

FIT SUBJECT FOR THE GALLOWS.

A Woman Dies in Great Agony Near San Leandro.

The Result of Brutal Beatings Inflicted by Her Husband.

The Steamer President Arrives From St. Michael, Bringing Down Twenty Gold Seekers Who Sailed on the North Fork, but Failed to Reach the Klondike Regions.

SAN LEANDRO, Nov. 3.—In a tumble-down hut near this town lies the body of Mrs. John Metzger, who is attributed by the neighbors to the effect of brutal beatings inflicted by her husband.

It is said that several nights ago he went home in an intoxicated condition and chased his wife out of the house. He pursued her into a field, where he kicked and beat her and forced her to return to his home. Yesterday she went to the house of a friend for medical attention. Metzger found her there, and beat her more cruelly than before. She was left bleeding and helpless in her neighbor's care, and died in agony, despite the efforts of two physicians to relieve her pain.

The doctors have refused to sign the death certificate and have requested the coroner to investigate the case, which he will do to-morrow.

STEAMER PRESIDENT ARRIVES

Brought Down Twenty Members of the North Fork Expedition.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 3.—The steamer President arrived to-night from St. Michael, Alaska, but brought no news of importance, having left the northern port before the steamer Portland, which reached Seattle last Friday. She has no treasure, and no miners from the Klondike are among her passengers.

Twenty members of the North Fork expedition returned on the President, having failed to secure transportation up the Yukon. The Republicans elected at the other city officers, including six of the ten members of the Council.

SALE OF THE UNION PACIFIC.

Arrangements Being Made With Banks to Receive the Money.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Assistant Secretary of the Treasury A. F. Vandenberg is in town on matters connected with the Union Pacific Railroad, his purpose being to designate a number of banks to act as depositories for the Union Pacific money.

TRIPLE MURDER.

Run Over by a Train.

SAN BERNARDINO, Nov. 3.—Fred Elliott fell from a freight train in Cajon Pass last night, and his legs were terribly crushed and mangled by the moving train. He succeeded in crawling to a tree twenty-five feet away, carrying his mangled legs in his hands.

Carpenter Will Contest.

STOCKTON, Nov. 3.—The evidence at the third trial of the Carpenter will

case was completed this afternoon, and after three hours of argument it was submitted to the jury. The first trial of the case was in 1885, and the second in 1891. At each trial the jury broke the will, and each time the Supreme Court has ordered a new trial. The jury is still out. There is but little of the estate left, owing to litigation.

OXNARD SUGAR FACTORY.

Said That It Will Be Located at Heneme, Ventura County.

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 3.—Another important enterprise in the beet sugar manufacturing industry is about to be launched by the Oxnards, proprietors of the Chino factory. After examining several different sites, in widely separated localities, they have at last decided in favor of Heneme, Ventura County. In selecting this locality, preference was shown over San Luis Obispo and Sacramento Counties, as well as over Texas, all of which places were in competition for securing the proposed factory.

The production of beets on 10,000 acres of land for five consecutive years has been guaranteed for the factory's use at the price of \$3 25 per ton during the entire term. One hundred acres for the factory site has been donated by the local people interested. Work on the building of the factory will begin in the latter part of the year and be ready for the crop of 1898. It is to have a capacity of 1,000 tons of beets per day, which will be increased to 2,000 tons in 1899. It will give employment to one thousand men at the factory, while from 1,000 to 1,500 men will be employed in the fields.

No Grievances to Adjust.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 3.—C. H. Wilkins, Assistant Chief of the Order of Railway Conductors, has arrived from headquarters in Chicago. He says that he has not come west to adjust grievances among the members of the order on this coast, but simply to meet with the various divisions here and discuss matters in which the organization is interested.

Accepts a University Presidency.

PASADENA, Nov. 3.—Professor Millard M. Parker, Vice-President of the Throp Polytechnic Institute, to-day accepted the Presidency of the Territorial University of Arizona. Professor Parker was formerly Mayor of this city, and has always been prominent in educational circles.

Epidemic of Scarlet Fever.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 3.—Scarlet fever is epidemic at the Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institute at Berkeley. Steps will be taken by the State Board of Health to quarantine the institution. Nine cases of fever have been reported since October 14th, and the spread of the disease is not yet checked.

A Democratic Mayor in Ogden.

OGDEN (Utah), Nov. 3.—The Democrats have elected the Mayor by twenty majority. The Republicans elected at the other city officers, including six of the ten members of the Council.

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A Widow, Her Daughter and Her Son Clubbed to Death.

PARKERSBURG (W. Va.), Nov. 3.—Report comes from Jackson County of a triple murder committed on a farm eight miles from Ripley. Mrs. Mary Green, a widow, her young daughter and her son, aged 18, were clubbed to death by John Morgan, a young man whom Mrs. Green had adopted. The murderer robbed his victims of \$85. Another daughter who escaped the murderer gave the alarm, and Morgan was arrested. He confessed, and tonight officers are hiding with him in the woods. He will probably be lynched before daylight.

CUBAN FINANCES.

A Havana Bank to Undertake Their Management.

HAVANA, Nov. 3.—According to a dispatch from Madrid, the Spanish Government intends to enter into a contract with the Bank of Spain at Havana, under which the bank will undertake the management of the Cuban financial concerns of the islands. It is understood that the bank will make a new issue of gold notes to the amount of \$500,000, and these notes will be received by the Government in payment of taxes of every class, including custom house duties. The Government silver bills, under this arrangement will be withdrawn. Marshal Blanco's reception has been marked by coldness on all sides. This is due to the great dissatisfaction caused by his proclamations.

YELLOW FEVER IN THE SOUTH.

Frost Does Not Stay Its Progress at New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 3.—Though a light frost fell here last night, the number of new fever cases to-day exceeded that of yesterday. Physicians explain that those stricken had the disease in their system before the cold warmer again. There were fifty-two new cases to-day and five deaths.

MEMPHIS (Tenn.), Nov. 3.—C. A. Stoval, Miss Schulz and G. A. McGee, died here to-day of yellow fever. There was one new case.

MONTGOMERY (Ala.), Nov. 3.—A slight frost fell here this morning. One death and one new case is the report.

STEAM TUG DAUNTLESS.

Safely Landed Two Expeditions in Cuba.

JACKSONVILLE (Fla.), Nov. 3.—The steam tug Dauntless, which left Savannah under suspicious circumstances about two weeks ago, has been heard from at Key West, where she put in for coal. The cruise Montgomery has been patrolling the north coast of Cuba for five days past in search of the Dauntless. A special from Key West to-night says: The Dauntless landed two expeditions from the Silver Heel, one in Camaguey and another in Santa Clara Province. Both expeditions landed safely, and have gone to the interior.

LATEST RETURNS FROM THE EAST.

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is a grave disappointment to all believing in free institutions." The "Globe" says: "When the fortunes of the wigwag are in the ascendant, shameless corruption rules supreme. Judge and police alike owe allegiance to an authority with far greater power of making or marring their fortunes than the government of the United States."

Sketching the history of Tammany, the "Globe" says: "When Croker became boss it had regained much of its lost influence. Croker, perhaps the most notable Tammany product of our time. A splendid organizer and an indomitable worker, he possesses to a marked degree the taciturnity which made Parnell successful as a leader. Steering clear of personal venialities of Tweed, Croker acquired the greater traditions of North and South, and has made Tammany once more a political engine of the first magnitude."

The "Morning Post" says: "Tammany's enormous majorities leaves no doubt that the rumor of an agreement between Croker and the Republicans has been founded. The Citizens' Union deserves all sympathy for its splendid fight. Mr. Low gave the Republicans an opportunity they may never have again. The history of the election shows that one party is quite as unscrupulous as the other, and who's still more the victor. It shows that there is considerable public spirit in the new community."

BERLIN, Nov. 3.—The "Tagblatt," commenting on the New York election, deprecates the victory of Tammany, "as it places undesirable elements of the Irish 'top' among the rulers of the city. The victory in New York will have a sinister effect throughout the world, for it means that the awakening desire of municipal reform has received a terrific setback."

The "Vossische Zeitung" says that "it cannot be denied that corruption has triumphed." The "Lokal Anzeiger" asserts that it sympathizes with "all honest people on the side of Tammany's adversaries." The "National Zeitung" says: "It is a small wonder that the Republicans were defeated. George's adherents evidently flocked to the Tammany banner. The failure to defeat Tammany is a point scored against the Washington administration."

PARIS, Nov. 3.—The "Temps," commenting on the election, says: "The result of the election is deplorable for New York and the cause of the Democracy."

The "Journal Des Debats" says: "Once again is displayed the incapacity of honest citizens of New York to organize and shake off the domination of the political intriguers who exploit and dishonor municipal politics."

COOLLY RECEIVED.

The City of Everett, Which Carried Food to India Sufferers.

DULUTH (Minn.), Nov. 3.—Captain Alexander McDougall, General Manager of the American Steel Barge Company, is in receipt of a letter from Captain L. Laverg, master of the whaleback steamer City of Everett, which sailed last summer from San Francisco for Calcutta with a cargo of food for the famine sufferers of India.

The letter is dated at Calcutta, September 18th. In it Captain Laverg charged that English officials at Calcutta received the famine supplies without enthusiasm. The pilot came aboard of the City of Everett when she approached Calcutta, and told the Captain that he would have done better to have brought a cargo of rapid-firing guns with which to kill off the native Indian population, instead of food.

Captain Laverg says that the City of Everett was treated shamefully at Calcutta by the Government, and that that treatment seemed especially out of place, owing to the presence of the vessel as representing the generosity and humanity of the American people. There was nothing on which a claim for dues could be exacted that was not enforced, and the officials finding, after ransacking the papers of the ship, that the officials at Singapore had exempted the ship from some light dues, promptly enforced them. The claim was made that the Governor at Singapore had no authority to exempt the ship from paying any dues.

Why He Was Sad.

"Before you inherited all that money from your rich uncle you were one of the jolliest fellows ever I met, but now you seem to have blue all the time."

What He Wanted.

"Is there anything in my house you would like to have?" asked the man, as he frowned over the back fence at his next-door neighbor.

Youthful Facetiousness.

"When you have a sore tooth you go to the dentist and he pulls it, don't he?"

Aboard the Yacht.

Minister—I once performed three wedding ceremonies in twelve minutes.

The Peruvian Cabinet.

LIMA, Nov. 3.—The Premier and his colleagues in the Cabinet insist upon the acceptance of their resignations tendered last week on account of a vote of censure which Congress proposes to pass upon the Government because of its failure to promulgate various measures enacted by the special session of Congress last year. The President's decision has not been announced, but it is believed he will accept the resignations.

Reciprocity With Canada.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—The Government is now favorably considering the question of recurring to the system of reciprocity for encouraging our commercial relations with Canada. It is known that Mr. Kossow, who has been specially charged with the arrangements of reciprocity plans under the new Tariff Act, is friendly to such a course of action.

A Man Burned to Death.

DENVER, Nov. 3.—A special to the "Republican" from Prescott, Ariz., says: The cabin of William Moore, more familiarly known as "Old Baldy," on Lynx Creek, was totally destroyed by fire some time in the night, and the burned body of Moore was found in the ruins this morning.

Guaranteed Stakes Declared Off.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—The Saratoga Racing Association has declared off its two newly guaranteed stakes, which were to be run in 1898, 1899 and 1900. They were only recently announced, and their value amounted to \$88,500.

Blanco Receives Foreign Consuls.

HAVANA, Nov. 3.—Captain-General Blanco to-day received Consuls of the foreign powers, who upon this occasion paid their first official visit.

At Our Boarding House.

"Here is a new conundrum," said the cheerful boarder; "I made it myself. What is the difference between me and a Klondike miner? Can you guess, Mrs. Haseligh?"

"No, I never liked conundrums," snapped the landlady.

"All give it up?"

"There was no response."

"Because," said the cheerful boarder, "one states the claim and the other claims the stake."

And he helped himself to the last bit of sardine on the platter.—Cleveland Plaindealer.

Truthful Tommy.

"Tommy," said a father to his first-born, "have you been at those six apples I put in the cupboard?"

"Father," said Tommy, looking into his eyes, "I have not touched one."

"Then how is it that your mother found five apple cores in your bedroom, and there is only one left on the plate?"

"That," said Tommy, as he dashed wildly for the door, "is the one I didn't touch."—Spare Moments.

Not at All Diffident.

"Oh, dear," she sighed, "I wish I knew how to keep gowns from crushing."

"Don't wear them," he said, without looking up from his paper.

And it was well that he didn't look up from his paper, too, for the sight of an angry woman has a tendency to disconcert the average man.—Chicago Post.

Why He Was Sad.

"Before you inherited all that money from your rich uncle you were one of the jolliest fellows ever I met, but now you seem to have blue all the time."

"Isn't it enough to make a man feel down in the mouth when he has to spend his own money?" retorted Gilhooly.—New York World.

What He Wanted.

"Is there anything in my house you would like to have?" asked the man, as he frowned over the back fence at his next-door neighbor.

"Yes," came from the other side of the fence; "I'd like to have you send the insides of that piano your daughter bangs on, out to my barn."—Yonkers Statesman.

Youthful Facetiousness.

"When you have a sore tooth you go to the dentist and he pulls it, don't he?"

"Yes, my son."

"Now that you've got a sore leg if you go to the doctor will he pull it?"

(With deep feeling) "Yes, my son."—Brooklyn Life.

Aboard the Yacht.

Minister—I once performed three wedding ceremonies in twelve minutes.

Miss Saylor—That was at the rate of fifteen knots an hour.—New York Journal.

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AT THE NONPAREIL

TO-DAY,

Thursday, Nov. 4th, is the day



that Messrs. Wasserman, Davis & Co. have set aside to turn over the management of the entire store to the ladies of "The Women's Needlework Guild of America," they to be assisted by a delegation of ladies from each church in Sacramento, and by our entire staff of employees. This is in behalf of charity, and a liberal percentage of the day's proceeds will be turned over to the society as a recompense for their services, to be used by them to supply the needy of our city with warm winter garments and such other necessities as they may require.

Tea Booth.

For the convenience of patrons who wish to make this an entire shopping day, or who wish refreshments after the arduous task of shopping, we have placed at lower end of store an attractive booth, where tea, coffee or chocolate will be served with sandwiches.

Our Toy Department Opens To-day.

Our holiday preparations in this line are unusually complete this year, and everything in the toy line to delight the juvenile heart is here for inspection in complete and glittering array. Visit this fairy land room while in its completeness.

Gloves.

Ladies' Gloves at \$1 25; the kind you usually pay \$1 50 for; we own them under advantageous circumstances, which enables us to sell them at \$1 25. This is a pique, 2 class glove, in all the new and popular shades; each pair fitted at our counter.

Ribbons.

15c per yard, and 1,000 yards of the most popular Ribbon in use, for neckwear, for sashes, for millinery purposes, and for Xmas purposes, in all colors desirable; 4 inches wide, silk, and only 15c yard.

Handkerchiefs.

The regular 25c kind at 2 for 25c. A counter piled high with sheer, dainty embroidered, scalloped, drawn work and hemstitched Swiss Handkerchiefs, for ladies; and you never picked from a handsome lot at the greater price.

Veilings.

A tempting line of entirely new Veilings, in new meshes, 50 styles, plain and dotted, colored and black; popularly priced, 50c yard.

Umbrellas.

Ladies' 26-inch Gloria Silk Umbrellas, steel rod, paragon frame, with natural crook, pearl and gilt mounted, or all pearl, gilt mounted handles. Special price, \$1 75.

Men's Slippers.

Solid comfort for men, House Slippers, velvet embroidered, patent leather trimmed; easy and comfortable; 69c.

Felt Slippers.

Women's Felt Slippers, turned sole, plain black felt, medium toe; cheap at \$1 50. Special at 98c.

Jardiniere.

79c and 98c are special prices on two handsome lines of Jardiniere, in a variety of colors, leaf and tulip patterns; the 7-inch size is 79c, the 10-inch size is 98c.

Books.

Arlington Edition of poetry, history, fiction, etc., bound in cloth, assorted colors, stamped in aluminum. This well-known line, containing in the neighborhood of 100 titles, at 15c per volume.

Dress Goods.

At \$1 yard, worth \$1 25 yard. 44-inch Black Figured Solids and Canvas, one with the rich satin finish; the other with a dull ground; both richly brocaded in high luster mohair; make elegant fall costumes.

Irish Point.

In the ever popular Irish Point goods you'll find some exceptional values offered to-day.

Perfumes.

Richard Hudnut's celebrated extracts, all the popular and lasting odors; 1 oz. size, \$1 bottle.

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Big Boys' Suits.

Grey Mixed Cheviot Long Pants Suits, either square or round corners, \$3 75 sizes 12 to 17 years. Reduced to.....

Men's Overcoats.

Blue, Black or Brown Kersay Overcoats, velvet collar and strong linings; \$4 50 good length. Reduced to.....

Men's Reeler Suits.

Boys' Dark Union Check Suits, knee pants, double-breasted, coats, large collar, neatly finished. Will give good wear. Sizes 4 to 10. Reduced to.....

Men's Dress Shoes.

Boys' Satin Calf Button Shoes, suitable for dress wear; any size desired, from 12 to 2 and 2 1/2 to 5 1/2. Special.....

Men's Dress Shoes.

Men's Dressy-Looking Buff Leather Shoes, in wide plain toe or medium square toe with tip, all sizes, and will give satisfactory wear. Special.....

Men's Dress or Business Suits.

Men's Dress or business suits, in neat tone or gray shades of English cloth, worsted; all wool and will not give away; all sizes. Reduced to.....

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Flannelette Gowns.

Special at 33c is a new line of women's soft, fleecy, good quality Flannelette Gowns, in pink and blue stripes on cream ground; 33c.

Flannelette Skirts.

35c, 50c or 90c, according to quality, will buy a soft, warm, fleecy striped Flannelette Underskirt for ladies, desirable in color, fall below the knee with deep hem.

Corsets.

The best \$1 Corset in the world is what we claim the distinction of selling and those who wear them bear us out in the assertion; any size, in drab or black, for \$1. Corset and Muslin Underwear Dept.

Hosiery.

3 pair for \$1 is what we ask for the same kind of hose for women that you have always paid 50c for. Plain or drop stitch, full finished, dependable black.

Union Suits.

\$1 is the price made placed on an exceptional value of Women's Ecru Jersey Ribbed Fleece Union Suits, fronts buttoned down or across the breast, to suit the buyer, high neck, long sleeves and ankle length.

Child's Underwear.

Children's Cotton Fleece Jersey Ribbed Undershirts and Drawers, natural gray or ecru; price, 25c per garment.

Thanksgiving Linens.

72-inch Full Bleached Satin Damask, exquisite patterns; \$1 yard. Napkins to match, each of them handsome designs, size 24 inches square; \$3 50 per dozen.

Women's Shoes.

Children's School Shoes, warranted to stand hard wear, made of kangaroo calf, lace or button, heavy, solid soles, round or square toes; sizes 1 1/2 to 2; \$1 25.

Men's Slippers.

Solid comfort for men, House Slippers, velvet embroidered, patent leather trimmed; easy and comfortable; 69c.

Domestic Items.

50 New Patterns in those handsome Figured Twilled Wrapper Flannels, fleeced on one side; 10c yard.

Blankets.

The celebrated Marygrove Mills White Blankets, size 72x50, with colored end borders and silk binding to match; \$5.

Bedspreads.

Large Heavy Bedspreads, distinct Marseilles pattern, of handsome design. Price, \$1 40.

Comforts.

Comforts, silkline covered, filled with pure white bats, size 72x80, zephyr knotted and cord edge; \$2 25.

Men's Neckwear.

Always the latest in style and colorings, in Men's Nobby Neckwear, hand bows, shields, tecks, Windsor and four-in-hands. Our two popular priced lines are 25c and 50c.

Socks.

Men's Medium heavy cotton Socks, full regular made, in tan and black, strictly fast colors, wear well, 25c quality, 3