ON COAST AND EASTERN TRACKS.

Opening Day of the Meeting at the City of Stockton.

Starting in Running Events the Cause of Much Comment.

Three Horses Left at the Post in the First Event—The Betting Public Fare Badly in the 2:30 Pace, Dictatus, the Favorite, Being Badly Beaten—Races on Eastern Tracks.

STOCKTON, Sept. 20. — The initial day of racing at Agricultural Park given by the Stockton Driving Club brought out a large crowd for the first day of the meet. The grand stand and betting ring were well filled. The track was fast, and in the best condition it has been for years. The betting public did not fare very well. It picked Dictatus to take the 2:30 pace, but he could not get better than second until two of the horses were sent to the barn. The starting in the running events was very poor, and caused some comment. Three horses were left standing in the first one, in which only two out of nine got a good start. Three of the starters in the other sprint broke away, and one of the flags fell, causing the boys to ride it out. After considerable objection the owners sent their horses back for a second attempt. The favorite, Glenn Ann, outclassed the field, and won both heats handily. Summaries:

Pacing, 2:30 class, heat dashes, Little Thorn won the second and third heats; Naulahka won the first and Dictatus the fourth. Beau Brummel and Floretta Bell also started. Time—2:14, 2:16, 2:18, 2:21.

Running, six furlongs, selling. Two Cheers won, Tortoise second, Howard third. Time—1:14¾. Shirdy, Nevere and Minta Owen also ran. Jim Bozeman, Kitty Brady and Buena Vista left.

Four furlongs, maidens, Glenn Ann won, Slydell second, Little Hades third. Time—0:50½. Utica and Bright Mars also ran.

RESULTS AT FORT ERIE.

BUFFALO, Sept. 20.—Results at Fort Ere:

Five furlongs, Checkers won, Newbury second, Ennomia third. Time—1:03½.

One mile, Dean Wood won, Barometer second, King Morgan third. Time—1:44¼.

Six furlongs, Mongolian won, Sly Fox second, Abe Fashion third. Time—1:16.

Mile and an eighth, L. B. won, Our Johnny second, Free Lance third. Time—1:55.

Seven furlongs, Strathrol won, Ameer second, Alien third. Time—1:29¼.

Five and a half furlongs, Marsian won, Nover second, Lou Lou R. third. Time—1:08½.

AT HARLEM.

CHICAGO, Sept. 20.—Results at Harlem:

Five furlongs, Baliverso won, Cutlen second, Star and Crescent third. Time—1:04½.

One mile, Vitriola won, Hessville second, Belville third. Time—1:44.

Six furlongs, Buckmassie won, Preston second, Moncreith third. Time—1:15.

One mile, Admetus won, Lady Dixon second, Metaxie third. Time—1:45.

Five and a half furlongs, Algareta won, Presbyterian second, Benhadad third. Time—1:09.

Six furlongs, Farley won, W. C. T. second, Easter Eve third. Time—1:15½

AT SHEEPSHEAD BAY.

NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—Results at Sheepshead Bay:

Five furlongs, Kenmoore Queen won, Warrenton second, Momentum third. Time—1:03¼.

One mile, Ben Eder won, Rondo second, Paul Kauvar third. Time—1:43½.

Five and a half furlongs, Previous won, Kite Foot second, Blue Away third. Time—1:10.

Six furlongs, Cleophus won, Dr. Catlett second, Bromi third. Time—1:16.

Mile and a sixteenth, Peat won, Cavalero second, Tom Cromwell third. Time—1:45.

Six furlongs, J. A. Gray won, Nick second, Peacemaker third. Time—1:16.

AT OAKLEY.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 20.—Results at Oakley:

Four and a half furlongs, Tecuor won, Rotho second, Aunt Maggie third. Time—0:55¾.

Six furlongs, Santa Maria won, The Sculptor second, Masterpiece third. Time—1:15¼.

Five furlongs, My Maryland won, Margaret Jane second, Ada Russell third. Time—1:03.

Seven furlongs, Eugenie Wickes won, Belle Bramble second, Gidlaw third. Time—1:27¾.

Mile and a sixteenth, imp. Eddie Burke won, Forsythe second, T. W. third. Time—1:48.

Six furlongs, Big Knight won, Carrie Lyle second, Osman third. Time—1:14¾.

BASEBALL.

Results of Games of the National League.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 20.—The New Yorks took the first game of the closing series from the Champions, as they were able to hit the ball when men were on bases. Score: New York 10, hits 18, errors 4; Baltimore 9, hits 17, errors 2. Batteries—Rusie and Warner; Corbett and Robinson. Umpires—Hurst and Carpenter.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 20.—Philadelphia defeated Washington in an interesting game. McJames was effective when men were on bases, but gave eight bases. Fourteen of the local men were left on bases. Attendance, 1,300. Score: Washington 1, hits 6, errors 1; Philadelphia 2, hits 9, errors 0. Batteries—McJames and Farrell; Taylor and Boyle.

BOSTON, Sept. 20.—The baseball game scheduled for to-day between Brooklyn and Boston was postponed on account of rain.

Leprosy in North Dakota.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 20.—Acting Assistant-Surgeon Smythe of the Marine Hospital Service has written to the Surgeon-General, informing him of the existence of two cases of leprosy in Walsh County, North Dakota. The victims are Scandinavians, and the disease is said to be well devloped. One of the patients is said to wish to return to Sweden. Dr. Smythe says he is uninformed as to what precautions the local authorities have taken to prevent the spread of the disease.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Harbor Commissioner Chadbourne was in the city yesterday.

B. Wilson has returned from his purchasing tour in the East.

Mrs. J. G. Garrison and son of Forest Hill are stopping at the Golden Eagle.

Warden Charles Aull and E. A. Aull of the Folsom Prison are registered at the Golden Eagle.

J. W. Frankel, who has for several days past been visiting his brother here, went yesterday to San Francisco, where he will reside.

State Superintendent of Public Instruction Black has gone to the northern part of the State to attend County Institute meetings in Lassen, Modoc and other counties during the next three weeks.

Good Sense and Judgment.

[Union-Democrat, Sonora.]

A proposition fathered by the Sacramento "Record-Union," and meeting with general public approval, is that the Government be appealed to to construct and maintain an ideal wagon road across the national reserve, via Yosemite. As the ownership of the lands over which this highway would pass is vested in the United States, and as Yosemite Valley is one of the natural wonders of the world to which people annually flock by thousands from every quarter of the globe, it would certainly appear as the essence of good sense and judgment for Uncle Sam to see to it at once that a good, safe and pleasant road be constructed as suggested. The idea of this highway is that it be a free one, so as to lend a greater impetus to pleasure excursions, create more travel in general, incidentally build up the country's domain in the Far West, and to make accessible to the people, rich or poor, the wonders that will be handed down from one American generation to another so long as the stars and stripes float over our land. Bnt little has been done in the past by the Federal authorities for California, and now that a cause, and a good one at that, is offered for internal improvement, we hope to see it speedily acted upon, and a fine broad highway traverse the reserve from boundary to boundary.

The Wrong Name.

By mistake the name of Ethel Bagley was given as the winner of the first prize at the baby show for babies over 6 months old and under 1 year old. The winner was Edith Bandy, daughter of Sidney and Lizzie Bandy of Florin.

Quick Stops.

A car brake, invented by a Kentucky mechanic and satisfactorily tested on a Cincinnati street railroad, is so effective and withal so simple that it is a surprise that it was not earlier devised. It was designed for street cars, but may be used on all cars. It is a friction band which is applied to a rim cast on the side of the car wheel. It has a bearing surface of about 200 inches, as compared with the thirty inches of the brake shoe now in use on street cars. It is operated in the same manner as the present brake, and costs but a little more, but is much more effective. In the test a motor car was stopped by the brake almost instantly. A further advantage claimed for the invention is in the fact that the bearing surface of the brake is shifted from the running surface of the wheel to the special rim on the side, thus lessening the wear of the wheel.

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ALASKAN CANNIBALS.

GOLD SEEKERS WILL SEE THEM ON THEIR WAY.

Believe in Monsters and Dwell Amid Imaginary Hordes of Horned Demons.

Along the coast of Alaska dwell some very queer aborigines, as the gold seekers flocking to the Klondike country will surely discover. They do the most of the freighting across the passes into the interior, carrying loads on their backs, but their population during centuries has been so shut away from other tribes by gigantic ranges of snow-clad mountains that they have developed a peculiar culture and customs unknown anywhere else. Hence the exceptional value of a monograph about them prepared by Dr. Franz Boaz, a distinguished ethnologist, which is to be published shortly by the National Museum.

These natives may be said to live largely in a world of imagination, inasmuch as their customs and habits of living are based to a great exent upon ideas and beliefs wholly supernatural. Creation, from their point of view, is peopled by strange monsters and demons, which, while normally hostile to man, may be rendered friendly and even helpful with the aid of certain ceremonials of a quasi religious character.

For example, according to a Washington special to the Cincinnati "Enquirer," the most important of these monsters is a serpent which has a head at each end of its body and a human head in the middle. To touch this strange monster these natives believe is death, all the joints of the victim becoming dislocated, but specially favored individuals are enabled to perform wonderful feats by wearing a belt of its skin, while its eyes, used as sling stones, will kill any animal, even whales. Another of these fabulous beings is a wild woman who lives in the woods. She has enormous breasts, and carries a basket, into which she puts children whom she steals for the purpose of eating.

One of the most remarkable of the festivals celebrated by the Indians is a carnival of ghosts, which is held each winter. It seems to be derived from a tradition that tells of a journey made by an adventurous individual to a region beneath the earth, inhabited by phantoms. The celebration itself is a mimic representation of the visit to hades aforesaid, and the performer who represents the submundane travelers wears a necklace and headdress set round with skulls.

Cannibalism is very conspicuous in the myths current among these people, who have themselves been eaters of human flesh up to a recent period. Indeed, though the whites are supposed to have put a stop to such practices, it would seem that secret indulgence in them has not been wholly done away with.

Quite a number of strange demons are worshipped as guardian spirits—among them a cannibal demon that lives on the mountains and is always engaged in the pursuit of human beings for his table. The smoke of his chimney is the color of blood, and he has a female slave who gets food for him by catching men and collecting corpses. In his house is a fabulous bird, with an immensely long beak, which lives on the brains of persons whose skulls it fractures with its bill. Anybody who is so unfortunate as to encounter the cannibal spirit may be transformed into a grizzly bear. On the other hand, if he can please the demon, he may obtain power to handle fire without being burned.

Another guardian spirit is a fearsome warrior who lives in the far North. He travels constantly, and never leaves his canoe. By obtaining his protection a man may become invulnerable or he may acquire power to catch the invisible disease demon. This demon is at all times flying about in the air in the form of a worm. The fortunate protege of the warrior spirit catching the worm can throw it into the body of an enemy, who will die at once. The suggestion of the modern germ theory of disease contained in this belief is quite interesting. Not to be neglected among the guardian spirits are certain ghosts, which bestow the power of returning to life after death.

Dr. Boaz has secured for the National Museum a large number of masks, such as are worn by the Indians of the Alaskan Coast in their ceremonials. Some of them are of enormous size and astonishingly grotesque.

Knew What She Wanted.

"Shams! Shams!"

The cynicism of the woman was not apparent in her face. She was clearly not poor. Her dress indicated wealth. She was young, or youngish.

Content shone radiantly from her well set features, and a happy smile lurked around the corners of her mouth.

"Shams!"

The young man with the dignified, not to say supercilious, or at least haughty, mien bowed.

"Certainly, madam!"

He spoke with well-attuned precision.

"We have an elegant tambour, machine-stitched braiding, for a dollar and a half, or if something better is desired, let me show you this point d'esprit applique white lawn and fancy stitching, only two forty. It is really a superfine article!"

But she was looking for something even better than that; she finally ordered six dotted Swiss pillow shams with a deep ruffle of the same work, at two ninety-nine, to be sent C. O. D.

Then she passed on to the ribbon counter.—Chicago Tribune.

Not Unreasonable.

[Santa Barbara Press.]

The Sacramento "Record-Union" has inaugurated a commendable movement to have the Federal Government build and maintain a public highway through the Yosemite National Park. When the Government sets aside a pleasure ground for the people, it is not unreasonable to expect that it be made easily accessible. When Santa Barbara gets her Pine Mountain reservation for park purposes we shall expect the Government to make a way for us to get to it.

A site in Salt Lake City has been appropriated by the Council for the proposed statue of Brigham Young.

Closing Grain Quotations.

New York, Sept. 20th.

WHEAT—September, 99½c; October, 98c; December, 96½c; May, 96c.

Chicago, Sept. 20th.

WHEAT—September, 93⅝c; December, 92⅞c; May, 92⅛c.

San Francisco, Sept. 20th.

WHEAT—Steady; December, $1 54¾; May, $1 53½.

COMMERCIAL.

WHEAT STRONGER, THOUGH PRICES ARE UNCHANGED.

Barley Steady—Spot Fairly Active, But Options Very Quiet—No Changes in Oats.

San Francisco, Sept. 20th.

Wheat is unchanged for spot, although the market appears stronger. Chicago was higher, and local speculative values are also advanced. Barley is steady; spot is fairly active, but options are very quiet. Some new crop Large Yellow Corn is offering; no Small Yellow here and very little White. No changes in Oats; receipts were nearly 16,000 centals; trading is limited. Rye is firmly held at a slight advance.

The first shipment of new crop Cape Cod Cranberries arrived to-day and bring $9 50@10 per barrel. Berries were quite weak to-day; Strawberries were in ample supply and sold slowly at lower prices. No Blackberries came to hand. Peaches in bulk are doing better; the trade pays no more. Good Muscat Grapes brought a trifle more; other table Grapes drag. Wine Grapes are higher. A fresh lot of 726 cases of Mexican Limes is at hand, but are not yet on the market.

The market for Fresh Butter has slumped off. Creamery is lower and Dairy descriptions are tending that way also. Packed goods are not as firm as they have been, and should the decline in fresh goods continue a lower market for held stock may be expected. No change in Eggs and Cheese.

Produce Quotations.

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

WHEAT—Shipping, $1 53¾ per ctl for No. 1 and $1 55 for choice; Milling, $1 57½@1 60.

BARLEY—Feed, 90@92½c per ctl; Choice 95@97½c; Brewing, $1@1 10 per ctl.

OATS—Poor to fair, $1 07½@1 17½ per ctl; good to choice, $1 20@1 30; fancy feed, $1 35@1 40 per ctl; Gray, $1 15@1 20; Milling, $1 30@1 35; Surprise, $1 45@1 50; Black for feed, $1 10@1 20; Black for seed, $1 20@1 30.

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

RYE—$1 12½@1 15.

BUCKWHEAT—Nominal.

MIDDLINGS—$19 50@22 per ton.

BRAN—$14 50@15 per ton.

ROLLED BARLEY—$21@23 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, $10@12 for best; Alfalfa, $8@10; Clover, $8@10; Stock, $8@9; Compressed Wheat, $12@14.

STRAW—Quotable at 30@40c per bale.

HOPS—1896's, 6@10c per lb; new, 10@13c per lb.

BEANS—Bayos, $2 50@2 75; Butter, $1 10@1 50; Pink, $1 40@1 50; Red, $1 40@1 50; Lima, $2 15@2 30; Pea, $1 30@1 40; Small White, $1 25@1 40; Large White, $1 30@1 40; Blackeye, $2@2 50; Red Kidney, nominal.

POTATOES—Early Rose, 30@40c per ctl; River Burbanks, 40@45c per ctl; River Reds, 50@60c per ctl; Salinas Burbanks, 75@85c per ctl; Sweet, ½@1c per lb.

ONIONS—Silverskins, 85@95c per ctl; Pickle, 65c per ctl.

VEGETABLES—Cucumbers, 25@35c per box; Garlic, 1½@2½c per lb; Green Peas, 1@2c per lb; String Beans, 1½@2½c per lb; Bay Squash, 30@40c per box; Tomatoes, 25@40c per box; Green Corn, 50@75c in sacks, 40@50c per box for Berkeley, and 75c@$1 in crates; Green Peppers, 25@35c per box for Chile, and 35@40c per box for Bell; Egg Plant, 30@40c per box; Green Okra, 2@40c per box; Lima Beans, 1½@2½c per lb; Pickles, 75c per box for No. 1, and 30@40c per box for No. 2.

FRESH FRUITS—Apples—Choice, 50@65c; common, 30@40c per box.

Berries—Strawberries, $3@4 per chest for large; Blackberries, —@— per chest; Raspberries, $5@6 per chest; Huckleberries, 5@6c per lb.

Cantaloupes—65c@$1 per crate; Nutmegs, 35@40c per box.

Figs—Double layer, Black, 30@50c per box.

Grapes—Quotable at 15@25c per box for Fontainebleau and Sweetwater; Muscats, 20@35c; Black, 20@30c; Tokay, 20@30c per box; Isabella, 40@50c; Wine Grapes, $15@18 per ton for Zinfandel; crate Grapes for shipping bring 5@10c more than boxes.

Peaches—35@50c per box; in bulk, $20@22 50 per ton for Freestone and $27 50@35 for Clings.

Pears—Common, 35@50c; choice, 60@75c per box.

Plums—Quotable at 20@40c per box and crate; Japanese, 60@75c per box.

Quinces—30@40c per box.

Watermelons — $8@15 per hundred; picked sizes higher.

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

TROPICAL FRUITS—Bananas—$1@2 per bunch; Pineapples, $1 50@4 per dozen; Smyrna Figs, 13@14c per lb; Persian Dates, 6c per lb.

DRIED FRUIT—New Crop—Apricots, 5@6½c per lb for Royal, 7@8½c for Moorpark; Prunes, four sizes, 2¾@4½c; 40-50's, 5½c; 50-60's, 4¾c; Black Figs, in sacks, 2@2½c; Raisins, 3½c for 2-crown, 4½c for 3-crown, 5½c for 4-crown and $1 15 for London layers; Peaches, 5½@7c; Nectarines, 5@6c; Pitted Plums, 4@4½c; Pears, 5@5½c for quarters and 6½@7c for halves; Apples, 5½@6c for evaporated and 3@3½c for sun-dried.

RAISINS—Old crop—Jobbing prices: 4-crown, loose, 4@5c; 3-crown, 3½@4c; 2-crown, 2¾@3½c; Seedless Sultanas, 5@5½c; Seedless Muscatels, 4@4½c. In 20-lb boxes—3-crown London layers, $1@$1 15; clusters, $1 15@1 25; Dehesa clusters, $1 75@2; Imperial clusters, $2@2 25.

BUTTER — Creamery — Fancy, 27c per lb; seconds, 25@26c. Dairy—Fancy, 23@24c; good to choice, 20@22c; lower grades, 16@18c. Pickled, 19@20c; Firkin, 18@19c; Creamery Tub, 20@22c.

CHEESE—New, 9@10c; old, 8@9c; California Cream Cheddar, 11c; Young America, 10@11c; Eastern, 12@14c; Western, 11@12c.

EGGS—18@24c per dozen for store; Ranch, 28@30c for choice, and 25@27c for off grades; Eastern, 19@23c; Duck Eggs, 16@17c per dozen.

POULTRY—Live Turkeys, 14@15c per lb for Hens and 16@17c for Gobblers,; Young Turkeys, 15@17c per lb; Roosters, $3 50@4 for old, $3 50@4 50 for young; Broilers, $1 75@2 50 for small, $2 75@3 for large; Fryers, $3@3 25; Hens, $3 50@5 50; Ducks, $2 75@3 for old, $3@5 for young; Geese, $1 25@1 50 per pair; Goslings, $1 50@1 75; Pigeons, $1@1 25 per dozen.

GAME—Nominal.

Meat Market.

Following are the rates for whole carcasses from slaughterers to dealers:

BEEF — First quality, 6@6½c; second quality, 5@5½c; third quality, 4@4½c per lb.

VEAL—Quotable at 6@6½c for large and 6½@7c per lb for small.

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

LAMB—Quotable at 6½@7½c per lb.

PORK—Live Hogs, 3½@3¾c per lb for heavy and 3¾@4c for small; dressed, 5@6c per lb.

SACRAMENTO MARKET.

Trade Only Fair in Local Produce Circles Yesterday.

Sacramento, Sept. 20th.

Trade was only fair in local produce circles yesterday. No changes in quotations.

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, 10c; Lemons, 15@25c per dozen; Cocoanuts, 10c each; Bananas, 25c per dozen; Strawberries, 10c; Grapes, 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.

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.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCKS.

San Francisco, Sept. 20th.

Morning Session—Alta, 13c; Andes, 20c; Belcher, 37c; Benton, $1; B & B, 80@79c; Bullion, 14c; Caledonia, 52@50c; Challenge, 49c; Chollar, 63c; C C Y, $1 55@1 50; C N Y, 4c; C Point, 36c; Exchequer, 6c; G & C, 65c; H & N, $1 10; Julia, 4c; Justice, 15c; Kentuck, 10c; Mexican, 38@35c; Occidental, $1 25; Ophir, $1; Overman, 25@24c; Savage, 48@47c; Scorpion, 6c; S Nevada, $1 15@1 10; Silver Hill, 4c; Union, 55c; Utah, 23c; Yellow Jacket, 47c.

Afternoon Session—Ophir, $1; Mexican, 35c; G & C, 65c; B & B, 84c; C C Y, $1 50; Savage, 45@43c; Chollar, 63@62c; Potosi, 36c; H & N, $1 15; C Point, 38c; Yellow Jacket, 43@42c; Belcher, 36@35c; Confidence, $1 10; S Nevada, $1 05; Utah, 25c; Overman, 24c; Union, 55c; Alta, 15c; Caledonia, 65c; Occidental, $2 25; Scorpion, 6c.

Closing Quotations—Alta, 15c; Alpha, 19c; Andes, 20c; Belcher, 35c; B & B, 78c; Bullion, 13c; Caledonia, 71c; Challenge, 47c; Chollar, 62c; Confidence, $1 10; C C Y, $1 50; Con Imperial, 3c; C N Y, 4c; C Point, 36c; Exchequer, 5c; G & C, 63c; H & N, $1 10; Julia, 3c; Kentuck, 9c; Mexican 35c; Occidental, $2 30; Ophir, $1; Overman, 25c; Potosi, 36c; Savage, 45c; Scorpion, 6c; S Nevada, $1 05; Silver Hill, 3c; Union, 56c; Utah, 26c; Yellow Jacket, 43c; Standard, $1 80.

California Fruit Sales.

Porter Brothers Company sold at open auction September 20th California fruit as follows:

At New York—Pears—Bartletts, $2 70@3; Duchess, $1 90. Plums—Japans, $1@$1 50. Quinces—$1 35. Grapes—Tokays, 95c@$1 40 single crate; assorted, $1 15; Muscats, 70c@$1 15. Peaches—Salways, 55c @$1; Stillsons, 95c; others, 55@90c.

At Chicago—Pears—Bartletts, $2 40@2 45 per box and $1 25 half box; others, 60@70c half box. Grapes—Tokays, 75c@$1 30 single crate, and $1 75 double crate; Muscats, $1 50 double crate and 85c single crate. Peaches—Salways, 70@80c.

At Philadelphia—Grapes—Assorted averaged $1 18@1 21; Tokays, 97c@$1 04; Muscats, 96@99c single crate. Peaches averaged 75@88c.

At Minneapolis—Pears—Bartletts, $2 35; B. Diel, W. Nelis and Vicars, $1 35@1 55. Grapes—Muscats, $2 double crate and 90@95c single crate; Tokays, $1 90@2 double crate and 90c@$1 15 single crate. Plums—Japan, $1 40. Quinces—Orange, $1 10@1 15. Peaches—Salways, 60@65c. Prunes—German, 45@50c.

At Boston—Plums—Japans, 95c@$2 25. Grapes—Tokays, $1 85 double crate and 65c@$1 05 single crate. Quinces—$1. Peaches—Salways, 70c.

The Earl Fruit Company sold California fruit September 20th as follows:

At New York—Grapes—Tokays, 70c@$1 60; averaged, $1 10; double crate, $2 20@2 50, averaged $2 32; Muscats, 60c@$1 10, averaged 96c; Malaga, $1@1 05. Pears—Bartletts, $2 60@3 10, averaged $2 85; D. Comice, $1 80@2 45, average $2 08; G. Morceau, $2 25@2 80, average $2 46; Acme, $1 65@1 75, averaged $1 67. Peaches—Levi Cling, 90c; Lemon Cling, 65c; Salway, 45@70c. Seventeen cars sold to-day.

At Philadelphia—Grapes—Tokays, double crates, $2 15@2 60; single crates, 65c @1 30, averaged 97c; Cornichon, $1. Pears—Bartletts, $3@3 10, average $3 05. Peaches—Salway, 50@75c, averaged 62c; Orange Clings, 60c; Wilcox, 72c. Plums—Kelsey Japans, $1 30. Six cars sold to-day.

At Chicago—Grapes—Tokay, single crates, 85c@$1 20, averaged $1 03; double crates, $2 20; Malaga, single crates, $1@1 05. Peaches—Levi Cling, 80c; Freestones, 60c. Pears—Bartletts, $1 65@2 60, averaged $2 08. Nineteen cars sold to-day.

At Boston—Pears—Bartletts, $1 80@2 40, averaged $2 17. Tokays, double crates, $1 80@2 20, averaged $1 95. Nine cars sold to-day.

New Arrivals in Elegant Pattern Suits.

Another shipment of Elegant Pattern Suits has been just received. Some of the choicest goods ever shown in this city are here for inspection.

NO TWO ALIKE.

Ten assorted patterns in heavy basket weave effects, in broken check designs, a very stylish as well as a good serviceable suit.

$5 25 Suit.

Fifteen patterns in two-toned pierola suitings, in all the new fall colorings, something very pretty for the money.

$4 90 Suit.

At $5 95 some 10 different patterns to select from, in all the new combinations of colors. Be sure and see this line.

In Black, Brocaded Broche Mohair, very popular this season; some 30 assorted designs to select from, at

$5 25 Suit.

Twenty patterns in Black Satin-Finished Angora Suitings, the latest and most stylish goods this season.

$7 00 Suit.

An elegant line of Two-Tone Suitings, in the newest colorings; a very choice line; 15 patterns to select from.

$7 00 Suit.

Twenty choice patterns in new suitings in raised effects, in all the popular colors, in scroll designs; something very rich.

$8 75 Suit.

Ten beautiful patterns in fancy black suits, no two alike, with raised matilasse effects.

$10 50 Suit.

Twenty patterns in fancy raised effects, in all the new combinations of colors; these are real imported novelties.

$10 50 Suit.

A SPECIAL VALUE IN

Vases.

We place on sale this morning a special value in fancy colored glass vases and rose jars, that are worth in a regular way 25c, at

Special Price, 12½c each.

New Purses.

The assortment of Ladies' Purses is the largest assortment ever shown here. Large line of styles and prices in all the new cloth colors, to match any suit. Among them you will find a line of plain black pocketbooks that are worth in a regular way 50c. We mark them as a leader,

25c each.

Hair Brushes.

In Hair Brushes we have the largest assortment in the city, and we think the best values. They are all bought direct from the manufacturer for our six large stores. A special value in a pure bristle hair brush at 25c. A very fine assortment

At 50c.

Handsome Vases.

A new line just received in Austrian Bisque, in assorted shapes; hand painted; something very pretty, at

$1 50, $2 and $2 50.

Bird Cages.

Brass Bird Cages, in the very best make, with china cups.

90c, $1 15 and $2 50.

For the Babies.

Yellow Kid Dolls, stuffed—a novelty.

10c and 25c each.

NEW IDEA PAPER PATTERNS, 10 CENTS.

HALE BROS. & CO.,

825 TO 835 K STREET.

CITY OFFICIAL ADVERTISING.

PROCLAMATION FOR PRIMARY ELECTION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE electors of the City of Sacramento that a primary election will be held in the City of Sacramento on the 25th day of September, 1897, for the selection of delegates to municipal or city conventions, which conventions will nominate candidates for city offices.

That the following are the names of the political parties that will participate in the said primary, and primary elections will be held at said date for said parties, to wit: Republican party, Democratic party, People's party, and Citizens' Association; that the following are the offices for which nominations are to be made at said conventions, for which conventions delegates are to be chosen at said primary election, to wit: Mayor, City Auditor and Assessor, City Treasurer, City Collector, City Attorney, and a City Trustee for the First Ward, a City Trustee for the Third Ward, a City Trustee for the Fifth Ward, a City Trustee for the Seventh Ward, a City Trustee for the Ninth Ward, a School Director for the Second Ward, a School Director for the Fourth Ward, a School Director for the Sixth Ward, and a School Director for the Eighth Ward.

The polls at said primary election will be kept open from 7 o'clock a. m. to sunset on said day; that the following are the names of the persons selected as precinct election officers, together with the names of the precincts in which they severally are to serve, and the location of the polling places, to wit:

FIRST WARD.

Polling place, No. 316 J street—Inspector, I. Boysen; Judges, E. G. Ebert and F. R. Billingsley; Cuerks, D. H. Quinn and August Wall.

SECOND WARD.

Polling place, No. 200 N street—Inspector Joseph Hopley; Judges, C. A. Root and G. Kunz; Clerks, A. Hervagault and William Hurley.

THIRD WARD.

Polling place, Armory Hall, Sixth and L streets—Inspector, Edward Sheehy; Judges, T. E. Kennedy and Clarence B. Clark; Clerks, J. S. Carroll and P. Dalley.

FOURTH WARD.

Polling place, Windsor Hotel, Eighth and J streets—Inspector, A. Coolot; Judges, Jay R. Brown and J. H. Glide; Clerks, D. Gillis and W. H. Burtless.

FIFTH WARD.

Polling place, No. 916 Eleventh street—Inspector, J. A. Cunningham; Judges, Thomas Pilkington and G. O. Hayford; Clerks, J. G. Genshlea and T. Thackham.

SIXTH WARD.

Polling place, No. 830 N street—Inspector, A. H. Starr; Judges, William Lowell and J. J. Cassidy; Clerks, T. H. Longton and J. T. Liness.

SEVENTH WARD.

Polling place, New Pavilion—Inspector, L. T. Hatfield; Judges, A. L. Grimes and Charles Kappman; Clerks, Frank Fleming and S. Ginsberg.

EIGHTH WARD.

Polling place, No. 2003 J street—Inspector, L. L. Lewis; Judges, R. Davis and F. Gundrum; Clerks, H. Weinstock and B. F. Ward.

NINTH WARD.

Polling place, No. 2005 O street—Inspector, J. C. Braddock; Judges, G. P. Hartman and W. C. Farnsworth; Clerks, T. W. Sheehan and M. Hughes.

CHARLES E. LEONARD,
President of Board of Trustees.

Attest: M. J. Desmond, Clerk of Board of Trustees.

SEALED PROPOSALS.

BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE office of the undersigned until 5 o'clock p. m. on MONDAY, September 20, 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.

NOTICE OF STREET WORK.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Trustees of the City of Sacramento, on the 13th day of September, 1897, adopted Resolution No. 367, of its intention to order the following street work to be done, viz: That the alley between G and H streets in said city from the east line of Fourteenth street to the west line of Fifteenth street, be improved by grading and macadamizing, constructing redwood curbing and a brick catch basin to be connected to the sewer therein.

For further particulars reference is hereby made to said resolution on file in the office of the City Clerk.

Sacramento, September 14, 1897.

E. J. CROLY,
Superintendent of Streets.

RESOLUTION OF INTENTION, NO. 367.

RESOLVED, THAT IT IS THE intention of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sacramento to order the following street work to be done, to wit:

That the alley between G and H streets in said city from the east line of Fourteenth street to the west line of Fifteenth street be improved by grading and macadamizing, constructing redwood curbing and a brick catch basin to be connected to the sewer therein.

And notice is hereby given that all persons objecting to said work are required to file their objections in writing, in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Trustees, as required by law, stating how much frontage on said streets is represented by the party so objecting, and on what street the property so represented is located.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to post this resolution conspicuously for two days near the chamber door of this board; also to publish the same for two days in the "Record-Union" newspaper as required by law.

The "Record-Union" newspaper is hereby designated as the paper in which to publish the notices required by law to be published by the Superintendent of Streets of said city, in relation to the work described aforesaid.

In Board of Trustees, Sacramento, September 14, 1897, adopted by the following vote: Ayes—Trustees Wachhorst, Kent, Davis, McKay, Tozer, Devine, Pennish, Leonard.

Absent—Trustee Bentley.

CHARLES E. LEONARD,
President of the Board of Trustees.

M. J. Desmond, Clerk of the Board of Trustees.

ORDINANCE NO. 373.

An Ordinance Providing the Kind of Poles That May Be Erected On Sidewalks for Illuminating Purposes, Prohibiting the Use of Other Kinds, and Provid