ween, is a long-eared thing that brays for thistles. I'll thistle him. He called Will Shakspere rogue—hast ever looked through a red glass?"

"Nay," said Nick.

"Well, it turns the whole world red. And so it is with Master Stubbes. He looks through a pair of rogue's eyes and sees the whole world rogue. Why, boy," cried the master player, vehemently, "he thought to buy my tongue. Marry, if tongues were troubles he has bought himself a peck. What! Buy my silence? Nay, he'll see a deadly flash of silence when I come to my Lord the Admiral again."—John Bennett in St. Nicholas.

NEW TO-DAY.

AN ILLUSTRATED LECTURE WILL be given by Rev. Haskett Smith, M. A., for the Sacramento Lecture Association, at the Congregational Church on MONDAY EVENING, March 1st, upon the subject of "Armenians and Constantinople." Season tickets, $1; single admissions, 50 cents. 1t

NOTICE OF SALE—NOTICE IS hereby given by the undersigned that he will on SATURDAY, the 27th day of February, 1897, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. at the front door of the County Courthouse, in the city of Sacramento, California, sell at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, in United States gold coin, the following personal property: Stock of new and second-hand clothing, etc. Said sale will be made subject to confirmation by the Superior Court of Sacramento County, California. Said stock of goods may be inspected upon application to the assignee at 504 J street, Sacramento City, California.

Dated Sacramento, February 20, 1897.
FRANK F. ATKINSON,
Assignee of Jacob Altmark, an insolvent debtor.
W. W. Foster, Attorney for Assignee. fe21-5t

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RED MEN'S BALL.

AS TURNER HALL COULD NOT BE procured February 22d, the Improved Order of Red Men and Wenonah Council have decided to celebrate on TUESDAY EVENING, February 23d, by giving a grand ball at Turner Hall. The committee has completed all arrangements and assures all who attend a good time. Tickets admitting a gentleman and lady, 50 cents; extra lady, 25 cents. fe21-23-2t

LECTURE ASSOCIATION.

FREE LECTURE ON "SANICULT," by Professor Wm. Manning, at Pythian Castle TO-DAY, at 2 p. m. New method of curing diseases without drugs. Will be here two or three weeks. Will reduce or increase flesh without laborious exercise. 1t*

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BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE office of the undersigned until 5 o'clock p. m. on TUESDAY, February 23, 1897, for one centrifugal pump of 6,000 gallons capacity to be placed in position in new pumping plant at foot of S street, in Sacramento City. Specifications on file at office of the City Clerk. A certified check made payable to Ctiy Clerk for an amount not less than 10 per cent. of amount of bid must accompany each bid. The Board of Trustees reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
fe14-10t M. J. DESMOND, City Clerk.

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE county of Sacramento, State of California. In the matter of the estate of THOMAS M. LINDLEY, deceased.
NOTICE OF SALE—Under authority of an order of sale granted by the Superior Court in and for the county of Sacramento, State of California, dated February 19, 1897, we will sell at private sale the following described real estate: Lot one (1) in the square bounded by F and G and Twelfth and Thirteenth streets, in the city of Sacramento, county of Sacramento, State of California, as laid down on the official map of said city, and the improvements thereon; and the following described personal property to wit: 240 shares of the capital stock of Lindley & Co., 3 shares of the stock of the Sacramento Park Association, one note of Conn Kelliher, one watch chain, one locket, two diamond ear-ring pendants, one pair gold sleeve buttons, two ladies' breast pins, one gold badge Sacramento Pioneer Association, one gray horse, one phaeton, one buggy, one gold ring.
The sale will be made on or after the 8th day of March, A. D., 1897, and bids will be received at the office of Douglas A. Lindley, No. 222 K street, Sacramento City, State of California. Terms of sale: Cash, gold coin of the United States, 10 per cent. of the bid payable at the time of sale and balance upon confirmation by this court.
DOUGLAS A. LINDLEY,
WALLACE A. BRIGGS,
Executors of the estate of Thomas M. Lindley, Deceased.
Dated February 20, 1897. fe20-td

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IN pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the county of Sacramento, State of California, duly given and made on the 15th day of January, 1897, in the matter of the estate of MARY HADWICK, deceased, the undersigned Administrator of said estate will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, gold coin of the United States, on WEDNESDAY, March 3, 1897, at the late residence of said deceased, No. 316 M street, Sacramento, Cal., commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., all of the personal property belonging to said estate, consisting of household furniture, beds, bedding, carpets, pictures, silver and glassware, books, piano, curtains, stoves, etc.
Dated, February 18, 1897.
WM. B. MILLER,
Administrator of the estate of Mary Hadwick, deceased.
William W. Rhoads and Charles H. Oatman, Attorneys for Administrator. fe19-13t

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT, STATE of California, county of Sacramento.
In the matter of the estate of THOMAS O'BRIEN, deceased.
Notice is hereby given that FRIDAY, the 5th day of March, 1897, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, and the Courtroom of said court, at the Courthouse, in the city of Sacramento, county of Sacramento, and State of California, has been appointed as the time and place for proving the will of said Thomas O'Brien, deceased, and for hearing the application of Thomas F. O'Brien, for the issuance to him of letters testamentary thereon.
Witness my hand and the seal of said court, this 19th day of February, 1897.
(Seal.) W. B. HAMILTON, Clerk.
By E. S. Wachhorst, Deputy Clerk.
Indorsed: Filed February 19, 1897.
W. B. HAMILTON, Clerk.
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R. M. WILLIAMS, President.
H. E. WATERS, Secretary.
Turlock, Cal., February 2, 1897. fe9-td

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