Los Angeles Herald.

CITY AND COUNTY OFFICIAL PAPER.

SUNDAY.....SEPT. 20, 1874.

THe City---Fire---Insurance.

Just at this time it is worth while to examine the chances for destructive fires in our city, and to consider our facilities for contending with the devouring element when it turns against its master and converts his substance to cinders. There is a great deal of talk about the liability to fire and how effective or non-effective is our Fire Department. The Fire Department is almost powerless in certain localities, and if we had ten first-class steamers and ten more first-class companies, we should still be illy prepared to fight fire. What we have not and what we want beyond all things else, is an abundant supply of water. It is all folly to say no destructive fire can occur in this place. Every intelligent resident knows that with a fair start and a good breeze, a fire will sweep through the business portion of this city with the same ease that it would through Sacramento. Suppose a fire should break out at midnight on the second floor in the center of TEMPLE Block, would we, could we with our one engine and limited water supply, save any part of the block? We certainly could not if there chanced to be a strong breeze blowing at the time. In case of fire, our Department must use water from plugs supplied by small mains with light pressure. None of these plugs will supply an engine with the requisite amount of water for a great length of time. There is not a cistern in the city, so far as we can discover. We have one steam fire engine and one set of hook and ladder implements. Let us contrast our city with another not as large. The city of Stockton contains about 11,000 people. She has thirty-one large cisterns, which are kept full of water for the use of the Fire Department; she has three splendid steamers, two hand, and one large-sized Babcock engine, besides a hook and ladder apparatus. Her companies are independent and made up of her best citizens. Los Angeles has 12,000 people; no cisterns. She has one steamer and one hook and ladder apparatus. The comparison is not creditable to our city. At present the Underwriters mark Los Angeles on book 4, A. Since the burning of our two mills has demonstrated that we have not the means for extinguishing a a large fire, they are considering the proposition of placing us on book 4, without the A. This will probably be done, and an increase of twenty per cent. added to the risks of this city—making, we are informed, an increase in the total amount of premiums of about $1,500 per month. It is even possible that we shall be placed on book 3, which would involve an increase of $3,000 per month in the cost of our insurance. The probability of this occurring is not remote, and we would advise our property-owners to take steps for averting it by immediate action in the way of increasing our facilities for preventing extensive conflagrations. We have a Water Company which has entered into a contract with the city to construct a reservoir on Fort Hill, and in order to facilitate the carrying out of this contract, the company was given the use during the existence of their charter of six and a half acres of land on that hill. Fort Hill is about 140 feet above Main street, opposite the Pico House, and had the company complied with the contract between them and the city by constructing a large reservoir on that elevated locality and connected it with the main in the street below, would we not have had an abundant supply of water, furnished by a means rendering it a thousand times more effective than could be obtained from cisterns, from which we should be compelled to raise the water before we could use it? The cost of this invaluable reservoir would be nothing to the city and but a trifle to the company. In fact, the necessary excavating could be done at a profit to the company, as the hill is formed of that red gravel which sells at fifty cents per load and is much in demand for making sidewalks and garden pathways. It is nonsense to talk about complying with the oft-repeated request of the Water Company to dig cisterns in the streets, and thereby enable them to evade the fulfillment of their contract to make this reservoir and place hydrants at one corner of every cross street. The requisite number of cisterns would cost the taxpayers at least $100,000, while if the Water Company were made to comply with their contract, we should have all the water needed without cost. Why is it that the Water Company have not excavated this reservoir? and as they have not done so, why is it that the city has not taken possession of the land and constructed the much needed reservoir herself?

JUDGE UNDERHILL came up from Anaheim yesterday and left in the afternoon for San Francisco. He reports that the right of way has been secured along the entire route with the exception of through the lands of one or two absentees who it is understood will offer no obstruction. The graders are busy at work and seven miles of track is graded. The site of the depot in Anaheim is located and the road will be completed by the first of December.

Grape-gathering is quite brisk in the vicinity of Calistoga.

The Third Term.

If Washington telegrams are to be credited our CÆSAR has at length thrown off his reticence, and boldly crossed the Rubicon—fairly launching himself upon another campaign for the third Presidential term—thus ignoring long settled precedent, and the warnings of the Father of his country, and framers of our Federal Constitution—that great chart of human liberty, under which we have lived so happily and prospered so wonderfully—raising us from a few scattered and impoverished colonies up to our present high position as one of the foremost powers of the world. But to this man nothing is held sacred that interferes with his schemes of personal aggrandizement. To those who may feel sufficiently interested to examine the early debates of the framers of our Federal Constitution, they will find that the question of tenure of office was exhaustively considered. We had freshly emerged from a state of colonial vassalage to a power that recognized not only a life, but hereditary tenure of office, and down to the present day, not only the throne but the peerage is hereditary, and the oldest son, be there never such an idiot, claims his right to the throne, or a seat in the House of Lords. Against this order of things the whole power of these great and patriotic men was brought to bear. Honesty, merit, qualification, was held by those men as the only passport to office, and tenure limited so as to prevent the growth of an official aristocracy—Judges of the Supreme Court being the only exception. For the high office of President views were variant as to tenure—ranging from four to ten years, and after much dignified debate, in which WASHINGTON took a large share, the result is shown in Article 2, Section 1 of the Constitution and reads as follows:

"Article 2, Section 1—The executive power shall be vested in a President of the United States of America. He shall hold his office for the term of Four Years."

Thus indicating the general feeling as to the tenure of office, and the determination of the people to hold power as much in their own hands as possible—and this too, in the face of the fact that it was a foregone conclusion that the beloved WASHINGTON, the Father of his country, would be called to fill the Presidential chair. This idea was also clearly entertained by WASHINGTON himself, as abundantly shown by the debates in the Constitution, and more forcibly enunciated when the people forced upon him a second term. He earnestly urged that it would be a bad precedent, and could only lead to ambitious aspirations on the part of the incumbent, but he frankly admitted that the time was too short, if we were sure of always having the proper man in the place, for it scarcely gave him time to perfect any policy he might inaugurate, however beneficial to the country;—but on the other hand, if a bad man were placed in power, it was sufficiently long. With this view of the subject he was not prepared to advise, but his own opinion was that it would be far better to extend the time to six years, and the incumbent ineligible thereafter, than to establish the precedent of second terms. As before stated these views were previously fully discussed in the convention that framed the Constitution, but the members being so thoroughly opposed to long terms of office, and perceiving in the infancy of the Republic the probable necessity of the services of WASHINGTON for a second term, the four years was retained, without restriction as to eligibility. This precedent set by WASHINGTON, though under protest, was generally followed down to the time of VAN BUREN, when the people began to see the wisdom of his advice and to realize that the one term principle was the safest, and it was rapidly becoming the settled policy of the country down to LINCOLN'S time, when, under the embarrassing circumstances by which we were surrounded, he was retained for a second term, no one ever hinting at a third. It was left to our CÆSAR, without a single qualification for the high office, to override all precedent and thrust himself upon us for a third term. What has he done that he thus presumes upon the intelligence and patriotism of the people? "What meat is this our CÆSAR feeds on, that he has grown so great?" Is it as a soldier? or is it as a statesman? If as the former, we, as a civilian, are probably not the most competent person to criticise his claims; but we are free to say that a careful review of his military deeds during our unfortunate civil war, suggest the idea of a man boring very small holes with a tremendous big auger. At Fort Donaldson, where his name first rose to the surface, the enemy was well demoralized, if not whipped, before he arrived on the field. At Vicksburg, he floundered through the swamps, morasses and jungles for months, losing more men twice over than his enemy numbered, and steadily calling for reinforcements until he formed a cordon around the city and starved PEMBERTON out, without ever coming to a square fight. On the Potomac, with an army of a quarter of a million and daily reinforced, he sententiously announced that he "would take Richmond on that line if it took him all Summer." (Richmond was garrisoned with only twenty-five or thirty thousand men). But it took him much longer than all Summer, and owing to his want of military genius, he sacrificed almost double the number of his own men as were opposed to him. But did he finally capture Richmond, in a true military sense? For months before the surrender, the enemy by a rigid blockade was sealed from foreign supplies, and domestic resources being long since well nigh exhausted, and when the valley of the Shenandoah was closed to him, gaunt famine stalked within the enemy's lines, and but one alternative was left to LEE, and that to abandon the city and move for the open country; and at the head of but about seventeen thousand half-starved, half-naked troops, he retired from Richmond, but soon after, confronting SHERIDAN on the Appomattox at the head of a large and well-fed army, and GRANT with his legions in the rear, LEE was compelled to surrender, but in such an orderly and dignified manner as to challenge the respect of his enemies and to command honorable terms. And this is the way GRANT captured Richmond! There were hundreds of subordinates in the ranks who with the same overwhelming resources would have done the same thing in less than one-fourth the time and with one-tenth the sacrifice in men and treasure. And what claim has this man upon us a statesman? He has been in power six years, and what balm has he brought to heal our wounds, to restore our former prosperity and to replace our credit on its former high position? The Southern States are still torn and distracted—no settled policy having been inaugurated tending to peace and harmony—our credit at the lowest ebb, our finances in a deplorable condition, and our taxes bearing heavily upon the prosperity of the country, whilst peculation, robbery, extravagance and profligacy in every department of Government is the rule, and in which this man fully participates. The Federal Constitution, Sec. 1, Art. 2, says:

The President shall, at stated times, receive for his services a compensation which shall be neither increased or diminished during the period for which he shall have been elected, and he shall not receive within that period any other emoluments from the United States, or from either of them.

Yet in the face of this he places his signature to the swindling "salary grab" (so-called) in which he is interested to the tune of $25,000 per annum, pockets the money, and is now receiving a salary of $50,000 per annum, besides perquisites growing out of the recent complex manipulations, amounting, it is said, to over $300,000 per annum. In short, under this Administration, we have become the great "grab-bag" of the world, and this man, with his foot upon the South, has the effrontery to call upon the North, for the third time, to assist him in "crushing the monster." But will the North do it? The ides of November, '75 will tell the tale.

Our Advantage.

In a conversation yesterday with Mr. FRANK PYLE, of the California Alden Fruit Drying Company, we obtained confirmatory evidence of the correctness of an opinion which we have entertained for some time and have heretofore set forth in the columns of the HERALD. The opinion is that the Mission or California grape grown in Los Angeles valley is larger in size, contains more saccharine matter, and is a greatly superior grape to what is known as the Mission grape in Sonoma and other counties to the North of us. We called the attention of Mr. PYLE on his arrival here several days ago, to the apparent superiority of our common grape over the same quality grown in the North, and after a thorough investigation he informs us that our Mission grape is greatly superior in every respect to that grown around San Francisco Bay. Mr. PYLE asserts that the common grape of this valley will make a raisin vastly superior to that manufactured from the Mission grape in the upper counties. If this is so, and the experience of Mr. PYLE entitles his opinion to credit, the raisins manufactured by the evaporators of Mr. DAVIS will at once become the favorite article in the retail market of San Francisco. We mention this fact for the benefit of those of our people who contemplate digging up their vineyards to make room for tree planting. The Alden process offers a market for all the grapes, and no one need dig up their vines.

Panamint.

Mr. W. B. CALDWELL who left here several weeks since to visit the Panamint Mines, returned yesterday. He gives a glowing account of the mines, and being an old miner his opinion is entitled to consideration. He brought in rock from the Wonder Mine which will pay one thousand dollars per ton. There are two Wonder Mines—the Jacob Wonder and the Stewart Wonder. They are both on the same ledge and join each other. The Stewart Wonder is owned by Senator JONES and one or two others. JACOBS' Mill will be running by the twenty-fifth of this month. A large amount of very rich rock has been taken out of Jacobs Wonder and some two hundred tons of it is at the mill ready to be crushed. There are three or four hundred men at the camp. Mr. CALDWELL returned by the Mojave and Cajon Pass route. He adds his testimony to that of others that the route is the best that can be selected over which to build a railroad. At Martin's Station he met H. A. JONES with a large party. Mr. JONES had eight head of horses which he was taking out to stock the pony express route between Panamint and San Bernardino.

The Tehama *Independent* says: "Hazlett and Chamberlain, farmers on Toomes' grant, have finished threshing. The last threshing that was done was on a piece, seventy acres, near the river. This piece turned off seventeen hundred and eleven sacks of club wheat, which is equal to fifty-four bushels to the acre. Of this seventy acres about twenty is covered with sand and produced only a very small crop."

NEW TO-DAY.

To those who have not yet

Patronized me I would advise to come at once I have a large enough assortment to satisfy all even the most particular smoker, as my stock contains everything of the best quality in the line of Cigars, Tobacco and in fact everything appertaining to a Cigar store.

I. GOLDSMITH,
Main St., next to W. F. & Co.'s Express.

PASTURE.

I HAVE PASTURE LAND sufficient to feed from 1,000 to 2,000 sheep, upon which I will keep that number until the first of January at reasonable terms.

SIMON LEVY,
sep20tf Cor. Aliso and Alameda Sts.

For Sale Low.

SIMON LEVY has bought the grain damaged at the burning of the Stearns' mill, and will commence selling it cheap on Monday morning at the mill. sep20tf

FOUND.—Near the side-walk on Los Angeles street, an article of Female Attire. The owner can have the same on sending written description to P. O. Box 157. s20e3t

Business Opportunity.

A MAN accustomed to business, and desiring to engage in a safe and profitable occupation, may learn particulars by applying to the undersigned. Capital required $2,000.

DEWEY, KIMBALL & CO.,
New U. S. Hotel Building,
sep20-1w Corner Los Angeles St.

Sealed Proposals.

CLERK'S OFFICE, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, Los Angeles, State of California.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ORDER of said Board, notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received at this office until TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6th, 1874, at 10 o'clock A. M., the time fixed for opening the same, for building three bridges on the Wilmington and Anaheim road, and one bridge on the Anaheim and Spadra road. Plans and specifications on file in the Clerk's office.

Also, proposals will be received at the same time and place, for repairing the bridge across New River on the Los Angeles and Anaheim road.

Also, for removing and rebuilding said bridge, either at what is known as Sanford's crossing or at Washburne's crossing on said New River. Plans and specifications to accompany proposals for last-mentioned bridge.

Proposals to be directed to said Board endorsed "Proposals for building bridges."

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids, as the public good may require.

A. W. POTTS, Clerk.
Los Angeles, Sept. 9, 1874. sep20:td

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Notice to the Public.

DR. POO CHI TONG takes this method of informing his friends and the public that he intends leaving for China in about two weeks. All persons having business with him will please call on or before that time.

POO CHI TONG.
Los Angeles, Sep. 18, 1874, 19-2w

TO LET,—TWO FURNISHED ROOMS, with or without board, at MRS. BULLIS'S on First street, just below the Tivoli Garden. sep18-1w

TO LET.—A FINE LARGE FURNISHED ROOM with first-class board for a gentleman and wife, or single gents, at

MRS. BACKMAN'S,
sep17-1w New High street.

A GOOD FARM—60 ACRES OF LAND, well improved, is offered for rent by

CHAMBERLIN & BANCROFT,
sep13tf 21 Spring street.

TO LET.—TWO ELEGANTLY FURNISHED Rooms with use of kitchen and dining room, on Main street. Apply at

sep10-1m HERALD OFFICE.

WANTED.

A MAN AND WIFE (without children) to work on a farm about one mile from the city. The man to do general farm work, and the woman to do the house and kitchen work for a small family. Best of references will be required. Address lock box 47, giving references, stating when and where the parties can be seen. sep17-1w

WANTED.

COTTAGES, TWO-STORY HOUSES AND farms, to sell.

R. D. PITT,
Real Estate Agent.
20 Downey Block. sep19:tf

WANTED.

COTTAGES AND STORES, TO RENT.

R. D. PITT,
Real Estate Agent.
20 Downey Block. sep19:tf

WANTED!!

GOOD BUSINESS MEN OF CAPITAL to apply at our office and enquire concerning good business opportunities and investments.

CHAMBERLIN & BANCROFT,
Real Estate Brokers, opposite Postoffice.
sep16tf

WANTED!!

A PRACTICAL LAUNDRYMAN with a capital of $1,600, to purchase a half interest in the best paying Laundry business in the city. Apply immediately to

CHAMBERLIN & BANCROFT,
Real Estate Brokers, opposite Postoffice.

SHEEP PASTURE---FOR RENT.

FIRST-CLASS SHEEP RANGE, SUFFICIENT to graze 3,500 head, with abundant water, situated within a few miles of the city. For further information, apply at the

PHILADELPHIA BREWERY.
sep15-1w

WANTED!!

A GOOD ENERGETIC MAN with a capital of $1,000, to purchase a half interest in one of the most popular and best paying Restaurants in the city. Apply to

CHAMBERLIN & BANCROFT,
Real Estate Brokers, opposite Postoffice.

IMPROVED ORDER OF RED MEN

THERE WILL BE A MEETING of those who desire to unite in forming a Tribe of the Improved Order of Red Men in Los Angeles, at Good Templar Hall, on FRIDAY evening, Sep. 25th, 1874, for the purpose of taking the initiatory steps for the formation of the Tribe. All who have signed the petition are requested to be present, prepared to pay the charter fee, and others who desire to join should put their names to the petition before that meeting. A full attendance is desired, as officers will be elected for the current term.

L. M. HOLT,
T. J. CAYSTILE.
Los Angeles, Sep. 17, 1874. 18td

FOR SALE.

A THIRTY-LIGHT Atmospheric Gas Machine, new and in good working order.—Will be sold at less than cost.

S. C. FOY,
sep5-1m No. 17 Los Angeles St.

TO EXCHANGE.

A BAND of SHEEP

TO EXCHANGE FOR A

FARM OF LAND!

FARM TO BE LOCATED SOUTHEAST of city.

VALUE, $4,300.

Apply to

CHAMBERLIN & BANCROFT,
Real Estate Brokers,
Nearly opposite Postoffice.
sep18-tf

The best engraveing done in Los Angeles is executed by W. B. TULLIS. Call and see specimens at BUSH'S Jewelry Store.

Notice to the Public.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the City Taxes are now due, and will become delinquent, on the first day of November, 1874 and unless paid prior to said 1st day of November, five per cent. will be added to the amount of said taxes. The City Marshal will remain at his office between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 P. M., of every day, Sundays excepted, from date until the 31st day of October, 1874, to receive said city taxes, and where the same are payable.

R. J. WOLF, Marshal and
sep16tf Ex-officio Tax Collector.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Mr. A. H. HAVELL

BEGS RESPECTFULLY TO STATE THAT he has opened his new Piano-forte Warerooms in

Anderson's Building,

MAIN STREET, opposite the new Catholic Church, with a full line of instruments by

Hallett & Davis, Boston, Vose, New York, Dunham,

And others, which he proposes to sell at

San Francisco Prices,

And invites competition.

ORGANS by WOOD

In great variety. Every instrument GUARANTEED FOR FIVE YEARS.

CALL AND SEE THEM!
CALL AND HEAR THEM!

Pianos, Organs,

Tuned Properly, Carefully Regulated, and Thoroughly Repaired.

LESSONS GIVEN

On the PIANO, ORGAN, VOCAL CULTURE, HARMONY, THOROUGH BASS, &c.

PLEASE APPLY FOR TERMS.

Every Instrument sold by me is warranted New.

aug30:tf

SOLID GOLD JEWELRY OF THE LATEST STYLE IS ON SALE AT C. H. BUSH'S.

THE DECKER.

The King of Pianos,

STANDS UNRIVALED.

KOHLER, CHASE & CO.,

WHOLESALE AGENTS,

633 Clay street, San Francisco.

J. D. PATRICK,

No. 60 Tpring street,

AGENT for Los Angeles, the Southern Metropolis of the State of California.
sep6-1m

BOARDING HOUSE.

I HAVE FIRST-CLASS ACCOMMODATIONS for board and lodging, with

Newly Furnished Rooms,

and tables supplied with the best the market affords. Terms:—$5 50 per week.

L. F. RUCKEL,

ALISO STREET, near Aliso Store.
sep18tf

Bring in your Jewelry Jobbing that others say cannot be done in Los Angeles.

C. H. BUSH.

SOMETHING NEW.

Pacific Auction Rooms!

R. DAVIS & CO.,

AUCTIONEERS

Will sell at Auction every

TUESDAY and SATURDAY,

At 11 o'clock A. M.,

A very large and fine assortment of

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

OF PARLOR, BEDROOM, KITCHEN

— AND —

RESTAURANT FURNITURE.

CHINA TEA SETS, GLASS WARE, CROCKERY,
PLATED WARE, CLOCKS, LOKING-GLASSES,
TABLE CASTORS,
CALIFORNIA LAUREL SUITS,
Marble Top Hat Racks.
Spring Mattresses.
Lounges,
Bedsteads,
MARSAILLES QUILTS.

We are receiving large consignments by every steamer. We will sell goods at private sale at

AUCTION PRICES.

All those in want of such goods, will do well to give us a call, so you can save money by it. No trouble to show our goods.

N. B.—R. DAVIS & CO., will give their special attention to out-door sales for families and store-keepers, on the most reasonable terms.

No. 2 ARCADIA BLOCK,
sep18 LOS ANGELES STREET.

If you want a Howard watch, consult C. H. BUSH before purchasing.

EIGHTY ACRES

— OF —

Splendid Land for Sale

CHEAP,

ADJOINING THE RACE TRACK, and only 3 1-2 miles from the Postoffice, Quality of soil for farming or growing Semi-Tropical Fruit trees, equal to the best.

PRICE, $35 per Acre,

If sold within two weeks. For further information, apply immediately to

CHAMBERLIN & BANCROFT,
Real Estate Brokers,

No. 21 Spring street,

Nearly opposite Postoffice, Los Angeles.
sep11tf

ELGIN WATCHES ARE SOLD CHEAPER BY C. H. BUSH THAN ANY OTHER FIRM IN THE CITY.

L. Simon & Co.,

DEALERS IN

WINES AND LIQUORS

Keep always on hand the best of everything in their line for family supply. A specialty made of the manufacture of all kinds of Syrups for the trade.

Signoret's Building, No. 17 Main st. [aug13tf

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.

LOCATED ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE Plaza. House contains

Five Large Rooms,

Kitchen, Bath and Storerooms, and four or five fine large Closets.

The house is nearly all hard finished, and is in the finest order and ready for occupancy.

The lot is about 30 feet front by 300 feet deep, and runs through to Alameda street.

This property is owned by Mr. Geo. R. Butler, who offers it for sale in consequence of his removal to his place in the country.

PRICE, - - $3,500.

Apply to

CHAMBERLIN & BANCROFT,

REAL ESTATE BROKERS,

21 Spring street, opposite Postoffice.
sep8-1m

MISCELLANEOUS ADVERTISEMENTS.

"LIVE AND LET LIVE,"

IS OUR MOTTO.

And we mean to do the fair thing with the Public. Not sell a few leading articles below cost, and make it up on other goods, but we will sell ALL CLASS OF GOODS at merely a living profit. You will find now in our store, the very best stock of

DOMESTIC GOODS.

Also, a full line of the newest and prettiest Dress goods, such as

Black Silk, Fancy Silks, Poplins, Serges, Merinos, Delaines, &c.

Ever brought to this market. Furthermore, the best make of

CALIFORNIA BOOTS AND SHOES,

For LADIES, GENTS, MISSES, BOYS and CHILDREN,

Also, a full line of the best Clothing and Furnishing goods. We do not blow nor brag, but if you wish to be convinced, come to the store

IMPORTANT,

MAIN STREET, under the Lafayette Hotel,

And you will find New and Fresh Goods cheaper than elsewhere.

Immense Sacrifice!

R. SLANEY'S

MAMMOTH

BOOT & SHOE STORE

Corner Commercial and Los Angeles Sts.

GREAT CLEARANCE SALE

FOR 30 DAYS ONLY.

500 Prs. Men's Tap-soled Calf Boots, 1st quality, $6 00, formerly $7 50.
500 Prs. Men's Single-soled Calf Boots, 1st quality, $5 50, formerly $7.
500 Prs. Men's Calf Boots, 2d quality (San Francisco make) $4 50, formerly $6.
500 Prs. Boys' Calf Boots, 1st qual., $4, formerly $5 50.
500 Prs. Boys' Kip Boots, $2 50, formerly $3 50.
500 Prs. Ladies' Balmorals, $1 25, formerly $2.
500 Prs. Ladies' Balmorals, 1st qual., $3 50, formerly $5.
500 Prs. Ladies' Buttoned, $3 25, formerly $4 50.
500 Prs. Ladies' Buttoned, 1st qual., $4 50, formerly $5 50.

Misses' and Children's Shoes equally as Cheap.

☞ Anyone who reads these prices can see that I sell my Splendid and Well-assorted Stock of Men's, Boys' and Ladies' Wear cheaper than any house in the city.

I must clear out my present Stock at once to make room for the extensive Winter Assortment now arriving. aug15tf

WITTELSHOEFER & RAPHAEL

(FORMERLY C. RAPHAEL AND CO.),

REQUENA STREET, OPPOSITE U. S. HOTEL.

DEALERS IN

Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Brushes, and Glass.

Looking-glass Plates, Walnut, Rosewood and Gilt Mouldings of all Styles and Sizes.

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AGENTS FOR THE

California Chemical Paint Company.

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CLARENDON HOTEL,

Main Street, Los Angeles.

A First-class House - - J. A. BROWN, Proprietor.

THE SLEEPING APARTMENTS

Are large and well ventilated, and in the best possible condition.

THE TABLE ALWAYS SUPPLIED WITH THE BEST OF THE MARKET.

No expense will be spared to make the Hotel equal to any on the Coast. a26-tf—5

Cheaper than the Cheapest!

J. D. GUERRERO,

Corner of Plaza, above the Catholic Church, wishes to inform the public in in general that he will sell from this date his entire stock of

DRY GOODS,

Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats and Fancy Goods

AT SAN FRANCISCO COST, POSITIVELY.

Not having the required room in my establishment to keep a mixed assortment, as heretofore, I will sell my entire stock of Crockery, Glass and Hardware, Groceries, Liquors and Cigars, at reduced prices, in order to make room for a Summer Stock of Goods ☞ Everything will be sold at San Francisco cost—but positively for cash.

J. D. GUERRERO,
jy15tf-5 Cor. Plaza, T. P. Campbell's old stand, Los Angeles, Cal.