HOBO SHOT BY A BRAKEMAN.

A GANG ATTEMPTS TO CAPTURE A TRAIN.

When Put Off They Showed Fight and One Was Shot in the Leg.

The west-bound overland train, due in this city at 4:50 o'clock p. m., pulled out on time last evening, in charge of Conductor McIntire.

Nothing of importance happened until the bridge spanning the river had been left behind and the train had rolled into the little village of Washington.

Here were congregated about twenty specimens of the hobo variety, who were individually and collectively bent on beating their passage to San Francisco, and each individual member of the gang boarded the moving train, swarming up like bees that had been poked by a boy.

The conductor immediately stopped his train, and he and his brakemen, Ryan and Stewart, succeeded in dislodging the brakebeam tourists.

The train was again started, but had not gone twenty yards before the gang were again aboard, and again the train came to a halt. The crew once again started in to unload the persistent hobos, and to emphasize their action pistols were shown.

One of the brakemen—Stewart, the citizens of Washington say—caught up with one of the gang, whom he gave a crack on the head. While he was thus employed, another member of the gang picked up a cobble, which he viciously threw at the trainman, missing him by a narrow margin.

Stewart, an eye witness afterward said, stuck his pistol out in the direction of the rock-throwing hobo and fired two shots, with apparently no effect, as the fellow shot at ran like a jackrabbit.

He stopped running pretty soon, however, and then it was found that one of the shots had entered the calf of his left leg and inflicted a painful, though not serious, wound.

The train lingered but a moment, and then went on its way to the Bay, but not before one member of the hobo gang had swung himself safely upon a brakebeam.

The man who received the contents of the brakeman's pistol gave the name of Charles Main. He said he belonged at San Francisco. He is, he said, about 18 years of age, and knows none of the other members of the hobo gang except his "partner," whose name he refused to divulge.

When asked why he was attempting to steal a ride, Main replied:

"Well, you see, I was broke, and—well, you know a fellow will take chances when he is in that condition."

He was subsequently loaded into a wagon and taken to the County Hospital at Woodland.

The train crew has the sympathy of the Washington people, who brand the hobo gang as being the most aggressive, persistent and insolent which the village has had to contend with in a long time.

SUPERIOR COURT.

(Department One—Johnson Presiding).
Friday, August 27th).

Estate of A. D. Oakley, deceased, will admitted to probate, letters to petitioner, D. W. Taylor, appraiser.

Estate of Louisa Amarine, deceased—Sale of real estate confirmed.

Estate of Ann Egan, incompetent—Letters of guardianship to Anna Egan, bond, $2,500.

Estate of M. B. Dillard, deceased—Family allowance of $25 a month from July 23d.

Estate of Manuel Dubois, deceased—Sale of personal property confirmed.

Maria W. Wentworth vs. Frank H. Basler—Demurrer overruled; fifteen days to answer.

D. S. Baker vs. his creditors—Petition for discharge granted.

J. E. D. Baldwin vs. his creditors—Petition to set aside personal property as exempt, granted; petition to set aside homestead, granted.

Estate of Madison Howard, deceased—Special letter granted to Mary E. Howard; bond, $2,900; appraisers, Thomas R. McConnell, James Costello and Julius Everson.

(Department Two—Johnson, Judge.)

Estate of James Egan, deceased—Letters of administration granted; bond, $2,500; J. H. Sherburn, appraiser.

Estate of Adelle C. Carter, deceased—Will admitted to probate; letters testamentary granted; A. G. Wilson, appraiser.

Estate of James Bethell, deceased—Petition for partial distribution granted.

Estate and guardianship of James Bagnell, an incompetent—Sale of real estate to Harlow confirmed.

Estate of Susan Toland, deceased—Final account of administrator approved and resignation accepted.

Estate of William Hadwick, deceased—Petition for partial distribution granted.

Estate of Kate Ryan, deceased—Order of sale granted.

Albert H. Starr vs. Silas Carle et al.—Leave to file amended complaint granted; motion to strike out portions withdrawn.

PERSONAL MENTION.

T. H. B. Varney, the San Francisco wheelman, is at the Golden Eagle.

Mrs. L. S. Taylor is home again from San Francisco.

C. P. Hall, the theatrical manager, is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Merkley have returned from a visit to San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Levy of San Francisco are stopping at the Golden Eagle.

Judge Johnson has returned from his month's vacation in the wilds of Trinity County looking and feeling much improved in health, and with two fine bucks to his credit as the result of his woodcraft.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Naughton left yesterday for a three weeks' visit at Pacific Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gaffett were visitors in the city yesterday from Clipper Gap.

Major Michael N. Winans, the popular Indian War Claims Agent, has formed a party and gone for a two weeks' outing to Trinity County, where he expects to locate mining property that will make the ice fields of Klondike appear small fry.

Superintendent of Public Instruction Samuel T. Black yesterday returned from Shasta Retreat, where the Northern California Teachers' Convention has been in session.

Chas. Meyer, C. Miller and W. Davis have returned from a two weeks' visit to Santa Cruz. They went awheel.

Dr. Girardy and wife have returned to the city from a months' visit to Alameda, Monterey, Pacific Grove and other places.

Ed. Balz leaves to-day for Santa Cruz. With a couple of friends he will make the trip from Oakland by wheel.

Dr. Metcalf has returned from his sojourn at Santa Cruz.

Mrs. M. D. Buck and children have gone to Pacific Grove to remain until after the Methodist Annual Conference session.

DIED WHILE AT HIS LABOR.

CHRISTIAN NELSON SUDDENLY EXPIRES.

Heart Disease the Cause—He Was Found by His Brother Employes.

Shortly after 7 o'clock last evening workmen in the Twelfth street railroad yards found the dead body of Christian Nelson lying between the tracks on the north levee, opposite Ninth street.

Nelson was well known to the workmen, and some doubts were had as to whether or not he was really dead. The police were notified, and when it was found that Nelson had been dead for some time the Coroner was called and took charge of the remains.

Christian Nelson lived with his wife and daughter at 609 Thirteenth street. He was about 60 years of age, and had been in the employ of the Southern Pacific Company for many years.

A few minutes before the body was found by the workmen Nelson had called to the little daughters of C. P. Westervelt, whose parents reside at 314 Ninth street, and asked them regarding the condition of Mrs. Westervelt's babe, which was sick. He bade the little girls good-by, saying that he was going home. He started eastward between two strings of cars standing on the sidetrack, and had gone but a few yards when he fell, and was evidently dead when he struck the ground.

Nelson was well known in Sacramento, having lived here many years. He was temperate in his habits, and did not use alcoholic liquor in any form. Death is supposed to have resulted from an attack of heart disease.

Hotel Arrivals.

Arrivals at the Golden Eagle Hotel yesterday: W. P. Rich, C. B. McAllister, J. W. Knigmew, New York City; Jos. Baruch, Denver; C. J. Sehler, Kansas City; W. H. Funge, Dwight Edwards, Ben Levy and wife, Wilfred Page, Thomas H. B. Varney, L. Peiser, C. A. Thurston, San Francisco.

Formerly Lived Here.

The girl, Florine Pourier, who was shot and badly wounded at Colusa the other day by an aged Mexican, is a native of this city. Her father was once engaged on the river steamboats, but removed to Colusa a few years ago.

Furniture at Auction.

On Tuesday, the 31st., at 10 a. m., R. E. Greer & Co., will sell at auction all the elegant furniture, carpets, etc., of the dwelling at 2411 L street. Everything is of the best, and the articles have been in use but a couple of months.

Walk In.

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ROBBED A CONFIDING GIRL.

ACT OF A GRAY-HAIRED SCOUNDREL AT OAKLAND.

How Confiding Annie Brockfeldt Was Deceived by the Old Rascal.

One of the saddest stories heard in many days was that related in writing by deaf and dumb Annie Brockfeldt to Officer Greene last night. The young woman, who is apparently about 20 years of age, is pretty and modest and despite her misfortune she fell a victim to one of the utterly unfeeling bunco sharks who infest most of the cities of the coast. He was, too, a man old enough to be her grandfather.

Briefly stated, the girl's story is as follows: About four months ago she left her home in Fulton, Mo., to visit her mother, who was ill at Portland, Or. Her mother died a few days ago, and with what money she had left, something over $100, Annie started back to Fulton, where her mother had owned a house and lot.

On the steamer plying between Portland and San Francisco the unfortunate girl made the acquaintance of an elderly man who gave the name of H. J. Hinkel, and who appeared to sympathize deeply with her. He assisted her at the landing and accompanied her to the railroad depot at Oakland, where he volunteered to purchase her railroad ticket for her.

She gave him $95 for the purpose, and supposed that he had made the purchase. He saw her safely aboard the train, and then informed her that he would go forward to the smoker to enjoy a cigar.

He went and never returned, and that is why deaf and dumb Annie Brockfeldt, according to her story to Officer Greene, came to be in Sacramento, nearly penniless and without friends.

Annie Brockfeldt describes the heartless man who worked the confidence game on her as being about six feet tall and weighing about 185 pounds. His complexion is dark. He wore a stiff black hat, and was, she thought, about 60 years old. She stated that she has no relatives in this country, and that her grandparents live in Rotterdam, Holland.

The girl is at the Western Hotel, but how she is to continue her journey is a problem at present unsolved. She has the appearance of being truthful and honest.

Articles of Incorporation.

Articles of incorporation were yesterday filed in the office of the Secretary of State as follows:

Morton & Lippitt Company. Formed to conduct a general merchandise business. Principal place of business, San Francisco. Directors — Philip Lippitt, Milton A. Lippitt, Hilda Morton, J. H. Morton, Abe Brown and B. Berwin, all of San Francisco. Capital stock, $100,000. Subscribed stock, $51,000.

Curtin Mine and Milling Company. Principal place of business, San Francisco. Directors—John Curtin, E. H. Baxter, A. McDonald, William M. Murphy and G. W. Fletcher, all of San Francisco. Capital stock, $500,000. Subscribed stock, $5,000.

Farmers' and Merchants' Transportation Company. Principal place of business, San Francisco. Directors—Nathan Crocker, James B. Brooks, William D. Newhouse, George D. O'Neil and Hugo D. Newhouse, all of San Francisco. Capital stock, $50,000. Subscribed stock, $250.

California Cycleway Company. Formed to construct and operate bicycle roads, etc. Principal place of business, Pasadena. Directors—H. M. Dobbins, W. R. Stevenson, E. Groenendyke and E. R. Bradley, Pasadena, and S. V. Landt, Los Angeles. Capital stock, $150,000. Subscribed stock, $50,000.

No Pay Dirt There.

A very ragged and very unwholesome-looking tramp stopped at the back door of a small house in Avondale, and addressing himself to the housewife who appeared in response to his knock he said: "Madam, perhaps you have heard of the great gold strike on the Klondike River?"

"I don't believe I have. Only strike I've heard of is the one about coal."

"You don't know, then, madam, that the gold fairly sticks to one's clothes, until it can be taken out with a curry-comb?"

"I don't believe any such thing."

"Nevertheless, it is quite true. A man who lies down to sleep on the ground wakes in the morning with chunks of gold stuck to his coat, like burrs."

The woman looked at him very coldly.

"Yes, ma'am. I suppose that these clothes of mine, if assayed properly, would yield about $12,000."

The woman remained silent.

"But what, madam, is gold to me—little dabs of it like that? I have made my pile up there and am independent. I don't need to bother about such little things. What I was going to say is that, feeling a large sympathy for striving folks, I would be willing to trade you this coat and these trousers for your husband's Sunday suit, allowing you the benefit of whatever ore you find in assaying.

The woman shook her head negatively.

"You won't exchange?"

"I guess not. Trade my husband's good clothes for them old rags that's as dirty as the ground? No, sir. You git out!"

"Rags! rags! My dear madam, is it possible that you cannot look beyond the fabric to the vast mine of opulence it conceals? Think of what wealth is buried in the depths of this warp and woof!"

"In one minute I'll git scaldin' water. I've seen gally tramps in my life, but never run across one that was so proud of his old dirty clothes that he valued them at money price. You git, or I'll scald you!"

"But, madam"——

She turned toward the stove and he fled. "Never mind," he called back. "You will yet come to want, though your pride be high. Any one so superficial and material"——

He ducked just in time to escape the stream of steaming water and galloped down an alley.—Chicago Record.

An Easy Problem.

"Would you," he said, after they had been sitting there in the dark for a long, long time, "be angry with me if I were to kiss you?"

She was silent for a moment. Then in tones the meaning of which was not to be mistaken, she replied.

"Why do you suppose I turned down the light an hour and a half ago?"

And yet he wondered, poor fool, how other young men who had started far in the rear were able to pass him in the race of life.

COMMERCIAL.

WHEAT PRICES AGAIN DROP AT SAN FRANCISCO.

Barley Falls Into Line, With Declining Quotations—Oat Market in a Waiting Condition.

San Francisco, Aug. 27th.

Wheat took another tumble to-day. Shippers are out of the market and quotations are entirely nominal. The Chicago market dropped rapidly and the local speculative market followed. Barley is in the same boat with Wheat; local millers and malsters are not buying and the foreign demand for brewing is quiet; quotations are nominal; cargo down from Port Costa yesterday for export and another to-day. The Oat market is in a waiting condition; uncertainty in the Wheat market unsettles other grains; prices are firm, however; coast Oats are coming in freely. Rye is steady, owing to scarcity; crop is short and farmers are not selling freely.

Peaches and Pears in bulk are doing a trifle better for choice stock; medium and poor grades are, if anything, lower, some poor Cling Peaches going as low as $20 per ton. Strawberries are weak. Raspberries are still scarce and bring fancy prices.

All that can be said of the Butter market is that it is fairly steady; sales during the past few days have been slow on fresh goods, and Creamery is accumulating somewhat. Eggs are steady; those sent in as fancy are nothing to brag of as to quality; plenty of Eastern Eggs.

Produce Quotations.

FLOUR—Family Extras, $5 25@5 35; Bakers' Extras, $5@5 10.

WHEAT—Shipping Wheat, $1 50 per ctl for No. 1 and $1 52½ for choice; Milling Wheat, $1 57½@1 62½.

BARLEY—Feed, 92½@93¾c per ctl; Choice, 95@97½c; Brewing, $1@1 07½ per ctl for No. 1 and 97½c@$1 for coast.

OATS—Poor to fair, $1 05@1 12½ per ctl; good to choice, $1 15@1 25; fancy feed, $1 30@1 35 per ctl; New Red, $1 10@1 15; New Salinas, $1 12½@1 20; Gray, $1 10@1 15.

CORN—Large Yellow, $1 07½@1 12½; Small Yellow, nominal; White, $1 10@1 15 per ctl.

RYE—$1 07½@1 10.

BUCKWHEAT—Nominal.

MIDDLINGS—$19@22 per ton.

BRAN—$14 50@15 per ton.

ROLLED BARLEY—$21@22 per ton.

CLIPPED OATS—$1@2 per ton more than the whole article, as to quality.

HAY—Wheat, $12@15; Wheat and Oat, $11@14; Oat, $10@12; Barley, $9@12 for the best; Alfalfa, $8 50@10; Clover, $7 50@9 50; Stock, $7@9; Compressed Wheat, $12 50@14.

STRAW—30@40c per bale.

HOPS—Good to choice, 5@7c; fancy, 9@10c.

BEANS—Bayos, $3; Butter, $1 10@1 50; Pink, $1 50@1 60; Red, $1 30@1 50; Lima, $2 15@2 25; Pea, $1 25@1 50; Small White, $1 30@1 40; Large White, $1 30@1 40; Blackeye, $1 90@2; Red Kidney, nominal.

POTATOES—In boxes and sacks—Early Rose, 35@40c per ctl; River Burbanks, 40@50c per ctl; Salinas Burbanks, 75@90c per ctl; new Sweet, ¾@1c per lb.

ONIONS—Silverskins, $1 05@1 15 per ctl; Pickle, 65@75c per ctl.

VEGETABLES—Cucumbers, 20@25c per box for Bay; Garlic, 2½c per lb; Green Peas, 1½@2½c per lb; String Beans, 2@3½c per lb; Bay Squash, 25@30c per box; Tomotoes, 35@50c per box for River and 20@50c for Bays; Green Corn, 50c@$1 in sacks, 65@85c per box for Berkeley, and 75c@$1 25 in crates; Green Peppers, 25@35c per box for Chile and 40@50c per box for Bell; Egg Plant, 35@50c per box; Green Okra, 25@50c per box; Dried do, 60@85c per lb; Lima Beans, 2@3c per lb; Pickles, 1½c per lb for No. 1 and 65@75c per ctl for No. 2.

FRESH FRUITS—Apples—Large boxes, 40@65c; Crab Apples, 15@35c per box.

Berries—Strawberries, $3@4 per chest for large; Blackberries, $1 75@2 50 per chest; Raspberries, —@— per chest; Huckleberries, 10@c per lb.

Cantaloupes—40c@$1 per crate Nutmegs, 20@35c per box.

Figs—Small boxes, 30@40c; large, 50@75c.

Grapes—20@35c per box for Fontainbleau and Sweetwater; Muscat, 40@50c; Black, 30@40c; Tokay, 40@50c per box; Seedless, 40@60c; Isabella, 75c@$1; crate Grapes bring 5@10c more than boxes.

Nectarines—White, 25@30c per box; Red, 50@60c.

Peaches—25@60c per box; in bulk, $17@25 per ton for Freestone and 25@35 for Clings.

Pears—Common, 20@35c; choice, 40@50c per box; in bulk, $17@22 50 per ton.

Plums—20@40c per box and crate.

Quinces—40@50c per box.

Watermelons—$10@17 50 per hundred; picked sizes higher.

CITRUS FRUITS—Oranges, Valencias, $2@3 per box; other varieties, nominal; Mexican Limes, repack, $5 50@6 per box; California Lemons, $1@2 50 for common to choice and $3 for fancy.

TROPICAL FRUITS—Bananas—$1@2 per bunch; Pineapples, —@— per dozen; Smyrna Figs, 12@14c per lb; Persian Dates, 6c per lb.

DRIED FRUIT—New Crop—Apricots, 5@6½c per lb for Royal, 7@8½c for Moor Park; Prunes, 3@5c; Black Figs, jobbing, 3@3½c; Raisins, 3c for 2-crown, 4c for 3-crown, 5c for 4-crown and $1 10 for London layers; Peaches, 5½@7½c; Nectarines, 5½c; Pitted Plums, 4½@5½c; Pears, 5@5½c for quarters and 6½@7c for halves.

Old crop—Jobbing prices: Apples—Evaporated, 5½@6c; sun-dried, 3@4c. Peaches, 4@6½c; peeled in boxes, 10½c. Pears—Fancy, 5@6c; choice, 3½c; standard, 2½c; prime, 2c. Plums—Pitted, 4@4½c; unpitted, 1@1½c. Prunes—4 sizes, 2½@2¾c; Nectarines, 4@5c. Figs—Choice White, 3c; do Black, 4c.

BUTTER—Creamery—Fancy, 22½c per lb; seconds, 21@22c. Dairy—Fancy, 20c; good to choice, 17@19c lower grades, 14@16. Pickled—17@18c; Firkin, 16@17c; Creamery Tub, 19@21c.

CHEESE—Fancy mild new, 8c; fair to good, 7@7½c; California Cream Cheddar, 10@11c; Young America, 8@9c; Eastern, 12@15c; Western, 11@12c.

EGGS—16@18c per dozen for store and 20@25c per dozen for ranch; Eastern, 15@18c; Duck Eggs, 16@17c per dozen.

POULTRY—Live Turkeys, 13@14c per lb for Hens and 14@15c for Gobblers; Roosters, $3 50@4 for old, $3 50@5 50 for young; Broilers, $1 75@2 50 for small, $2 75@3 for large; Fryers, $3@3 50; Hens, $3@4; Ducks, $2 75@3 for old and $2 50@3 50 for young; Geese, 75c@$1 per pair; Goslings, $1@1 50; Pigeons, $1@1 25 per dozen.

GAME—Nominal.

Meat Market.

Following are the rates for whole carcases from slaughters to dealers:

BEEF — First quality, 5½@6c; second quality, 5c; third quality, 4@4½c per lb.

VEAL—5½@6½c for large and 7@8c per lb for small.

MUTTON—Wethers, 5½@6½c; Ewes, 5@6c per lb.

LAMB—7@7½c per lb.

PORK—Live Hogs, 3½@3⅝c per lb for heavy and 3¾@3⅞c for small; dressed, 5@6c per lb.

SACRAMENTO MARKET.

Trade Fairly Good and Quotations Unchanged.

Sacramento, Aug. 27th.

Trade continues fairly good in local produce circles. Prices are as previously quoted.

Following are the retail prices for the various articles mentioned:

FLOUR—Family Extras, $2 90 per 100 lbs; $1 50 for 50 lbs.

FRUIT—Oranges, 50c per doz; Limes, 20c; Lemons, 15@25c per dozen; Cocoanuts, 10c each; Bananas, 25c per dozen; Strawberries, 3 for 25c; rapes, 3c per lb; Apples, 3c; Pears, 5c; Peaches, 3@5c; Watermelons, 10@25c; Cantaloupes, 10c; Plums, 3c per lb; Nectarines, 3c per lb.

NUTS—New Walnuts, 15c per lb; New Almonds, 12½c; New Brazils, 12½c; Pecans, 16c; Filberts, 15c.

DAIRY PRODUCE—Butter—Pickle, 20@21c per lb; Mountain, 20c; Valley Roll, 18@20c; Petaluma, 40c per roll; Creamery, 50c per roll. Cheese—California, 15c per lb; Young America, 17c; Eastern Creamery, 15@20c; Genuine Swiss, 40c; American Swiss, 30c; Martin's Creamery, 20c; Sage Cheese, 20c; Neufchatel, 10c.

VEGETABLES—Green Corn, 15c dozen; Peas, 5@7c per lb; Cucumbers, 6 for 5c; Tomatoes, 2½c per lb; Celery, 10c per head; Cauliflower, 10c per head; Artichokes, 40c per doz; New Potatoes, 2½c per lb; Turnips, Beets, Parsnips, Carrots, Lettuce, Raddishes, Leek and Green Onions, 12½c per dozen bunches; Onions, 2c per lb; Peppers, 5c per lb; Okra, 5c per lb; Summer Squash, 2½c per lb; Wax Beans, 5c per lb; Green do, 5c per lb; Lima Beans, 5c per lb; Cranberry Beans, 5c per lb; Egg Plant, 5c per lb; Sweet Potatoes, 2½c per lb.

POULTRY—Hens, 60c each; Spring, 50c each; Broilers, 25@40c each; Tame Geese, $1 50 each; Tame Ducks, 75c each; Young Turkeys, 20c per lb.

EGGS—California, 25c per dozen; Eastern, 20c dozen.

MEATS—Beef—Prime Rib Roast, 12½@15c; Loin Steak, 12½@15c; Rump Steak, 10c; Chuck Roast, 10c; Rump, 8c; Brisket, 8c; Chuck Steak, 10c. Veal—Loin and Rib Chops, 15c; Roast Veal, 12c. Mutton—Leg, 11@12½c; Loin and Rib Chops, 12½c; Mutton Stew, 8c; Shoulder Chops, 8c. Pork—8@12c per lb; Corned Beef, 8@12½c; Sausage, 12½c; Vienna Sausage, 15c; Bacon, 8@13½c; Ham, 12½@13½c.

HAY AND GRAIN—Oat Hay, 65@75c per cwt; Alfalfa, first cutting, 45@50c; second and third cutting, 50@55c; Whole Barley, $1 20; Ground Barley, $1 25; Feed Oats, $1 20@1 50; Middlings, 95c; Bran, 85c; Straw, 50@55c; Corn, $1 35 per ctl; Cracked Corn, $1 45.

GRANITE MINING CANDLES—(Wholesale)—10-oz, 6¼c; 12-oz, 7c; 14-oz, 7½c; 16-oz, 8½c.

ELECTRIC LIGHT CANDLES—(Wholesale)—10-oz, 5¼c; 12-oz, 6c; 14-oz, 6¾c; 16-oz, 7½c.

GASOLINE—(Wholesale)—Stove Gasoline, cases, 17c; Stove Gasoline, bulk, 11½c; 86-degree Gasoline, cases, 25c; 86-degree Gasoline, bulk, 20c; 63-degree Benzine, cases, 16½c; 63-degree Benzine, bulk, 11c.

COAL OIL—(Wholesale)—Pearl, 17c; Star, 17c; Eocene, 19c; Elaine, 22c; Extra Star, 21c; Water White (bulk), 11½c.

California Fruit Sales.

Porter Brothers Company sold at open auction August 27th California fruit as follows:

At Minneapolis—Pears—Bartletts, $1 20@1 40. Prunes—Gros, $1 05@1 15; German, $1. Plums—Egg, 60c.

At Boston—Grapes—Tokay, $1 10@1 55 per single crate. Pears—Bartletts, $1 05@1 20. Plums—Japan, 65c. Peaches—25@65c.

At Chicago—Pears—Bartletts, 65c@$1 25 per box and 25@55c per half crate; B. Clairgeaus, 90c@$1 10; others, 70c@$1. Plums—Grand Duke, $1 35; Egg, 45@90c; Japan, 70c. Grapes—Tokay, $1 05@1 65 per single crate; Muscat, 75c@$1 25. Prunes—Gros, 90c@$1; German, 70@95c; others, 35@85c. Peaches—35@70c.

At Montreal—Pears—Bartletts, $1 45@1 85 per box and 80@85c per half box. Nectarines—85c@$1 05. Peaches—65@80c.

The Earl Fruit Company sold California Fruit August 27th as follows:

At London—Pears—Duchess (half boxes) averaged $2 22; Howell (half boxes) averaged $2 46; Hardy (half boxes), $1 38@1 56, average, $1 44; Clairgeau (half boxes), $1 68; Bartletts (half boxes), $1 44@1 62, average $1 49. Plums—Per single crate, Giant, $3; Duke, $2; Magnum Bonum, $2 02; Yellow Egg, $2 28; one lot sold at $1 52. Prunes—Per single crate, Gros, $1 92@2 40, average, $2 22; Silver, average $2 40. Nectarines—Per single crate, $2 64. Peaches—Orange Cling, $1 38@1 56, average $1 49; Susquehanna, $1 20@1 56; average $1 32.

At New York—Pears—Bartletts, $1 10@1 75. Grapes—Tokay, 55c@$1 10; Malaga, 55c@$1 20. Peaches—McDevitt Cling, 40@85c; California Cling, 35@50c; Albright, 40@85c; Susquehanna, 35@55c. Prunes—Gros, 75c@$1 15. Twenty-eight cars sold to-day.

At Boston—Grapes—Tokay, $1@1 70. Prunes—Gros, 75@80c. Peaches—Crawford, 30c@$1 10; Mount Rose, 75@95c; Susquehanna, 40@60c; Orange Cling, 35@60c; McDevitt, 40@60c. Eight cars sold to-day.

Eastern Grain Markets.

New York, Aug. 27th.

WHEAT—August, $1 00¼; September, 98¼c; December, 94⅞c.

Chicago, Aug. 27th.

WHEAT—August, 93½c; September, 93c; December, 90c; May, 91⅝c.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCKS.

San Francisco, Aug 27th.

Morning Session—Alta, 12c; Bullion, 6c; Caledonia, 21c; C C Va, $1 20; Imperial, 2c; Con New York, 4c; C Point, 22c; G & C, 47c; Justice, 10c; Mexican, 32c; Occidental, 60c; Overman, 12c; Savage, 26c; Seg Belcher, 8c; Sierra Nevada, 64@63c; Union, 38c; Y Jacket, 35c.

Afternoon Session—Mexican, 23c; Savage, 28c; Potosi, 35c; C Point, 32c; Y Jacket, 36c; Kentuck, 8c; Belcher, 37c; Sierra Nevada, 68c; Bullion, 7c; Seg Belcher, 10c; Alta, 10c; Occidental, 61c; Con New York, 5c.

Closing Quotations—Alta, 10c; Alpha, 15c; Andes, 18c; Belcher, 37c; B & B, 72c; Bullion, 8c; Caledonia, 20c; Challenge, 37c; Chollar, 71c; Confidence, 95c; C C Va, $1 25; Imperial, 2c; C Point, 33c; Exchequer, 4c; G & C, 48c; H & N, 91c; Kentuck, 6c; Mexican, 23c; Occidental, 70c; Ophir, 64c; Overman, 12c; Potosi, 34c; Savage, 28c; Scorpion, 4c; Sierra Nevada, 67c; Silver Hill, 1c; Union, 41c; Utah, 16c; Y Jacket, 37c; Standard, $1 85.

Practical.

A gentleman said to the son of a poor tradesman, who had earned several prizes at school, "So you have earned your spurs?"

"Yes," replied the practical boy, "and I shall soon have to earn my boots."—Pittsburg Bulletin.

MANY NEW FALL GOODS TO BE SEEN IN SHOW WINDOWS.

ON SALE TO-NIGHT

AFTER 8 O'CLOCK,

18---Tempting Specials---18

Children's Handkerchiefs, 2½c Each.
Children's Colored Border Handkerchiefs in neat borders, well worth 5c.
TO-NIGHT, 2½c EACH.

Ladies' Chemise, 50c Each.
Ladies' White Muslin Chemise, made of good muslin and nicely trimmed with embroidery, in all sizes. A splendid value at 75c.
TO-NIGHT, 50c EACH.

Children's Cotton Hose, 10c Pair.
Children's Black Ribbed Cotton Hose, double heel, a good value at 20c.
TO-NIGHT, 10c PAIR.

Ladies' Muslin Drawers, 25c Each.
Ladies' White Muslin Drawers, made of good muslin and trimmed with embroidery. Former price, 40c.
TO-NIGHT, 25c PAIR.

Curtain Swiss, 3c Yard.
Lace Striped Curtain Scrim, 38 inches wide, very choice patterns.
TO-NIGHT, 3c EACH.

Apron Ginghams, 4½c Yard.
Apron Ginghams in plaids and checks, a standard make.
TO-NIGHT, 4½c YARD.

White Goods, 4c Yard.
Checked and Striped White Goods, a good quality. Regular 7½c grade.
TO-NIGHT, 4c YARD.

Ladies' Shoes, $1 40 Pair.
Ladies' Fine Chocolate Kid Lace Shoes, pointed tip, most all sizes. A splendid $3 shoe.
TO-NIGHT, $1 40 PAIR.

Men's Shoes, $2 45 Pair.
Large mixed lot of Men's Fine Shoes in calf, vici kid and cordovan, coin and needle toes. Forner prices, $4 and $5.
TO-NIGHT, $2 45 PAIR.

Men's Derby Hats, $1 50.
Men's Derby Hats in black and brown, the latest fall styles and good value at $2 and $2 50.
TO-NIGHT, $1 50 EACH.

Black Rubber Combs, 5c Each.
A fine large Black Rubber Dressing Comb, a regular 12½c comb.
TO-NIGHT, 5c EACH.

Cloth Brushes, 8c Each.
A good Solid Back Cloth Brush, extra quality bristle, good value at 15c.
TO-NIGHT, 8c EACH.

Drapery Silks, 39c Yard.
30-inch Fancy Figured Drapery Silks in some very handsome patterns. Worth 75c.
TO-NIGHT, 39c YARD.

Men's Golf Shirts, 49c Each.
Men's Golf Shirts, soft bosoms, with white neck bands and wrist bands, very neat patterns. Splendid value at 75c.
TO-NIGHT, 49c EACH.

Men's Handkerchiefs, 5c Each.
Men's Colored Border Handkerchiefs, good size, well worth 10c.
TO-NIGHT, 5c EACH.

Men's Overshirts, 19c Each.
Men's Madras Cloth Overshirts, cut full, pointed yoke, outside pocket. Well worth 35c.
TO-NIGHT, 19c EACH.

Men's Stanley Shirts, 39c Each.
Men's Stanley Overshirts with collars and cuffs attached, all neat patterns. Good value at 65c.
TO-NIGHT, 39c EACH.

Men's Undershirts, 35c Each.
A large mixed lot of Men's Undershirts in light and medium weight. Former price, 75c.
TO-NIGHT, 35c EACH.

HALE BROS. & CO.

825 TO 835 K STREET.

CITY OFFICIAL ADVERTISING

SEALED PROPOSALS.

BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE office of the undersigned until 5 o'clock p. m. on MONDAY, September 6, 1897, for repairs to Corporation House in this city. Specifications on file in office of A. A. Cook, architect. A certified check, made payable to City Clerk for an amount not less than 10 per cent. of bid must accompany each bid. The Board of Trustees reserves the right to reject any and all bids. M. J. DESMOND, City Clerk.
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SEALED PROPOSALS.

BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE office of the undersigned until 5 o'clock p. m. on MONDAY, August 30, 1897, for painting flagstaff in City Plaza. Specifications on file in office of City Clerk. The Board of Trustees reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
au25-td M. J. DESMOND, City Clerk.

ORDINANCE NO. 358.

Prohibiting the Establishment or opening of Saloons Within One Block of Any Public School Building Within the Limits of the City of Sacramento, Passed August 13, 1894.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE City of Sacramento ordain as follows:

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person or persons to establish, open, or cause to be established or opened, any barroom, public saloon, or other place where wines, or spirituous, or malt liquors are sold by the glass or bottle, to be drank upon the premises, within one block of any public school building within the limits of the City of Sacramento.

Section 2. Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be fined in the sum of fifty dollars, and in case of default in payment of said fine shall be imprisoned for the period of twenty-five days; and each day that said saloon shall remain open after the person or persons opening or establishing the same shall have been found guilty thereof, shall constitute a new and separate offense, and subject the offender to a like fine or imprisonment as hereinbefore set forth.

Section 3. This ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after its passage.

ORDINANCE NO. 363.

An Ordinance to Amend Section Thirteen of an Ordinance of the City of Sacramento, Numbered Two Hundred and Seventy-six, passed June Twenty-two, Eighteen Hundred and Ninety-One, and Entitled, "An Ordinance Regulating Saloons, Barrooms, etc., and Providing the Amount of City Licenses to be Paid by Keepers of Saloons, Barrooms and Other Places Where Wines and Liquors are Sold," Providing in the Amendment for License Fees, Passed September 24, 1894.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE City of Sacramento ordain as follows:

Section 1. Section thirteen of an ordinance of the City of Sacramento, Numbered Two Hundred and Seventy-six, entitled, "An ordinance regulating saloons, barrooms, etc., and providing the amount of City license to be paid by barkeepers of saloons, barrooms and other places where wines and liquors are sold," passed June 22, 1891, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 13. All licenses collected under this ordinance shall become due and payable at the office of the City Collector on the first days of January, April, July and October of each year, except when the business is commenced during a pending quarter, in which case the license for the fraction only of the quarter, at the rate of fifteen dollars per month, together with that of the ensuing quarter, shall be due and collectible.

Section 2. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage.

ORDINANCE NO. 366.

An Ordinance to Amend Section One of an ordinance Numbered Three Hundred and Twelve, Passed April Third, Eighteen Hundred and Ninety-Three, Entitled, "Providing for the Condemnation, Construction, Alteration and Repair of Sidewalks, Bulkheads and Curbing," and changing in Amendment Width of Sidewalks, Approved October 25, 1894.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE City of Sacramento ordain as follows:

Section 1. Section one of an ordinance numbered Three Hundred and Twelve, passed April third, eighteen hundred and ninety-three, entitled "Providing for the condemnation, construction, alteration and repair of sidewalks, bulkheads and curbing," is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. The owners, possessors, occupants, claimants or persons having in charge, care or control, any lot or lots fronting on a street of the city, are hereby required, ordered and directed to construct (where not constructed) and keep in good repair, sidewalks, bulkheads and curbing in accordance with the ordinance as follows: All sidewalks on the following-named streets shall be fourteen (14) feet wide, to-wit: On the east side of Front street from I to R streets; on both sides of Second street from I to M streets; on both sides of Third street from I to the alley between L and M streets; Fourth and Fifth streets from I to the alley between K and L streets; Sixth street from H to the alley between K and L streets; Seventh, Eighth and Ninth and Tenth streets from the alley between H and I streets to the alley between K and L streets; Eleventh and Twelfth streets from I to the alley between K and L streets, and also on both sides of I street from Front to Eleventh street; J street from Front to F