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**MACHINE WORKS,**  
No. 245 and 255 FIRST STREET,  
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Manufacturers of Machinery for  
Saw Mills, Sugar Mills, Paper Mills,  
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Steam Engines of all kinds—Assess-  
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Pumps, Hoisting Works,  
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Machinery and Castings of all kinds, either of  
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Shoes and Dies of white Iron, manufac-  
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this purpose, and will last 25 per cent. longer  
than any other made on this coast.

## RUSSIA IRON SCREENS.

of any degree of fineness.  
We are the only manufacturers on this  
coast of the

**HICKS ENGINE,**  
Most compact, simple in construction, and  
durable of any Engine in use.  
W. H. HOWLAND,  
H. B. ANGELL,  
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August, 1867.

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mining and Blasting Pow-  
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**SPORTING POWDER,**  
REDUCED PRICES ALSO.

The Hazard Powder Company's Powder  
has no superior.—For sale by  
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Aug., 1867. 18

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Nos. 19, 21, 23 and 25 First Street,  
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**MANUFACTURE** all kinds of Machinery,  
Steam Engines, and Quartz Mills,  
Dunbar's Improved Self-Adjusting Piston  
Packing—requires no springs or screws;  
is always steam tight, without ex-  
cessive friction, and never gets  
slack or leaky.

**Wheeler & Randall's new Grinder  
and Amalgamator.**

**Hepburn & Peterson's Amalga-  
mator—Knox's Amalgamator, with  
Palmer's Patent Steam Chest,**  
superior for working either gold or silver ores  
and is the only Amalgamator that has stood  
the test of seven years continual working.

## Genuine White Iron Shoes & Dies.

Having been engaged for the past ten years  
in quartz mining, and being conversant with  
all the improvements, either in mining or  
milling, we are prepared to furnish, at the  
shortest notice, the most perfect machinery  
for reducing ores, or saving either gold or  
silver. 18

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JACKSON-STREET—between Mont-  
gomery and Kearney,  
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA.

**THIS** Old Established House  
is in perfect order for the  
accommodation of guests. Persons  
seeking comfort and economy will find this  
the best Hotel in the city to stop at. The  
rooms are new and in good order, and the  
kitchens well ventilated. The Table will al-  
ways be supplied with the best in the mar-  
ket.  
Prices varying from \$1.50 to \$2 per day  
for Board and Room. Fine Bath House and  
Barber shop attached to the House.  
F. E. WEYGANT, Proprietor.  
August, 1867. 18

## John Taylor & Co.

IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN  
**ASSAYER'S MATERIALS,**  
Druggists' and Chemists' Glass-  
ware, Photographic Stock, &c.  
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**WE** are receiving direct from Messrs. Ladd  
& Gerling (London) and Becker &  
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**Assay and Bullion Balances,**  
And from France and Germany, as well as  
the Eastern States,  
**FURNACES, CRUCIBLES, MUFFLES,  
BLOW-PIPE CASES, Chemical  
Glassware, Gold SCALES,**  
and every article required for Assay Offices,  
Laboratories, &c.

We have given this branch of our business  
particular attention, to select such articles as  
are necessary in the development of the mineral  
wealth of this coast.  
A full assortment of Druggists' Glassware,  
and Druggists' Sundries, Acids and Chemicals,  
constantly on hand.  
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## BLASTING POWDER.

**PRICE \$3 PER KEG.**

**ALSO—SPORTING CANNON, AND  
MUSKET POWDER,** of superior quality.  
FUSE and SHOT always on hand and  
for sale at the Office of the

## California Powder Works,

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Francisco, Cal.  
JOHN F. LOHSE,  
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negotiated—Ranches, city Lots, Houses and  
Stores to rent or lease—Rents collected, etc.  
P23-4-1f.

## OCCIDENTAL HOTEL.

Corner Montgomery and Bush Streets,  
SAN FRANCISCO.

This house possesses all the requirements of a  
first-class hotel, its spacious reading room, with a  
large mineral cabinet, and extensive collections of  
specimens from the different mining regions of  
the Pacific coast—Branch Telegraph Office con-  
necting with lines throughout the country—and  
news stand—all contributing to make it the head-  
quarters and home for the Californian business  
man and tourist.  
The Table of this House shall not be excelled  
by any. Board, three dollars per day.  
**LEWIS LELAND & CO.,**  
Proprietors. 18

### NEW YORK ADVERTISEMENTS.

## GREAT DISTRIBUTION

BY THE MERCHANTS AND MANUFAC-  
TURERS' JEWELRY ASSOCIATION,  
193 & 195 Broadway, New York City.

Of Rosewood Pianos and Melodians, Fine Oil  
Paintings, Engravings, Silver Ware, Gold and  
Silver Watches and elegant Jewelry, consisting of  
Diamond Pins, Diamond Rings, Gold Bracelets,  
Coral, Florentine, and other Jewels, and Ladies'  
Sets, Gold Pens with Gold and Silver extension  
holders, sleeve buttons, sets of studs, vest and  
neck chains, plain and chased gold chains, &c. &c.  
valued at

**\$1,000,000,**  
For One Dollar.

**THE** Merchants' and Manufacturers' Jew-  
elry Association call your attention to  
the fact of its being the largest and most popular  
Jewelry Association in the United States. The  
business is and always has been conducted in the  
most candid and honorable manner. Our rapidly  
increasing trade is sure guarantee of the appro-  
bation of our patrons for this method of obtaining  
rich, elegant and costly goods. The sudden stag-  
nation of trade in Europe, owing to the late Ger-  
man war, and recent disastrous financial crisis in  
Europe, has caused the failure of a large number  
of Jewelry houses in London and Paris, obliging  
them to sell their goods at a great sacrifice, in  
some instances less than one-third the cost of  
manufacture. We have lately purchased very  
largely of these Bankrupt Goods, at such extren-  
ely low prices that we can afford to send away finer  
goods, and give better chances to draw the most  
valuable prices than any other establishment doing  
a similar business. Our aim is to please, and we  
respectfully solicit your patronage, as we are con-  
fident of giving the utmost satisfaction. During  
the past year we have forwarded a number of the  
most valuable pieces of all parts of the country.  
Those who patronize us will receive the full value  
of their money, as no article on our list is worth  
less than one dollar, retail, and there are no  
blanks. Parties dealing with us may depend upon  
having prompt returns, and the article drawn will  
be immediately forwarded to any address by re-  
turn mail or express.

The following parties have recently drawn val-  
uable prices from the Merchants' and Manufac-  
turers' Jewelry Association, and have allowed use  
of their names:

Frederick V. Brown, Esq. Treasury Department,  
Washington, D. C.—Piano, value, \$450; Miss  
Anna L. Frost, Waverly Terrace, N. Y. city—Lad-  
ies' Gold enameled and diamond set Watch, val-  
ue \$200; William B. Emmons, New Orleans, La  
w—Sewing Machine, value \$75; George L. Davenport  
Mobile, Ala. Silver Tea Set, value, \$250; Miss La-  
dy Orcutt, Albany, Ill. Sewing Machine, value \$60  
Mrs. Mary S. Downing, Louisville, Ky. Gold Watch,  
value, \$200; James B. Fowler, Harrisburg, Pa.  
Silver Hunting case Watch, value \$75; Rev. Will-  
iam Fowler, Milwaukee, Wis. Wheeler & Wilson  
Sewing Machine, value \$125; J. J. Rickard, San  
Francisco, Cal. Gold lined silver Tea Set, value  
\$300; Edward L. Rice, St. Louis, Mo. Melodion,  
value \$250; Miss Helen E. Sinclair, Detroit, Mich.  
Diamond Cluster Ring, value \$225; H. C. G. G.  
Frost, Chicago, Ill. Large Oil Painting, value  
\$500; Mrs. Charlotte E. Hewins, Doniphan, Kan-  
sas. Chukering Grand Piano, value \$700; and Mus-  
ic Box, value \$65.

Many names could be placed on the list, but we  
publish no names without permission. Our pa-  
trons are desired to send us U. S. currency when  
convenient.

## PARTIAL LIST of ARTICLES to be Sold for One Dollar Each.

without regard to value, and not to be paid for  
until you know what you are to receive:

- 10 Chickering Grand Pianos, worth \$500 to \$700
- 15 Elegant Rosewood Pianos " 300 to 450
- 15 Elegant Melodions, Rosewood cases 175 to 225
- 20 First class Sewing Machines 20 to 30
- 25 Fine Oil Paintings 30 to 100
- 150 Fine Steel Engravings, framed 20 to 30
- 50 Music Boxes 25 to 40
- 150 Sewing Patent Castors, silver 30 to 40
- 50 Silver Tea and Cake Baskets 20 to 30
- 40 Sets Tea and Table Spoons 30 to 50
- 150 Gold hunting case Watches, worth 50 to 150
- 100 Diamond Rings, clus. & sin. stone 50 to 150
- 175 Gold Watches 85 to 150
- 300 Ladies' Watches 60 to 100
- 500 Silver Watches 30 to 75

**AGENTS WANTED EVERYWHERE.**  
Unequalled inducements offered to Ladies  
and Gents who will act as such. Our de-  
scriptive circulars will be sent on application.  
Distributions are made in the following  
manner: Certificates naming each article and  
its value are placed in sealed envelopes, which  
are well mixed. One of these envelopes con-  
taining the Certificates or order for some ar-  
ticle, will be delivered at our office, or sent  
by mail to any address without regard to  
choice, on receipt of 25 cents.

On receiving the Certificate the purchaser  
will see what article it draws and its value,  
and can send One Dollar and receive the ar-  
ticle named. Purchasers of our Sealed Envelopes  
may, in this manner, obtain an article  
worth from one to five hundred dollars.

Long letters are unnecessary. Have the  
kindness to write plain directions. Orders  
for sealed Envelopes must in every case be  
accompanied with the Cash, with the name  
of the person sending, and Town, County and  
State plainly written. Letters should be ad-  
dressed to the managers as follows:  
**JACKSON, CORNISH & CO.**  
193 & 195 BROADWAY,  
New York.

## TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that in conform-  
ity with instructions received from the  
Collector of Customs for the District of Paso del  
Norte, inspectors will hereafter be required to  
pay duties on all supplies imported for the use of  
the United States troops, whether delivered under  
public or private contract.  
J. F. STONE,  
Deputy Collector, 11-4  
Tucson, A. T. May 13, 1867.

## BANNING & COMPANY,

FORWARDING AND COMMISSION  
AGENTS,  
Wilmington, Los Angeles and Libertad.

### CALIFORNIA ADVERTISEMENTS.

## H. NEWMARK & CO.,

Wholesale dealer in  
**HARDWARE,  
GROCERIES  
and PROVISIONS.**  
ARCADIA BLOCK, Nos. 5 and 6,  
Los Angeles, February, 1866. 5f

## TOMLINSON & CO.,

**FORWARDING AND COMMISSION  
MERCHANTS.**  
LOS ANGELES AND SAN PEDRO.

## J. H. Levy and Co.

Main-Street, San Bernardino, Cal.  
Dealers in DRY GOODS, CLOTHING,  
BOOTS and SHOES—Iron, Hard-  
ware—Crockery—Groceries and  
Liquors—and a  
Great variety of General MERCHANDISE.  
Mar9-5-tf

## L. B. JEWELL,

**WATCHMAKER AND JEWELLER,**  
(With M. A. FRANKLIN, Druggist and Photo-  
grapher.)

SAN BERNARDINO, CALIFORNIA.  
Watches and Jewelry sent by mail from Arizona  
carefully repaired and returned.

## Caswell & Ellis,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN  
**STAPLE & FANCY DRY GOODS**  
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS,  
AND GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

## AGENTS FOR

**CALIFORNIA POWDER WORKS CO.**  
No. 1, Arcadia Block,  
Los Angeles Street, Los Angeles.

## Quartz Machinery.

**HANSCOM & CO.**  
**Etna Iron Works,**  
North East corner Fremont and Tehama Streets,  
SAN FRANCISCO.

Manufacture superior Mills and Machinery for  
gold and silver mining. Aug-16

## Coast Line Daily Stage.

**Arrangement for 1867.**  
From Los Angeles to San Fran-  
cisco—In 4 Horse Stages.

**THE** Stages of the Coast Line, San Juan,  
and Los Angeles Stage Company, via  
San Bernardino, Santa Barbara, San Luis Obis-  
po and Paso de Robles, Hot Springs.  
Leaves Los Angeles daily, at 3 o'clock, P. M.  
W. E. LOVELL & CO., Proprietors.

## WM. BUCKLEY,

General Superintendent.  
OFFICE—Bell Union Hotel, Los Angeles.

## The Cash Principle

ESTABLISHED AT LAST.  
AT  
**M. KELLER'S**

STORE AND WINE CELLARS, Alameda  
Street.

**THE** undersigned, being now permanently  
located in San Francisco, for the sale of the  
unrivalled

## Wines and Brandy

from his "Rising Sun" and "Los Angeles"  
Vineyards, as well as for the transaction of a  
GENERAL FORWARDING AND COM-  
MISSION BUSINESS,

begs to call public attention to the fact, that  
he has established the CASH PRINCIPLE  
in his store at Los Angeles, where he pro-  
poses to sell all merchandise in his line at the  
smallest advance on San Francisco prices, to  
cover transportation and commission; or, will  
purchase and forward for others, at a commis-  
sion of 5 per cent. as advantageously as he  
could for himself.

He is also prepared to make liberal Cash  
advances on consignments of Hides, Wool,  
and other native produce to his care, and  
guarantees that his sales will show the best  
market rates.  
On Sale—for Cash or its equivalent—  
**GROCERIES, Choice LIQUORS,  
Dry Goods, Clothing, Lumber,  
Window Blinds, Sash,  
Shingles, Iron Hoops,  
Nails, Rivets, &c.**  
N. B.—Native Wines and Brandy put up  
in packages to suit purchasers.  
**PURE WHITE WINE VINEGAR, &c.**  
M. KELLER, 16  
Los Angeles, Aug. 1867.

## ADMINISTRATOR'S DEEDS—A new

form—carefully prepared—for sale at  
the **MINER OFFICE.**

### LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

## SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an execu-  
tion issued out of the District Court of  
the Third Judicial District, in and for the  
County of Yavapai, Territory of Arizona, in  
favor of J. W. Swilling and against James  
Chase, James Curtin, P. H. Connell and  
David Wooster, defendants; by which I am  
required to make out of the property of the  
above named defendants, the sum of one  
thousand six hundred and thirty-four (\$1-  
634), with sixty-five 27-100 dollars costs  
and accruing costs. I levied on all the right,  
title and interest of the said James Chase,  
James Curtin, P. H. Connell, and David  
Wooster, in and to

Seventy-five feet east of and adjoining the  
discovery claim on the Vulture Lode.  
One hundred and twenty-nine feet in the  
Vulture Lode; commencing at the Wicken-  
burg claim and running west to Moore's lo-  
cation on said Lode.  
One hundred and fifty feet in Rough Di-  
amond Lode; said Lode being three hundred  
feet north of and running parallel with the  
Vulture Lode.

ALSO—4 Stone Hammers; 1 Blacksmith's  
Vice; 3 Blacksmith's Tongs; 1 Blacksmith's  
Anvil.

All the above described property being in  
the Wickenburg Quartz Mining District in  
Yavapai County, Territory of Arizona.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that on Sat-  
urday the 7th day of September A. D. 1867 at  
2 o'clock, P. M., in front of the Court room  
in the town of Prescott County of Yavapai,  
Territory of Arizona, I will expose for sale  
to the highest bidder for cash, all the right,  
title and interest of the defendants herein  
named, in and to the above described prop-  
erty, to satisfy said execution.

**JOHN P. BOURKE,**  
Sheriff Yavapai Co.  
**ROBERT MEACHAM, Aucr't.**  
Prescott, A. T. Aug. 17th, 1867.

## ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

*Estate of William V. Adams, deceased.*  
**THE** undersigned having been appointed  
Administrator of the above named es-  
tate—Notice is hereby given to all persons in-  
debted to said estate, to make immediate settle-  
ment, and all persons having claims against said estate,  
to present them, with the necessary vouchers and  
proofs, to the undersigned, within one year from  
the date of this notice.  
J. T. ALSAP, Administrator. 315-3m  
Prescott, A. T. June 30, 1867.

## ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

*Estate of Domingo Gallo, deceased.*  
**NOTICE** is hereby given by the undersig-  
ned, Administrator of the above named estate,  
to the creditors of, and all persons having claims  
against said deceased, to exhibit the same, with  
the necessary vouchers, within one year from the  
date hereof, to the undersigned, at the office of Mr.  
B. Platt, in Tucson, county of Pima and Territory  
of Arizona, Tucson, January 7, 1867.  
ESTENEN OCHOA, Administrator.

## ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

*Estate of George P. Bridges, deceased.*  
**THE** undersigned having been appointed  
Administrator of the above named estate  
notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to  
said estate, to make immediate settlement, and all  
persons having claims against said estate, to pre-  
sent them, with the necessary proofs and vouchers,  
within one year from the date of this notice.  
J. T. ALSAP, Administrator. 315-3m  
Prescott, A. T. June 30, 1867.

## ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

*Estate of George W. Davis, deceased.*  
**NOTICE** is hereby given by the undersig-  
ned, duly appointed Administrator of  
the above named estate, to the creditors of, and  
all persons having claims against said deceased,  
to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers,  
within one year from the first publication of this  
notice, to F. McAtter, at his residence in Kirkland  
Valley, Yavapai County, Territory of Arizona.  
F. McATEER, Administrator.  
JOHN HOWARD, his AMY  
Prescott, July 1st, 1867. 315-3m

## ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

*Estate of Thomas D. Hutton, deceased.*  
**NOTICE** is hereby given by the undersig-  
ned, Administrator of the above named estate, to  
the creditors of, and all persons having claims  
against the said deceased, to exhibit the same with  
the necessary vouchers, within one year from the  
date of this notice, to the undersigned, at his office  
in Tucson, Pima County and Territory of Arizona.  
Tucson, March 1, 1867.  
JOHN G. BRYANT,  
Administrator. 315-3m

## ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

*Estate of John F. Simmons, deceased.*  
**NOTICE** is hereby given by the undersig-  
ned, duly appointed Administrator of the  
above named estate, to the creditors of, and all per-  
sons having claims against said deceased, to exhib-  
it the same, with the necessary vouchers, within  
six months from the first publication of this notice,  
to B. Block, at his place of business in the town of  
Prescott, Yavapai County, Territory of Arizona.  
B. BLOCK, Administrator.

## ESTATE OF P. M. BURNS.

Territory of Arizona, County of Yavapai—  
In the Probate Court in and for said county.—In  
the matter of the Estate of P. M. Burns, de-  
ceased.

**PURSUANT** to an order of the honorable  
Hazeliah Brooks, Judge of said Court,  
notice is hereby given that on Monday the 1st day  
of May, A. D. 1867, in front of the store of James  
Grant, in the town of Prescott, in said county, at  
one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, I will  
cause to be sold at public auction, the following  
described property belonging to the estate of the  
above named deceased, to wit: One improved  
Ranch of one hundred and sixty (160) acres of  
land situated on the Hassayampa River, near Wal-  
nut Grove. Also, the Quartz Mining interest of  
said deceased, situated in Yavapai County, and  
Territory of Arizona.

Terms of Sale—to be announced on the day of  
sale.  
**JAMES GRANT, Administrator.**  
**ROBERT MEACHAM, Aucr't.**  
JNO. HOWARD, AMY,  
Prescott, April 1, 1867. 7-6m.

## Postponed Sale.

**THE** sale at Auction of the Ranch and  
Quartz interests belonging to the estate  
of P. M. Burns, advertised above, is hereby post-  
poned by order of the administrator, until the first  
Saturday (the 7th) of September next—at the same  
place and hour.  
**R. MEACHAM, Aucr't.**  
June 1, 1867. 11-19

### TRAVEL PAY TO CALIFORNIA VOL- UNTEERS.

It is understood that the Pay Department  
is now prepared to pay the claims of Cali-  
fornia and Nevada Volunteers for their trav-  
eling allowances, under the rules required to  
be prescribed in section seven, Act (Army  
Appropriation Bill) approved March 2, 1857.  
The distances from the discharge in New  
Mexico, Arizona, and Utah, and other points  
proportional distant from places of enlistment,  
will govern in estimating the difference of  
allowances due to the claimants. The allow-  
ances under the law do not apply to Volun-  
teers of the designated States, except on  
final muster out with their organizations by  
reason of the end of the war, or because of  
their services being no longer required.

The following correspondence referring to  
the mode of application, has been furnished  
by Adjutant General Evans:

In reply to my letter to the Paymaster  
General of the United States Army, asking  
for the form of application necessary to ob-  
tain transportation due soldiers from this  
State who were discharged in Colorado,  
Utah, Arizona, and New Mexico, and New  
Mexico, under the late Act of Congress, I  
have received the following information:

"PAYMASTER GENERAL'S OFFICE,  
Washington, D. C. May 20th, 1867.  
"Respectfully returned to the Adjutant  
General, George S. Evans, Sacramento, Cali-  
fornia.

"There is no special form prescribed. The  
soldier should make affidavit of the facts of  
his enlistment and discharge, and claim the  
travel pay, citing the Act, and forward the  
same to this office, accompanied by his dis-  
charge."

B. W. BAILEY,  
Paymaster Gen. U. S. A. Col and  
Bvt. Maj. Gen.

## THE SILVER MINES OF MEXICO.

Mr. Middleton, who represents Great  
Britain in the city of Mexico, has reported  
to the British Foreign Office the result of  
some recent researches among the Mexican  
mines. His statements have special interest  
for believers in manifest destiny.

Of the one hundred and ninety-seven min-  
erals thus far discovered in Mexico, silver is  
the most important. The silver producing  
states are Mexico proper, Guanajuato and  
Zacatecas. English engineers are of opinion  
that the wealth of Sonora and Chihuahua  
has been exaggerated.

About sixty miles from the capital are the  
silver mines of Pachuca and Real del Monte.  
In both of these districts the veins of silver  
are very numerous. At Real del Monte they  
cross each other nearly at right angles. At  
Pachuca the angle of intersection is acute.  
The rock in which the veins occur is por-  
phyry. The Real del Monte was sold not  
many years ago for about \$130,000. During  
the last decade it has produced ore to the  
value of \$32,000,000. It is situated 9,300  
feet above the level of the sea.

About two hundred and forty miles from  
the capital are the mines of Guanajuato, near  
the city of the same name. They are six  
thousand feet above the sea level. The pre-<