Los Angeles Herald.

GEN. McCLELLAN'S OPINION OF OSMAN PASHA.

General McClellan is contributing a series of valuable papers to the *North American Review*, closely following the events of the war between the Russ and the Turk. He indulges in running criticisms as he goes along, and in concluding his last paper, having just learned of the fall of Plevna, he disappoints us in his estimate both of the value of that stronghold as a Turkish defense and of the military qualities of its commander, Osman Pasha, who was so greatly admired after the surrender by the Russian military chiefs. General McClellan says:

Osman was treated by the Czar with a degree of courtesy and consideration justified, perhaps, by his obstinate courage, but certainly not by the inhuman brutality which constantly characterized the conduct of his troops toward the wounded Russians who fell in their hands.

We do not yet know with sufficient accuracy the means at Osman's disposal, or all the circumstances which surrounded him, to justify a final judgment upon the merits of his defense from a professional point of view. He certainly deserves the credit of obstinate gallantry, but it now appears more like the conduct of a wild beast at bay than that of a skillful general. He selected his position well and fortified it with skill, but it does not appear that he took advantage of his successes, which were due more to the blunders of his antagonists than to his own merits.

This much is certain: from the moment when Todleben took charge of the siege-operations, when Imeretinski became chief of the staff, when Skobaleff received an important command, and Ghourka was placed in charge of the operations on the Sophia road; from the moment, in fact, when knowledge and skill directed the operations of the Russians—Osman became helpless as a child in their hands, and his fate was sealed. Plevna had no such value in itself as to justify the loss of an army in holding it a few weeks longer. If Osman had been a great or even a good general, he would have abandoned his position the moment he found the Sophia road seriously endangered, for his army would have been of infinitely more use elsewhere. With Plevna and the army which held it, the line of the Balkans has fallen. The weather usually encountered at this season will, no doubt, offer serious obstacles to the Russians, but they are not insuperable, and it is not probable that active operations will be suspended. The army of the Cesarovitch has shown itself fully capable of masking the quadrilateral. It is possible that we shall soon hear of the fall of Sophia, the occupation of Philipopolis; and an advance in force on Adrianople. This will oblige Suleiman Pasha to move with at least a portion of his force to the succor of Adrianople and the capital, in which case the whole of the commands of the Cesarovitch and Zimmerman will not be required for the reduction of the fortresses north of the Balkans, and a part can reenforce the active army in Roumelia. The nature of the fortresses of the quadrilateral is such that armies, not mere garrisons of moderate strength, are necessary to defend them.

If a large Russian army advances into Roumelia, as it readily may, the fate of Turkey must be determined under the walls of Adrianople or in front of the lines of Buyuk Chekmedje, and, in the present condition of the once formidable empire of the Osmanlis, it need surprise no one to hear of the virtual abandonment of all the region north of the Balkans, in order to concentrate in Roumelia for a last desperate effort to hurl back the invaders.

Should events prolong the war into another summer campaign, the Turks have not much to gain by the delay. Their resources are nearly exhausted, while those of Russia are not. The Servians, the Montenegrins, and the Greeks, will occupy them so fully on the west that the Russians and Roumanians can devote the entire strength of the main army to the direct operations against Constantinople. From their vantage-ground in Armenia, it will be perfecly practicable for the Russians to conduct a campaign in Anatolia, which, even if it does not actually lead to Scutari, will at least completly paralyze the Turks in that quarter, and deprive them of the large resources with which that region has always furnished them. It now seems probable that nothing short of foreign interference—and that in the shape of very numerous and strong battalions and a formidable navy—can save them. There is only one power, if there be even one, that has any disposition to interfere, and it is doubtful whether other and stronger powers will permit that interference. It would appear to be wise for the Turks to make peace promptly and on the best terms they can.

The Disadvantages of the Country.

As I sat and mused, I wondered whether California was not a mistake, and with its mild and spiritless climate—its two seasons, monotonous of sunshine and monotonous of rain. Would it not be more agreeable, more pleasant and more healthful to hear the raving winter's storm—the pelting April rain—the mad March wind; to feel the biting cold and burning heat, to see the bare leafless forest trees, the golden autumn foliage; to have sleet, snow, and hail, sleighing in winter time; to be driven into the house and out of the streets at times; to be compelled to leave the mad, seething maelstrom of eternal money-making for the repose of a good week of storm—to get rid of these eternal blue, smiling, heartless skies—these ever-pleasant days of gardens that blossom in January, and flowers that spread their fragrance in unceasing bloom.

We do not wonder that New England people love their rugged soil and their exacting and sometimes severe climate. What if they have no tule lands, with an unfathomable depth of soil; they can raise pumpkins and sweet corn, and that is more than we can do. If their strawberries are not as large as ours, they are more highly flavored. If they have a scarcity of fruits at certain seasons, they enjoy them the more when they do have them. One tires of lamb and green peas, peaches and cream, all the while. Our apples are not as good as New England apples, our celery is not as crisp. Our peaches are overgrown and lack in flavor. We never have butternuts, nor pop-corn, nor sweet cider, in Winter time. No sleigh-rides nor corn-huskings, nor apple-parings; no great chimneys, with broad fireplaces—no pots hanging on swinging cranes—no roaring fires in front of glowing back logs—no fireside circle around the center-table, with work and book. The real solemn truth is, that our climate is the devil's temptation to sloth and idleness. Devil's industries flourish here. Hoodlumism is the growth of climate. Home, fireside, blankets are not indispensable to boys, and the evening frolic is advanced into the moonlit night; the wharf or hay pile serves as a bed. The morning fruit wagon of Summer, the refuse of stall or restaurant, are board. Then why should boys work or go to school, when life may be made one long "hookey." Why should the tramp give up his wanderings to help the farmer at his toil? Life is too easy, and we fear there is some truth in Bob Ingersoll's reflection that it needs ice, snow, and storm, and four seasons, to enable a country to grow great and good men.—*Olla Podrida, in Argonaut.*

Victims of the Gallows in 1877.

The hangman's record for the past year shows that 83 murderers were hanged in the United States. Of this number 47 were white, 34 colored, 1 Indian and 1 Chinaman; 4 were hanged for indecent assaults, 1 for burglary, 8 for wife murder, 1 for filicide and one for fraticide. There were double executions, 1 triple, 2 quadruple and 1 in which 6 men were hanged. Not a single woman was hanged; the only one sentenced to death, Mrs. Louisa Dawson of Virginia, had her sentence commuted to imprisonment for life by the Governor. Friday still maintains its reputation in the black list as the favorite day on which to enforce the death penalty, more murderers having been hanged on that day than on all the other days of the week combined. Forty-seven murderers were hanged on Friday, 17 on Thursday, 8 on Saturday, 6 on Monday, 3 on Tuesday and 2 on Wednesday. There were 5 executions in January, 5 in February, 6 in March, 6 in April, 10 in May, 15 in June, 11 in July, 1 in August, 5 in September, none in October, 9 in November and 10 in December. Maryland furnishes four executions: February 9, Martin Henry and Charles H. Simpson, colored, Port Tobacco, Md.; murder of John W. Everett, July, 1876; November 23, James R. Hawkins, colored, Townsontown, assault on Ida Schaffer, September 23, 1876; December 21, Henry Norfolk, white, Annapolis, murder of his wife, May 26, 1877.

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Santa Ana	4:00 "	6:10 "

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LEGAL.

SUMMONS.

IN the District Court of the Seventeenth Judicial District of the State of California, in and for the county of Los Angeles.

Frank P. Weeks, Plaintiff, against E. H. Barrett, Defendant.

Action brought in the District Court of the 17th Judicial District of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, and the Complaint filed in said county of Los Angeles, in the office of the Clerk of said District Court.

The people of the State of California send greeting to E. H. Barrett, defendant.

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the District Court of the Seventeenth Judicial District of the State of California, in and for the county of Los Angeles, and to answer the complaint filed therein, within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this summons—if served within this county; or, if served out of this county, but in this district, within twenty days; otherwise, within forty days—or judgment by default will be taken against you, according to the prayer of said complaint.

The said action is brought to obtain a decree of this Court for the foreclosure of a certain mortgage described in the said complaint, and executed by the said defendant E. H. Barrett to W. H. Simmons on the twenty-first day of March, A. D. 1876, to secure the payment of five hundred and fifteen ($515 00) dollars in U. S. gold coin, which said mortgage was on the 17th day of September, A. D. 1877, duly assigned to said plaintiff, Frank P. Weeks, by said W. H. Simmons, that the premises conveyed by said mortgage may be sold, and the proceeds applied to the payment of said sum of five hundred and fifteen ($515) dollars, gold coin of the United States, with interest thereon according to the terms and tenor of the promissory note mentioned in complaint and for 20 per cent. on the principal sum mentioned in said promissory note, for attorney's fees provided for in said mortgage and costs of suit, and in case such proceeds are not sufficient to pay the same, then to obtain an execution against said defendant E. H. Barrett, for the balance remaining due, and also that the said defendant and all persons claiming by, through or under him may be barred and foreclosed of all right, title, claim, lien, equity of redemption, and interest in and to said mortgaged premises, and for other and further relief. Reference is had to complaint for particulars.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint as above required, the said plaintiffs will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the said complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the District Court of the Seventeenth Judicial District of the State of California, in and for the county of Los Angeles this 7th day of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

[Seal.] A. W. POTTS, Clerk.
By JAMES C. KAYS, Deputy Clerk.
C. M. FOSTER, Plaintiff's Attorney.
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SUMMONS.

IN the District Court of the Seventeenth Judicial District of the State of California, in and for the county of Los Angeles.

J. M. Griffith & Co., Plaintiffs, vs. A. F. Newnent et al, Defendants.

Action brought in the District Court of the Seventeenth Judicial District of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, and the Complaint filed in said County of Los Angeles, in the office of the Clerk of said District Court.

The People of the State of California, send greeting to A. F. Newnent and W. E. Howell, Defendants.

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named Plaintiff in the District Court of the Seventeenth Judicial District of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, and to answer the complaint filed therein, within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this summons—if served within this county; or, if served out of this county, but in this District, within twenty days; otherwise, within forty days — or judgment by default will be taken against you according to the prayer of said complaint.

The said action is brought to obtain a decree of this Court for the foreclosure of a certain Mechanic's Lien described in the said complaint, and filed by the said plaintiffs in the office of the County Recorder of Los Angeles county, California, on the 1st day of March, A. D. 1877, to secure the payment of the sum of $282 93, gold coin, alleged to be due plaintiffs from defendants for material furnished and used in the construction of a certain building situated in East Los Angeles, county of Los Angeles, California, in lot 1, block 38, known as the Terminus Homestead tract, that the premises covered by said lien may be sold and the proceeds applied to the payment of said sum of $282 93, gold coin; for the sum of $75 as an attorney's fees, and the further sum of $8 the costs and expenses of making, filing and recording said notice of lien, all in U. S. gold coin, and costs of suit, and in case such proceeds are not sufficient to pay the same, then to obtain an execution against said defendants for the balance remaining due, and also that the said defendants and all persons claiming by, through or under them or either of them may be barred and foreclosed of all right, title, claim, lien, equity of redemption, and interest in and to said premises, and for other and further relief.

Reference is had to complaint for particulars.

And you are hereby notified that, if you fail to appear and answer the said Complaint, as above required, the said plaintiffs will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the said complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the District Court of the 17th Judicial District of the State of California, in and for the county of Los Angeles, this 18th day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven. [SEAL.]

A. W. POTTS, Clerk.
By A. RIMPAU, Deputy Clerk.
THOM & ROSS, Plaintiff's Attorneys.
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Notice of Guardian's Sale of Real Estate.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the Probate Court of the county of Los Angeles, state of California, made on the 8th day of January, 1878, in the matter of the estate and guardianship of William W. Boswell, Lorena Boswell and Albert B. Boswell, minors, the undersigned, the guardian of the persons and estates of said minors, will sell at private sale, to the highest bidder, for cash in gold coin of the United States, and subject to confirmation by said Probate Court, on or after

SATURDAY, THE 2d DAY OF FEBRUARY, A. D. 1878,

All the right, title, interest and estate of the said miners in and to all that certain lot, piece and parcel of land situated in the said county of Los Angeles, State of California, particularly described as follows, to wit:

The southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section numbered sixteen (16) in township No. four (4) south, range ten (10) west of the San Bernardino Meridian, containing ten acres, more or less, reserving therefrom for roads a strip of land 20 feet wide on the east line of said lot.

Terms and Conditions of Sale—Cash in gold coin of the United States. Deed at expense of purchaser.

Bids or offers may be made at any time after the first publication of this notice, and before the making of the sale.

All bids or offers must be in writing, and left at the office of Thom & Ross, Attorneys at Law, Temple Block, Los Angeles city, or delivered to the undersigned personally, or filed in the office of the Clerk of the Probate Court.

JOHN W. CASEY,
Guardian of the persons and estates of Wm. W. Boswell, Lorena Boswell and Albert B. Boswell, minors.
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Constable's Sale.

By virtue of an execution issued out of Justice L. D. Conner's Court, of San Jose Township, County of Los Angeles, State of California, dated the 31st day of December, 1877, in a certain action wherein Louis Phillips, executor of the estate of George Blake, deceased, recovered judgment against the Los Angeles Immigration and Land Co-operative Association, on the 31st day of December, 1877, I have levied upon the following described property, to wit:

All the right, title, interest, claim and demand of the Los Angeles Immigration and Land Co-operative Association of, in and to those tracts of land known as the Town of Pomona and the Pomona tract, containing twenty-seven hundred (2700) acres of land, more or less, said tracts of land being a portion of the Rancho de san Jose, situated, lying and, being in the county of Los Angeles, State of California, and more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at the southwest corner of land belonging to David Stein, thence running easterly, following the southerly line of the land belonging to the heirs of Ygnacio Palomares, to the easterly line of the Rancho de San Jose; thence southerly, following the said easterly line of said rancho, to the southeasterly corner of the said Pomona tract; thence westerly, following the southerly line of said Pomona tract, to the southwesterly corner of said tract; thence northerly, following the westerly line of said tract, to the place of beginning; being the right, title and interest of said Los Angeles Immigration and Land Co-operative Association held and owned by it on the 18th day of December, 1877.

Notice is hereby given that on the

25th DAY OF JANUARY, 1878,

At 12 o'clock M. of that day, before the Justice office at Pomona, county of Los Angeles, I will sell all the right, title and interest of said Los Angeles Immigration and Land Co-operative Association in and to the above described property, at public auction, for cash in gold coin, to the highest and best bidder, to satisfy said execution and all costs.

Dated at Pomona, the 31st day of December, 1877. D. R. LILLY,
j3-law-3w Constable.

Constable's Sale.

By virtue of an execution issued out of Justice L. D. Conner's Court, of San Jose Township, county of Los Angeles, State of California, dated the 18th day of December, 1877, in a certain case wherein Thomas J. Emrick, as plaintiff, recovered judgment against the Pomona Water Company, on the 18th day of December, 1877, I have levied upon the following described property, to wit:

All the right, title and interest, of, in and to the rights of water developed in that portion of the San Jose rancho known as the Palomares Cienegas, in Los Angeles county, by the Los Angeles Immigration and Land Co-operative Association, together with the rights of all future developments in said cienegas which the said Pomona Water Company acquired by deed from the above named Los Angeles Immigration and Land Co-operative Association, on or about the 14th day of March, A. D. 1876, and all rights in and to said cienegas and the developments of water therein since subsequently acquired, and also the ditches and rights of way for ditches constructed and owned by the said Pomona Water Company for the conveyance of the water or waters arising and flowing in from and on said cienegas and to the town of Pomona and to the Pomona tract of Los Angeles county aforesaid. The said rights, title and interest of, in and to the waters and ditches above described being the same owned and held by the Pomona Water Company on the 13th day of December, 1877.

Notice is hereby given that on the

23d DAY OF JANUARY, 1878,

At 12 o'clock M. of that day, in front of Justice's office, Pomona, county of Los Angeles, I will sell all the right, title and interest of said Pomona Water Company in and to the above described property, at public auction, for cash in gold coin to the highest and best bidder, to satisfy said execution and all costs.

Dated at Pomona, the 31st day of December, 1877. D. R. LILLY,
j3-law-3w Constable.

United States Land Office,

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 23, 1877.

PETER LARSEN—Sir: You are hereby notified that a hearing will be had at this office on the 6th day of February, 1878, commencing at 10 o'clock A. M., upon the application of Title State of California, ex rel Mrs. J. C. Bowers, to compelate a title under the State for the S. ½ NE. ¼ of Section 33, Township 2 S. R. 14 W., San Bernardino Meridian, at which time and place you will be allowed to offer proofs and cross-examine witnesses touching your claim to said tract.

ALFRED JAMES, Register.
J. W. HAVERSTICK, Receiver.
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Sheriff's Sale.

Martha Brown, Plaintiff, vs. John Hanrahan et al., Defendants.—Seventeenth District Court.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF an execution issued out of the District Court of the Seventeenth Judicial District of the State of California, in and for Los Angeles county, to me directed and delivered, on the 3d day of October, A. D. 1877, for a judgment rendered in said Court on the 13th day of June, A. D. 1876, in favor of Martha Brown, plaintiff, and against M. C. Plummer and J. L. Plummer, defendants, I have levied upon and shall on

MONDAY, THE 26th DAY OF NOVEMBER, A. D. 1877,

At 12 o'clock noon, proceed to sell at the Court House door, in the city and county of Los Angeles, State of California, at public auction, to the highest and bert bidder, for cash in U.S. currency and gold coin to satisfy said judgment for principal, costs, interest and all accruing costs, all the right, title and interest of defendants M. C. Plummer and J. L. Plummer, or either of them, in and to the following described real estate, to wit:

Being the NE ¼ of Section 23, Township 1 south range 14 west S. B. M. the above described real estate being situate in the county of Los Angeles, State of California.

Given under my hand, at Los Angeles, this 3d day of November, A. D. 1877.

D. W. ALEXANDER,
n3 td Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed until Monday the 3d day of December A. D. 1877, at 2 o'clock P. M. at the same place. D. W. ALEXANDER, Sheriff.

Dated Los Angeles, Nov. 26, 1877.

The above sale is hereby postponed until Monday, December 10th, 1877, at same hour and place.

D. W. ALEXANDER, Sheriff.
Dated Los Angeles, Dec. 3 1, 1877.

The above sale is hereby postponed until SATURDAY, the 22d day of December, A. D. 1877, at the same time and place.

D. W. ALEXANDER, Sheriff.
Dated at Los Angeles Dec. 10th, 1877.

The above sale is hereby postponed until Saturday the 29th day of December, A. D. 1877, at the same time and place.

D. W. ALEXANDER, Sheriff.
Dated at Los Angeles, Dec. 22d, 1877.

The above sale is hereby postponed until Saturday, January 5th, 1878, at the same time and place.

D. W. ALEXANDER, Sheriff.
Dated Los Angeles, Dec. 29th, 1877.

The above sale is hereby postponed until Saturday, the 12th day of January, A. D. 1878, at the same time and place.

D. W. ALEXANDER, Sheriff.
Dated Los Angeles, Jan. 5th, 1878.

The above sale is hereby postponed until Saturday, the 19th day of January, 1878, at the same time and place.

D. W. ALEXANDER, Sheriff.
Dated Los Angeles, Jan. 12th, 1878.

NOW OPEN.

SIERRA MADRE VILLA,

A Private Hotel on the mesa or table lands of the Sierra Madre Mountains. Climate unsurpassed for

Summer or Winter Residence.

Commands a charming view of valley and mountain, overlooking the San Gabriel orange groves; is four miles from railroad and telegraph station; house entirely new, lighted by gas, and contains all modern conveniences.

A School for children on the premises. For particulars address proprietor, P. O. Box 1141, Los Angeles.

$3 GOLD PLATED WATCHES. Warranted for five years. Sent by Express to Agents. Address, A. Cousens & Co., Chicago.

LEGAL.

SUMMONS.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE Seventeenth Judicial District of the State of California, in and for the county of Los Angeles.

Samuel Meyer, plaintiff, against J. Cohn, defendant.

Action brought in the District Court of the Seventeenth Judicial District of the State of California, in and for the county of Los Angeles, and the complaint filed in said county of Los Angeles, in the office of the Clerk of said District Court.

The people of the State of California send greeting to J. Cohn, defendant.

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named Plaintiff in the District Court of the Seventeenth Judicial District of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, and to answer the complaint filed therein, within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this summons—if served within this County; or, if served out of this County, but in this District, within twenty days; otherwise, within forty days—or judgment by default will be taken against you, according to the prayer of said Complaint.

The said action is brought to recover judgment for the sum of $488 25, gold coin, alleged to be due for goods, wares and merchandise, supplied to defendant by plaintiff, with interest thereon from 15th January, 1875, at the rate of ten per cent. per annum, and for costs of suit.

Reference is had to complaint for particulars.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint as above required, the said plaintiff will demand judgment against you for said sum of $488 25, gold coin, with interest as above mentioned, and costs of suit.

Given under my hand and the seal of the District Court of the Sevesteenth Judicial District of the State of California, in and for the county of Los Angeles, this 12th day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

[Seal 17th District Court.]
A. W. POTTS, Clerk.
By W. H. A. KIRD, Deputy Clerk.
d16-2m-w

Constable's Sale,

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Justice's Court, of El Monte Township, county of Los Angeles, State of California, dated the 22d day of December, 1877, in a certain action wherein Silas Bennett as plaintiff recovered judgment against A. J. Phelps, defendant on the 22d day of December, 1877, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit:

The NW quarter of Section 18, in Town 1, south of Range 11 West, San Bernardino Meridian and Base Line, in the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Notice is hereby given, that on

TUESDAY, THE 15TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1878,

At 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, at Bennett's Tavern, El Monte township, county of Los Angeles, I will sell all the right, title and interest of said A. J. Phelps in and to the above described property, at Public Auction, for cash in gold coin, to the highest and best bidder, to satisfy said execution and all costs.

Dated at El Monte, the 24th day of December, 1877. B. S. BRYANT,
d25-wtd Constable.

Mortgage Sale.

Harris Newmark, Meyer J. Newmark, Kaspar Cohn and Morris A. Newmark, partners comprising the firm of H. Newmark & Co., Plaintiffs, vs. F. P. F. Temple et al., Defendants — Seventeenth District Court.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF A decree of foreclosure issued out of the District Court of the 17th Judicial District of the State of California, in and for Los Angeles county, on the 21st day of August, A. D. 1877, in the above entitled case, and in favor of Earris Newmark, Meyer J. Newmark, Kaspar Cohn and Morris A. Newmark, partners comprising the firm of H. Newmark & Co., plaintiffs, and against F. P. F. Temple, et al., defendants, a certified copy whereof, duly attested under the seal of said court on the 24th day of August, A. D. 1877, and was delivered to me on the 27th day of August, A. D. 1877, whereby I am commanded to sell at public auction, to the highest and best bidder for cash in U. S. gold coin, the following and in said decree described real estate, to wit:

All that certain real property lying and being and situate in the city and county of Los Angeles, State of California, bounded and described as follows: Bounded by Main, Spring and Market streets, and being that piece of property commonly known as the "Temple Block."

Public notice is hereby given that on

THURSDAY, THE 20TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, A. D. 1877,

At 12 o'clock noon, I will proceed to sell, at the Court House door, in the city and county of Los Angeles, State of California, at public auction to the highest and best bidder, for cash in U. S. gold coin, to satisfy said decree for principal, attorney's fees, costs, interest and all accruing costs, all the right, title and interest of the defendant F. P. F. Temple, in and to all the above described real estate which the said Temple had on the 29th day of September, 1875, or has since acquired.

Given under my hand this 28th day of August, A. D. 1877.

D. W. ALEXANDER,
au29 td Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed until Saturday, the 20th day of October, A. D. 1877, at the same time and place.

D. W. ALEXANDER, Sheriff.
Dated Los Angeles, Sept. 20, 1877.

The above sale is hereby postponed until Tuesday, the 20th day of November A. D. 1877, at the same time and place.

D. W. ALEXANDER, Sheriff.
Dated Los Angeles, Oct. 20th, 1877.

The above sale is hereby postponed until Friday the 21st day of December A. D. 1877, at the same time and place.

D. W. ALEXANDER, Sheriff.
Dated Los Angeles, November 20th 1877.

The above sale is hereby postponed until Monday the 21st day of January, A. D. 1878, at the same time and place.

D. W. ALEXANDER, Sheriff.
Dated Los Angeles Dec. 21, 1877.

Probate Court,

Los Angeles County, State of California.

ESTATE OF DANIEL WILLIAMS, DECEASED.

It appearing to the said Court by the petition this day presented and filed by J. E. Griffin, administrator of the estate of Daniel Williams, deceased, praying for an order of sale of real estate, that it is necessary to sell the whole or some portion of the real estate to pay the debts outstanding against the deceased, and the debts, expenses and charges of administration:

It is therefore ordered by the said Court, that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased, appear before the said Probate Court on Monday, the 11th day of February, 1878, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the court room of said Probate Court, in the city and county of Los Angeles, to show cause why an order should not be granted to the said Administrator to sell so much of the real estate of the said deceased as shall be necessary. And that a copy of this order be published at least four successive weeks in the Los Angeles *Daily Herald*, a newspaper printed and published in said county.

Dated January 9, 1878.

ALBERT M. STEPHENS,
j10 4w Probate Judge.

Notice to Creditors.

ESTATE of JACOB D. WEISER, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Jacob D. Weiser, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at his office, Room No. 31, Temple Block, in the city and county of Los Angeles.

Dated Dec. 18th, 1877.

J. E. GRIFFIN,
Administrator with the will annexed of the Estate of Jacob D. Weiser, deceased. d19-4w

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

The public are hereby notified that the partnership of Schaeffer & Stengel, heretofore existing, is dissolved by mutual consent. The debts of the firm will be paid by Louis J. Stengel, who alone is authorized to collect all bills due said firm.

Los Angeles, Jan. 7, 1878.

Signed: HENRY SCHAEFFER.
j9-1m LOUIS J. STENGEL.

LEGAL.

SUMMONS.

IN the District Court of the Seventeenth Judicial District, of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.

Harriet Leviston, Plaintiff, against Chas. J. Shepherd, Administrator, et al. Defendants.

Action brought in the District Court of the Seventeenth Judicial District of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, and the Complaint filed in said County of Los Angeles, in the office of the Clerk of said District Court.

The People of the State of California again send greeting to Chas. J. Shepherd, Administrator of the estate of Henry Talbot, deceased, Elizabeth Miller, Henry A. Miller, Samuel Jones Talbot, Josiah Talbot, R. Talbot, Jackson Talbot, Charles Talbot, Rowena Talbot Carroll Talbot, Rachel Clark, John Clark, Maria Sanders, Joseph Sanders, Mary J. Morgan, P. Morgan, Ann Eliza Wadkin, A. Wadkin and Dora Talbot, defendants.

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in