Los Angeles Herald.

WEDNESDAY.....NOV. 6, 1878.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

Hereafter notices of companies, societies, churches, etc., will only be inserted in the HERALD as paid advertisements, We reserve, for Places of Worship, a gratis directory, which will appear every Sunday morning.

WAR DEPARTMENT, SIGNAL SERVICE, U. S. ARMY.

Division of Telegrams and Reports for the benefit of Commerce and Agriculture. Report of observations taken at Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 5, 1878.

Time.	Barometer.	Thermometer	Humidity.	Direction of Wind.	Velocity.	Weather.
4:50 A. M.	29.91	57	81	NE	6	Cl'dy
1:50 P. M.	29.79	62	75	E	5	Cl'dy
15 P. M.	29.73	58	53	NW	5	Clear

Maximum Thermometer, 64
Minimum " 53

J. M. FRANTZ, Observer.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Coming municipal events begin to cast their shadows before.

Mr. J. E. Hollenbeck and wife got home by yesterday's overland train.

The Red Men have moved their headquarters from Good Templar to Union Hall.

Mr. J. Bumiller left yesterday on a business visit, of three or four months duration, to New York.

Between 11 and 12 o'clock yesterday morning a few drops of rain fell, sufficient to verify Prophet Potts's prediction.

The manufactures of the Home Industrial Aid Association are now for sale in all the stores in the city. Any one *can* aid the cause by buying a *can*.

Los Angeles people at San Francisco hotels on the 4th: J. Monahan, International; A. H. Williams, American Exchange; H. Cooky, Overland House.

Judge Peel yesterday committed 20 tramps, arrested by officers Ketler and Fonck in the stables of the San Pedro Street Railway, to the chain gang for five days each.

"Spotted Tail," an Indian, was up before Judge Peel yesterday morning on a charge of drunkenness and in default of necessary cash, was committed to the chain gang for five years.

Hon. B. D. Woolf leaves for Sacramento to-morrow. The November term of the Supreme Court opens at that place Saturday. Mr. Woolf during his several visits to Los Angeles has made hosts of friends.

Large tracts of the Centinela rancho were planted in barley during the past season. The yield averaged twenty-two sacks to the acre and all the grain is of a specially fine description.

A rival disciple of Escalapius informed us that "Physician's" theory about the unhealthfulness of our mountain water explains the untimely taking off Doña Eulalia Perez de Guillen at the early age of one hundred and forty-three.

We are indebted to the youthful Miss Potts—a young lady of about five Summers, we should judge—for an exquisite rose-bud. Miss P. is as pretty as a picture and bids fair, in time, to be as popular as a belle as her father, the invincible County Clerk A. W. Potts, is as a politician.

Mr. W. H. J. Brooks, President of the Home Industrial Aid Association, received a dispatch yesterday from Wm. Butts, inventor, informing him that he he had shipped one of his fruit dryers to the Association, which will arrive in a few days.

The Philharmonic Society has extended an invitation to the teachers of the Institute now in session, to be present at the chorus rehearsal this evening, at Good Templars' Hall. The invitation will unquestionably be accepted. Let the chorus be out in full force and sustain their reputation.

Miss Mamie Perry, soprano, Madame Marra, contralto, Messrs. Fanning and Arevalo, first and second tenors, Mr. Hassellman, baritone and Mr. Ruthard, basso, had a very successful rehearsal of the sextettes from Lucia di Lammermoor and Ernani, which they intend to sing at Prof. Kuell's concert, at the residence of Mr. W. H. Perry last evening. A gentleman who was present informs us that Miss Perry's bright, clear voice is admirably adapted to the contralto part and that these difficult selections, from the manner in which they were rendered by all who participated, will be among the most delightful features of the concert.

Assessor Ryan informs us that the acreage sown to corn this year in Los Angeles county sums up 22,000 acres, and that an average of forty-five bushels to the acre would be a fair one. This would give a total yield of 900,000 bushels. Forty-five bushels is a very low average when we remember that much of the land about Downey and Gospel Swamp will yield seventy-five bushels and upwards to the acre, but there is a good deal of mesa land which will by no means yield as liberally as the irrigated sections. Much of the land between Los Angeles and Wilmington and Santa Monica has been this year planted in corn. At the present time it does not look as if the prices realized by our farmers will be as remunerative as last year, when there was a large demand for maize from Mexico and Central America, occasioned by a failure of this staple in those countries.

COURT REPORTS.

District Court.....SEPULVEDA, J.

TUESDAY, Nov. 5 1878.

TRIAL CALENDAR.

Skinner vs. Ellen McGee et al—Dismissed on motion of defendant.

Los Angeles City vs. J. J. Mellus et al—Set for trial Nov. 20th.

G. K. Porter et al vs. M. Kremer—Set for Nov. 15th.

Joseph Bonino vs. Juan Garibaldi—Set for Nov. 19th.

S. C. Hubbell vs. N. P. Campbell—Demurrer to answer submitted.

Perry, Woodworth & Co. vs. Strelitz—Set for Nov. 18, at 10 A. M.

Long, Assignee, vs. D. M. Berry—Set for January 6th.

G. E. Long vs. C. E. Miles et al—Set for Nov. 14th.

Long vs. Thompson and Lindley—Set for Dec. 19th.

G. E. Long vs. W. R. Rowland—Set for Nov. 18th.

Long vs. Brooks—Set for Nov. 20th.

Joseph Vallet vs. Miguel Leonis—Set for Dec. 18th.

H. Ernst vs. Cummings—Set for Dec. 18th.

Alexander vs. Bouton et al—Set for Nov. 21st.

Crawford vs. Bouton et al—Set for Nov. 21st.

Manuel Villa vs. Juan Valdez—Set for Dec. 17th.

Stanway vs. Rubio—Remittitur ordered filed.

Meincer vs. Porter—Motion of plaintiff for judgment on pleadings submitted.

Potts vs. Hulton—Demurrer submitted; two days to file points.

Champion vs. Strelitz—Same action.

Bradley vs. Strelitz—Same action.

O'Melveny vs. Newbill—Same action.

Peck vs. Temple & Long—Same action.

Simons et al vs. Winter—Demurrer set for argument Nov. 7th.

Banner Bros. vs. Winter—Same action.

A. G. Smith vs. Mitchell—Demurrer submitted; four days to each side to file points.

Lawrence vs. Lawrence—Hearing of motion for change of venue set for to-morrow at 10 A. M.

Hamilton et al vs. Blanchard—Remittitur ordered filed.

Rinaldi et al vs. Campbell—Demurrer to amended complaint submitted; two days to file points.

Mehlhorn vs. Lindley—Same action.

Celis vs. Theo. Porter—Same action.

Huse vs. Hazard—Set for Dec. 7th.

Sebastian vs. Colyear—Set for Dec. 19th.

Long vs. Bouton—Demurrer set for argument Nov. 11th.

Carrillo vs. McPhillips—Motion for new trial set for Monday next at 10 A. M.

Gassen vs. Pico—Demurrer submitted; two days to file points.

McFadden vs. Mitchell—Same action.

Long vs. Askin & Metzgar—Demurrer set for argument Nov. 11th.

Davis & Bro. vs. Cajon Irrigation Co.—Demurrer submitted; two days to file points.

Baumgartner vs. Strelitz—Same action.

Rowland vs. Bouton—Same action.

Standefer vs. Lower et al—Same action.

Wolfskill vs. Carrillo—Five days further time to answer.

Morris vs. Pico—Hearing of motion for judgment on the pleadings set for Dec. 7th.

Fletcher vs. Mower—Remittitur filed; set for Dec. 20th; ten days to answer; leave to withdraw bond granted.

Los Angeles Water Company vs. Beaudry—Settlement of statement set for Nov. 11th.

Long vs. Rowland—By consent, default of defendant set aside and ten days given to answer.

Thistlethwaite et al vs. Taylor et al.—Hearing of motion for new trial set for Tuesday next at 10 A. M.

Lothian vs. Wood et al—Demurrer set for argument Thursday next at 10 A. M.

Lothian et al vs. Richter et al—Demurrer submitted; two days to file points.

A. Lothian et al vs. Moulton et al—Same action.

Moore vs. Lugo—Motion for new trial set for hearing Nov. 11th.

Pellifugues vs. Signoret—Death of defendant suggested and Rose Signoret, Executrix, substituted.

Hinds vs. Gage—Hearing of report of Receiver set for to morrow at 10 A. M.

Pelligrin vs. Asbill—Hearing of motion for judgment on pleadings and to strike out portion of answer and demurrer set for to-morrow at 10 A. M.

Lanterman vs. Williams—Motion for new trial denied; ten days stay granted.

Sylvain vs. Alexander—Demurrer submitted; two days to file points

The P. M. S. Co's Losses.

The following is a list of the steamships lost by the Pacific Mail Steamship Company since 1872:

The Bienville, burned at sea en route to Aspinwall, August 15, 1872.

The America, burned at Yokohama, August 24, 1872. Loss $1,000,000.

The Guatemala, wrecked on Tomala bar, Mexico, October 13, 1872. Loss, $500,000.

The Sacramento, wrecked on San Geronimo Island, December 9, 1872. Loss, $500,000.

The Ariel, wrecked between Yokohama and Hakodadi, October 24, 1873. Loss $150,000.

The City of Guatemala, wrecked on Barrier Reef (Atlantic) July 16, 1864. Insured for $220,000; loss $50,000.

The Japan, burned in the China seas, December 17, 1874. Loss, $850,000.

The City of San Francisco, wrecked on Tartar Shoals, in May, 1877. Loss, $800,000.

The Georgia, wrecked below Punta Arenas, October, 1878. Loss, $400,000.

J. W. Davis, formerly of Littlebo' & Davis, who is under indictment for embezzlement and who has been absent in Arizona for some months, returned to the city a day or two ago. Deputy Sheriff Lang, who had been on the lookout for him, learned of his return yesterday, and informing Sheriff Mitchell, they both went to Davis's house last evening and arrested him. He will probably be tried at the present term of the County Court.

Teachers' Institute—Second Day.

The Institute convened at 9 A. M., yesterday, Superintendent McDonald in the chair.

"Let me Kiss the Baby" was sung by five little girls whose voices sent a happy thrill into the hearts of all present.

At the roll call the absentees were: Miss Lizzie M. Lefler, Miss S. M. Stockton, D. B. Sturges, L. W. Weller, Miss A. Heath, J. D. James, Jr., L. D. Smith, M. A. Hodgkiss, Miss B. F. Turner, Mrs. M. C. Stackpole, Miss Mary Bird, Mrs. E. S. Onstotts, Mrs. M. C. Graham, E. A. Parker, T. A. Saxon, Geo. C. Hall, Mrs. G. C. Hall, A. B. McPherson, Geo. J. Forbes, Miss Clara B. Tullis, S. W. Burke, Mrs. M. M. Hews, Mrs. H. A. Lewis; with four excused.

The critic's report made an exhibit of a number of grammatical oversights on the part of the participants in yesterday's discussions.

The Chair announced Messrs. Mathews and Henderson as Committee on Queries and Miss Moulthrop and Mr. Lowery critics for Wednesday.

Mr. McFadden suggested that a mathematical calculation valued the time of the Institute at the rate of four dollars per minute; hence he advocated that each teacher should speak to a well defined thought in every effort.

Prof. J. A. Martling introduced the subject of reading by a terse hit at the mathematical accuracy of Mr. McFadden's calculation, estimating that the value of each individual teacher's thought was a half-cent per minute. He said that the common school system is based upon a knowledge of books, and in support of this assertion he cited the fact that the doings and developments of the world are matters of record; therefore they can alone be successfully learned in books. The first important point is to properly and sympathetically understand and comprehend the sentiments of the author. He classified the words used in the English language as follows: First—Household, which are Celtic and irregular; second—Latin or classic, which are regular and easy to learn; third—Foreign or technical words, which are derived mainly from modern languages and are mainly most difficult of spelling and pronunciation, and draw most upon the memory. The speaker preferred the word method of teaching, since it develops prompt emphasis and does not enslave the pupil's training to the strict rules of punctuation. He thought the mechanical tendency sacrifices the underlaid sentiment. He illustrated beautifully and none the less forcibly his manner of training in emphasis, wherein he develops various shades of thought, and exercises the judgment of the pupil as to that approaching most nearly to the sentiments of the author. He advocated the phonetic system of wording the language, and claimed that the great burden of the language consists in carrying the debris of ages in the form of letters meaningless except in the derivation of the word. He claimed that teaching the child to read gives it the main-spring to all knowledge, since all knowledge is written.

Mr. Bodkin held that the word must be analyzed before the pupil can write successfully.

Miss Bishop sustained the argument of Prof. Martling.

Mr. Cady objected to the concert method of reading, believing that it destroys the conversational feature which should characterize good reading.

Miss Mobeck thought that imitation is the only means of learning correct emphasis, and she accepted only part of Mertling's idea of book study in its broad sense—*i. e.*, all nature is one grand book; the ebb and flow of old ocean but the turning of the leaves of nature's great book.

Mr. Wink wanted some information regarding the teaching of Spanish children to read English; whereupon the Chair called on Mr. McFadden, who advocated the word method, or by first pronouncing the word, then having the pupil pronounce it over and over again until the articulation becomes perfect.

Miss Mobeck preferred the system of writing from the first against the system most in use of printing.

After a recess of ten minutes two little girls sang a very pleasing responsive duet.

Miss Hodgkins introduced the subject of geography, and as an answer to a question as to the plan she would adopt, she said she feared she stood alone without a precedent or guide, since she advocated the improvement of natural means of illustration, especially when the teacher is not provided with apparatus. Her plan in teaching the location of rivers is by first acquainting the pupil with the mountain systems; then show that the rivers flow from the mountains on either side, admitting the exceptions. On those rivers and along the coast she has the pupil learn to the various cities, giving and calling the pupils attention to their political as well as commercial relations and to the country around. She prefers to illustrate by the use of simple appliances that surround the school room. She would illustrate also by planning and describing voyages, etc., which she finds quite interesting. In general, she preferred to preserve the novelty of a study, yet in physical geography she said that some things must be explained by familiar illustrations. She uses the globe exercise in teaching the depletion of the winds. Her plan was exemplified by a recitation, well delivered, by Master Lowman Nevin, who, to say the least, is a prodigy. The system as presented excited profound interest, and portrayed a broad field of study in geography, physical and descriptive.

S. H. Butterfield, by request of Miss Hodgkins, presented illustrations in map drawing, and gave an explanation of the manner of application in the study.

The Institute adjourned until 1 P. M.

Mrs. Jones, in her training, dwells on the different parts of speech, as she feels well understood in all its bearings. Analysis she regards as secondary.

Mr. Leary made a few apt remarks on diagraming. Rev. Mr. Hill thought that parsing should have more attention than analysis, not, however, to the entire exclusion of analytic principles.

Dr. Hill was profound in his argument and it was well received.

After him Mr. Maun, with some apologies for difference of opinions, proceeded to discuss the subject from a practical standpoint.

He said he liked the system of diagraming because of simplicity. He thinks every teacher should make rules of diagramy and should classify his subjects.

Many of the examples are purely technical yet they have the office. He thinks pupils should keep in their minds the practical points, and it is necessary for the teacher to apply in a great measure their utility. He agreed with Dr. Hill in the practicability of careful analysis. He says the teachers must teach the principles of rhetoric long before the scholar arrives at this stage of scientific investigation, therefore continual reference to arrangement, which is corrected mainly in analysis, must be kept prominent before the pupil.

Dr. Hill said he had known of very eminent men who had preserved styles peculiarly their own.

Prof. Allen, of the State Normal Institute, by special request of the Chair, presented some true hits on the diversity of opinions on the subject of grammar. He utterly depreciates the literature of the present day, says that the boy—Dr. Hill—the teacher too?—Allen, yes, the teacher too never reads or desires to read a correctly written sentence. His talk wants to be heard to be appreciated. He abhors so much repetition. He says let alone what is not germain to the subject agreeing perfectly with the main in this case. Language is habit, a matter of imitation, therefore the necessity of correct language in every circle, correct the child in every field of conversation.

His language and delivery is so happy that one wants to hear but to drink in the great volume of his intellect.

The debate adjourned at the close of the remarks of Mr. Allen.

The phonograph was then exhibited to those who desired, with considerable interest, and it will also be presented at noon to day.

At the evening session Professor A. L. Mann, School Superintendent of San Francicco, delivered a lecture on "Ungraded Schools." He was followed by Prof. Peck on "Discrepancies in the School Law."

PROGRAMME FOR TO-DAY.

9 o'clock—Training in the use of Language, by Prof. J. M. Guinn.

10 — Hints upon Extra-Legal Qualifications of Treachers, by W. M. McFadden.

11—School Libraries, by J. R. Brierly.

AFTERNOON.

1—School Law and Reports, by Superintendent McDonald.

2—A Study of Hamlet, by J. A. Martling.

3:15—School Calisthenics, by Miss Babcock.

3:30—School Hygiene, by J. P. Widney, M. D.

7:30—Lecture by C. H. Allen, President of the State Normal Institute.

Board of Supervisors

MONDAY, Nov. 4, 1878.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, all the members present.

On motion of Supervisor Prager, resignation of P. W. Shaw, J. P., Santa Ana Township, was referred back for full report of his proceedings.

On motion of Supervisor Prager, ordered that all indigents within the city limits who have received aid from the county, be admitted to the Hospital and that in future, no allowance will be made to any indigent within the limits of Los Angeles city unless they go into the Hospital.

On motion of Supervisor Morton, B. Wyatt allowed $25 additional for the Stewart Road, making in all $150.

Petition to change boundaries of La Puenta and Savannah School Districts. Granted.

Consideration of petition to change boundaries of La Dow and Ballona School Districts and Orangethorpe and Centralia School Districts, postponed until the December meeting.

On motion of Supervisor Morton, petition of W. Worsham for change of road in Los Nietes District, postponed till December.

On motion of Supervisor Prager, the report of the Hospital Committee, with the Superintendent, in purchasing supplies and employing an Hospital Steward and Matron, is hereby ratified and approved, Mr. Aockerblum as Steward and Mrs. Aockerblum as Matron, at a salary of $30 per month each; a cook at $35 per month and a man at $30 per month, said employés to remain during the pleasure of the Board.

On motion of Supervisor Morton, the form of Hospital Register presented by County Physician Hannon, is hereby adopted.

Petition for relief of Abijah Hewitt. Referred to Supervisor Ott.

Resignation of D. W. McDonald, J. P., of El Monte township, referred back for report.

On motion of Supervisor Prager, the writ of mandate in the case of George C. Knox vs. the Board of Supervisors, referred to the District Attorney with instructions to attend to the matter.

Petition for repairing road to Virgenes rancho and for a school, referred to Supervisor Young.

Report of A. O. Bristol, Road Overseer, referred to Supervisor Hannon.

Report of County Judge and Auditor received and filed. Also reports of J. W. Buster, Eb. Williams and B. H. Russell, Justices of the Peace.

TUESDAY, Nov. 5, 1878.

Board met at 10 A. M., all the members present.

On motion of Supervisor Ott, W. S. Maxwell is authorized to insure contents of new hospital building for $2,500 for three years, in the Royal Company of Liverpool, at 4 per cent.

On motion of Supervisor Morton, Hospital, Court House and Jail Committee authorized to purchase fifteen pairs of blankets.

Petition for a road through Niguel rancho referred to Supervisors Ott and Morton.

On motion of Supervisor Ott, all propositions to furnish squirrel poison, rejected.

Consideration of petition to open Azusa and Los Angeles road postponed till Wednesday of the December meeting.

Contract for clothing for new Hospital awarded to Messrs. Heilman, Haas & Co.

Adjourned till to-morrow at 10 A. M.

Bar Meeting Last Night.

At a meeting of the bar, held last evening in the County Court room, Stephen M. White, Esq, was elected Chairman and Mr. Julius Lyons, Secretary.

J. G. Eastman, Esq., moved that a committee of five upon organization, constitution and by-laws, be appointed, to report at the next meeting. Carried.

The Chair appointed as such committee Messrs. J. G. Eastman, H. M. Smith, J. R. McConnell, F. H. Howard and E. M. Ross.

On motion of A. Brunson, Esq., the meeting adjourned until next Monday, at 1 o'clock P. M., in the District Court room.

The committee are requested to meet at the office of J. G. Eastman to-morrow (Thursday) at 1 o'clock P. M.

The youth of the Los Angeles *Star* stands up like the boy on the burning deck, with his hands prying open his vest pockets, and speaks his little piece as follows, to wit: "Of Franklin, no one ever became tired. His manners were as unaffected as infamy." This is an infamous slander on Franklin's manners. What did the bald-headed philosopher ever do to the editor of the *Star* that he should have his grave jumped on in that savage fashion?—*Santa Barbara Press.*

Now we don't wish to be hypercritical in our dealings with our Los Angeles contemporary, but we confess that, ever since we read that sentence about Franklin, we have been possessed by a profound anxiety to know what it meant. We beg to mildly deprecate the *Press's* suggestion that our esteemed contemporary intended to jump on Franklin's grave; but, nevertheless, the insinuation as regards Franklin is a grave one. Perhaps the remark was made in a Pickwickian sense?

We call particular attention to the advertisement of G. A. Collins & Co. offering to rent a large tract of choice wheat land in the San Jacinto valley. As that valley has always been considered nearly exempt from drouths, and grain there is never troubled with rust, with the present prospect of a general war in Europe next year, and consequent high prices of breadstuffs, this would seem to afford a very attractive opportunity to puchasers and intending settlers.

Property Transfers.

FROM JUDSON, GILLETTE & GIBSON'S TRANSCRIPT OF RECORDS, NOV. 5, 1878.

CONVEYANCES.

Jacob Ross to Adam Forster—Lots 1 and 2 and E ½ lot 3, blk E, in Ross's Addition to Santa Ana; $135.

I W Hellman and J G Downey to Albert Biles—Lot 4, block 4, Pryor tract; $500.

Anaheim Water Co to Theodore Reiser—Building lot 33, Anaheim; $1.

I N Moore to Nathan Fletcher—Lot 5, blk 36, Hancock's survey; $5.

STOCK REPORT.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK AND EXCHANGE BOARD.

MORNING SESSION.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 5.

Mexican	7 01@7 1	Union	1 45@1 50
C & C	17⅝	Alta	12⅞
B & B	23¼@23⅜	Lady Bryan	2 60@2¾
California	1 ¼@11⅝	Julia	5⅝@5¾
Savage	18⅞@19½	Caledonia	4 60@4 70
Con Cal & Va	12¼@14⅜	S Hill	2¾@2½
Chollar	58⅝	Sheridan	1 20
H & N	22¾@23	Lady Wash	2⅛
Jacket	23⅜@23¾	Andes	1 10@1
Point	9¾@9⅞	Ward	1@1 5
Bolcher	7⅞@8½	N Y	1 30@1¾
Confidence	10¾@11	Ophir	54½@22½
Imperial	1¼@1 30	Exchequer	6
Kentuck	7⅛@7⅞	Overman	24@24¾
Alpha	13	Justice	7⅞@8
S Nevada	182½@185	Succor	1 10
Utah	31@39	Bullion	11¾@12¾

AFTERNOON SESSION.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 5.

R & E	8¼@10⅛	Tioga	2@2 10
Eureka	34½@34	Red Cloud	3¼@2½
Jackson	8¼@8½	Summit	1
Belmont	2¼@2 45	Bulwer	16@18¾
N Belle	10⅞@10½	Syndicate	1
Manhattan	3 60@3½	Belvidere	1½
Indian Queen	1	Ritcher	1½
G Prize	8¼@8¼	Con Pac	3½@3½
Argenta	7½	Mono	5¼@5
Independ'e	2½@2 40	Rustler	1
Hill Side	9	Dudley	1¼@2
Highbridge	2¼	Leeds	1 75
Paradise	1 10@9c	M White	9¾@9½
Bodie	17¾@18	Tip-Top	1 30@1 40
Bechtel	1	G Terra	5

Beware of Cheap Excitants,

And use, if you need a tonic stimulant and alterative, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. The liquors of commerce, even when they are not adulterated, fail to produce more than a temporary exhilleration, usually followed by a depressing reaction, anything but beneficial to a weakly constitution. Not only do the potent botanic ingredients combined with the alcoholic of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters minister to the health and vigor of those who use it, but the basis—pure old rye, the finest and most salubrious liquor distilled—is no mean promoter of a healthful condition of the digestive organs. Its presence in the Bitters is essential to preserve their vegetable constituents from fermentation, and it unquestionably augments their remedial value. Few medicinal preparations of a proprietary nature have ever received such strong commendations from medical men.

Attention Ladies.

Mrs. Ponet has arrived from San Francisco with the latest fashions in millinery and fancy goods, which she intends to sell at the lowest prices. Call and see the stylish hats for $5, formerly sold for $10; French garments sold for from $8 to $10; school hats at 25 cents apiece; and all goods at the same low rates. Ladies are invited to call and examine our prices, at "Pioneer" Millinery Store, No. 78 Main street. oct13,1w

Spring eye needles (our own make) at Sutherland's gun store, 75 Main street. 2my7

Razors of every make at Sutherland's gun store, 75 Main street. 2

Carving knives at Sutherland's, 75 Main street. 2my7

From a Distinguished Jurist.

"I have tried the PERUVIAN SYRUP, and the result fully sustains your prediction. It has made a new man of me, infused into my system new vigor and energy. I am no longer tremulous and debilitated as when you last saw me, but stronger, heartier, and with a larger capacity for labor—mental and physical—than at any time during the last five years. Sold by all druggists.

South California Pork Market,

No. 16 MAIN STREET,

Will furnish customers with none but first-class Meats, Sausages, Head Cheese, Pates of all kinds, Ham, Bacon, Poultry, Eggs, Cheese and Butter. Shop open from 5 A. M. to 6 P. M. [illegible]

NEW TO-DAY.

FIRE, FIRE! FIRE!

$800,000.00

LOSS AT THE LATE FIRE IN ST. LOUIS! The main part of Fifth street has burned down and many of the people are homeless. The large wholesale dry goods house of HARRIS BROS. loss is $125,000. The well known wholesale clothing house of SCUGGS, VANDERBILL & BURR'S loss is $87,000. MICHAEL'S BOOT AND SHOE FACTORY'S loss is $127,300; and many others are in the same state.

$276,300 WORTH

Of the above goods have been saved, and the balance has all gone in smoke. It is terrible to hear such sad news, but it can not be helped. The agent of the

IXL AUCTION CO.

Had just been there in time to purchase the balance of DAMAGED GOODS, which have been sold almost for nothing. One-third of the amount has been sent to this city, which are ready for sale

On Saturday, Nov. 2d, at the

IXL AUCTION CO., NO. 9 COMMERCIAL ST.

It is an impossibility to believe how cheap these goods will sell. Just for a pleasure,

READ THE PRICE LIST

Of the goods which were slightly damaged by water:

20963 yards of Slightly Damaged Calicoes.....To be Given Away at 3c. per yard, or 33 yards for $1
19650 yards of Slightly Damaged French Calico.....To be Given Away at 5c. per yard, or 20 yards for $1
30500 yards of Slightly Damaged Turco red dress goods, To be Given Away at 6¼c per yard, or 16 yards for $1
16326 yards of Slightly Damaged Heavy Muslin.....To be Given Away at 4c. per yard, or 25 yards for $1
9789 yards of Slightly Damagod, one of the best brands, Fruit of the Loom, at 5c. per yard, or 20 yards for $1
1119 doz. of Slightly Damaged Ladies' Felt Skirts.....at 47½c. each; Good value, $2
978 doz. of Slightly Damaged Ladies' Colored Hose.....at 8c. a pair; Good value, 25c
933 doz. of Slightly Damaged Ladies' Handerchiefs.....at 6c. apiece; Good value, 25c
1400 doz. of Slightly Damaged Heavy Men's Overshirts.....at 75c. apiece; Good value, $2
1623 doz. of Slightly Damaged Men's Cambric Overshirts.....at 25c. apiece; Good value, $1
1267 doz. of Slightly Damaged Men's Heavy Undershirts and Drawers.....at 35c. apiecc; Good value, 75c
1385 dez. of Slightly Damaged Pairs of Blankets, and several hundred different damaged articles will be sold accordingly.

HURRY! HURRY! HURRY! TO THE

IXL AUCTION CO.

FOR THIS IMMENSE BARGAIN SALE WILL COMMENCE

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