BUSINESS ENTERPRISE.

WHY BUY an old, good-for-nothing PIANO, when you can get a good new one for $360, on the Installment Plan, at the Music Store, 46 Spring St. d10-1m

THE HERALD STEAM PRINTING HOUSE makes a specialty of Legal Printing. Briefs, Transcripts, etc., printed at low rates.

Nature and Art.

To be disposed of by subscription—five glass shades containing 65 rare and bright colored California birds; value at $40, $35, $25, $20, $20 or 140 subscribers at one dollar each. They are now on exhibition at Theo. Wollwebers apothecary's store, Main street. These birds have been collected at great expense and are mounted and fitted up in the most artistic style known to the art, representing the four seasons. They will make a pretty embellishment to a room. Call and look at them. They were collected and mounted by R. I. Scudamore, collecting taxidermist. The drawing to take place at the millinery store of the Misses Hammond, Spring street.

Gentlemen's California screw boots at $3 per pair, heavy Kip farmers' boots at $3 50 per pair, worth $5; men's, youth's and boys' suits at very low prices, at Isaac Norton & Co., corner Main and Requena streets, opposite the U. S. Hotel.

We take pleasure in announcing the arrival in Los Angeles of Mr. F. Lindquist, who is connected in the capacity of cutter with the establishment of F. Veyessett, merchant tailor, No. 7 Spring street. Mr. Lindquist has been employed for many years as cutter in the first establishments of San Francisco, among others with Messrs. Burr & Fink, which house during that time was considered the very best in the metropolis. Mr. Lindquist is welcomed by many people of our city who have hitherto had tailoring work done in San Francisco, but who will not need to send henceforward to secure first-class accommodation. Mr. Veyessett's establishment is in receipt of a large assortment of French, English and American cloths, suitable for the winter season. Here you will find the largest and finest as well as the newest assortment of goods in Southern California. Broadcloths, beavers, doeskins, diagonals, fancy cassimeres, velvet and silk velveting constantly on hand. Mr. Veyessett will not fail to give perfect satisfaction to his numerous customers, as well as reasonable prices. dec5-1m

The Russian Electric Baths of R. Hughes and Wife are located at No. 15 Main street, opposite the Pico House. Gentleman and ladies will be waited upon by persons of their own sex. nov14tf

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

At Pearson's Oriental saloon, Downey Block, you can get a bottle of excellent champagne for $1, fine whiskies, imported direct from Kentucky, milk punches of a perfection which reflects unbounded honor on their compounders and capital Havana cigars, the latter for a bit. s26-1m

Philadelphia Brewery.

Beer has a Falstaffian effect, as Henry Weil, the brewer of the Philadelphia Brewery, will testify. Good beer makes muscle and fat, and all the regular patrons of the Philadelphia Brewery are strong and healthy. It makes the sick well and the healthy stronger; physic is unnecessary and doctors are played out, if you use the Philadelphia beer. Leave orders at the brewery or send them by mail. Delivered free to any part of the city. aug24-tf.

Three button kid gloves at $1 per pair, good value at $1 50; lace and silk ties, corsets and shawls; 125 pair 10-4 white family blankets at $2 50 per pair, at Isaac Norton & Co., corner Main and Requena streets, opposite U. S. Hotel.

No. 130 Hill Street.

Nicely furnished rooms with first class board, use of parlor and piano. Best locality in the city. Terms reasonable. Mrs. J. M. Carey, No. 130 Hill street. oc12

Invalids who are suffering from chronic kidney and liver diseases, rheumatism, dyspepsia, scrofula, and all cutaneous affections, should go to Fulton's Sulphur Wells, located thirteen miles from Los Angeles, on the Anaheim railroad. This water is, beyond a question, fine. oc16tf

Go to McKenzies for PURE OLD BOURBON AND RYE WHISKIES, FRENCH BRANDIES, SCOTCH AND IRISH MALT WHISKIES by the BOTTLE OR GALLON. Goods delivered free of charge.

Notice.

The Ladies' Oyster Rooms, Requena street, near Main, opposite the United States Hotel, are again opened to the ladies and will be carried [illegible] respectable way, [illegible]s, with or witho[illegible] eel at ease and re[illegible] respectful attent[illegible] very style, shrim[illegible], constantly on ha[illegible] E BAYER. oct[illegible]

Fis[illegible] cutlery at Suthe[illegible]e, 75 Main street 2my7

Jo[illegible]ss Hall, has just [illegible]ignment of boca[illegible] It is a superb [illegible]t be excelled as [illegible]r. Oysters, shrimp[illegible] and cold [illegible]unches of all kin[illegible] hand. Give him a call. Corner [illegible]ain and Requena streets, oppo[illegible]te the U. S. Hot[illegible] o9

T[illegible] best and cheapest clothing and [illegible] can always be found for cash at [illegible] Quincy Hall clothing store, Du[illegible]mmun Block. Y[illegible] shly and with economy buy[illegible] your goods [illegible] oct31-tf

[illegible] our old clothes fo[illegible] 8 Aliso street. n[illegible]f

Los Angeles Herald.

SATURDAY.....DEC 21. 1878

Herald Steam Printing House.

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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., Dec. 20, 1878.

Time.	Barometer.	Thermometer	Humidity.	Direction of Wind.	Velocity.	Weather.
4:50 A. M.	30 21	59	46	E	6	Clear
1:50 P. M.	30.21	66	13	W	7	Clear
8:15 P. M.	30 27	48	48	NE	8	Clear

Maximum Thermometer, 67.0
Minimum " 38.4

J. M. FRANTZ,
Sg't, Sig. Corps U. S. A.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Lots of thread at the IXL for 25c a dozen.

The city schools closed yesterday for the holiday vacation.

An experienced woman advertises for a situation in this morning's HERALD.

All the city officers-elect will assume their official duties on New Year's Day.

Street sprinkling was resumed yesterday and as a result our merchants wear smiling faces.

Mr. John Goldsworthy is the new City Surveyor, vice Capt. Kelleher, who will retire January 1st.

Mr. E. F. Spence, of the Commercial Bank, got home by yesterday's overland train from San Francisco.

The first annual message of Mayor Toberman will be found on the fourth page of this morning's HERALD.

Mr. Henry King was elected Chief of Police on the second ballot, by Council yesterday afternoon.

A serenading party visited Mayor Toberman and the other recently elected city officers last night.

Before you buy your Christmas shoes be sure and call at Slaney's, 100 Main street. He is offering his goods at unheard-of low prices for the holidays.

The HERALD office acknowledges the compliment of a delightful serenade from Professors Conterno and Ruthard and the Messrs. Wangeman, Dohs and others, last night. We tender our thanks for the exquisite music rendered and trust the gentlemen may find it convenient to visit us often.

Two-buttoned kid gloves are in style. The IXL sells them at 75c.

A rare opportunity will be afforded the ladies of this city to supply themselves with millinery and fancy goods at their own prices, at the auction sale of Mrs. Ponet's large and varied stock, which commences on Monday next and will be continued from day to day until all the goods are disposed of. Meantime bargains can be obtained at private sale.

The Christmas display of The Queen's show window presents the prettiest array of ladies', gentlemen's and misses' slippers, which, for style, beauty and variety of color, surpass anything yet exhibited, and would be a credit to Broadway, New York, or Chestnut street, Philadelphia. Don't forget the place, 104 Main street.

In Judge Trafford's Court yesterday morning, P. H. Newbill and William Near, (an account of their difficulty appeared in yesterday's HERALD) were arraigned on the charge of disturbing the peace. Newbill plead guilty and was fined $10. Near asked for a continuance till 2 o'clock P. M., at which time he proved that he had simply acted on the defensive and he was, consequently, discharged.

At the IXL they give 12 neckties for 25c; elsewhere 2 only.

At a meeting held on Wednesday [illegible], for the purpose of organizing an Olympic Club, Charles E. Miles was chosen Chairman and S. W. Sutherland Secretary. The Chair appointed Messrs. Eckert, DuFlon and Lucas a committee to draft a Constitution and By-Laws, said committee to report to a meeting to be held this (Saturday) evening, at the County Court room, at 8 o'clock. The club will be known as the Athletic Club of Los Angeles.

The Los Angeles Guards last night, at the conclusion of the Philharmonic Concert, accompanied by Conterno's band, visited the residence of their comrade, Mr. Henry King, and gave him a serenade in honor of his election to the position of Chief of Police. The company were invited into the house, where they partook of a delicious lunch and drank the health of the new Chief in brimming bumpers of champagne.

Arrived at Wilmington, Dec. 20, schooner Courser, Lovedale master, from Port Blakely, with 516,000 feet of lumber for the Western Development Company; schooner Eclipse, Chester master, from Humboldt, with 275,000 feet of lumber for J. M. Griffith & Co.; barkentine Melanchton, Mason master, from Knapptown, with 338,000 feet of lumber for A. Lothian & Co.; schooner Little River, Anderson master, from Humboldt, with 1 9,000 feet of lumber for A. Guy Smith & Co., Anaheim.

Ladies shoes at $1.00 a pair at the IXL.

THE FINAL CONCERT.

A Musical Success and a Financial Failure.

The matinee yesterday afternoon and concert last night completed the Philharmonic season. We do not know that we are under obligation to mince matters. In nearly every detail the musical features of the series of concerts were artistic and thorough. Musicians from nearly all parts of Southern California participated in the exercises. They were drawn here by a genuine devotion to a beautiful art, and they comprised an amount of musical skill and culture remarkable under the circumstances. Our own very large local musical constituency adopted the idea of a series of general concerts with enthusiasm. The Horticultural Pavilion has the area of a large cathedral and admirable acoustic characteristics. Our people should have warmed up to the enterprise *en masse* and they simply failed to do so. This is the truth of the matter arrayed in the Georgia costume of a shirt collar and a pair of spurs. (We hate to use that indelicate phrase, the *naked* truth.)

The matinee was not extravagantly attended yesterday afternoon, nor was the attendance in the evening, although much larger, what it should have been. The lollowing programme was rendered last night, with some transposition in its order, but in full.

PART I.

1. Grand Overture—"Somnambula".....Rossini
   Orchestra.
2. Chorus—"As the Hart Pants".....Mendelsohn
3. Solo—Serenade.....Gounod
   Madame Marra.
4. Chorus—"Star of Descending Night".....Emerson
5. Duet—"O salutaris".....Millard
   Dr. Corbett and Prof. Burke.
6. Selection—"Ernani".....Verdi
   Orchestra.
7. Duet and Chorus—"I waited for the Lord".....Mendelsohn
   Madame Marra and Miss Nannie White.

PART II.

1. Anvil Chorus.....Verdi
2. Song—"When your Silver Locks were Gold".....Arranged by Conterno
   Orchestra.
3. Solo.....Meyerbeer
   Miss Mamie Perry.
4. Chorus—"Farewell to the Forest".....Mendelsohn
5. Quartette and Humming Chorus.....Root
   Mrs. Carter, Mrs. Bowly, Messrs. Carter and Locke.
6. Duet (two cornets)—"Norma".....Arranged by Conterno
   Orchestra.
7. Solo and Chorus—"Marvellous Work".....Haydn
   Mrs. Caswell.

This time the full complement of the Los Angeles Guards was on hand and the Anvil Chorus came off according to programme.

The most marked event of the evening was a double encore which the audience insisted upon tendering to Miss Perry.

If we had the space, there are many features of this charming series of concerts which we would like to dwell upon. We trust that the next time our Philharmonic friends exert themselves to please the public the latter will be in a more responsive mood than during the present season.

Council—Special Session.

Council met at 3 P. M. yesterday, pursuant to adjournment, President Beck in the Chair. Full Council present.

On motion, it was resolved to reopen nominations for Chief of Police.

A communication was received from Mr. Francis Baker, announcing himself as a candidate for the position.

Mr. Lawlor nominated Mr. D. V. Waldron.

Mr. Vail nominated Mr. S. Moran.

On motion, nominations were declared closed.

On motion, it was decided that the candidate receiving the lowest number of votes be dropped after each ballot.

On motion, it was resolved that blanks should not be counted as votes.

First ballot—Moran, 2; Gerkins, 7; Waldron, 2; King, 4.

Second ballot—King, 8; Gerkins, 7.

Mr. King was declared elected Chief of Police.

Messrs. H. J. Stevenson, John Goldsworthy, E. T. Wright, Geo. Hanson, Geo. M. Woodward and M. Kelleher were nominated for City Surveyor.

First ballot—Goldsworthy, 6; Stevenson, 3; Hanson, 1; Kelleher, 1; Woodward, 2; Wright, 2.

Second ballot—Goldsworthy, 8, Stevenson, 5; Wright, 2.

Mr. John Goldsworthy was declared elected City Surveyor.

The nominations for Zanjero were Messrs. Henry Campbell, Thos J. Cuddy, Frank C. Indart, J. G. Nichols, H. C. Thomas, C. Aguillar, W. H. K. Montague and W. P. Meinzer.

A motion to postpone the election of Zanjero was defeated.

First Ballot—Campbell, 4; Cuddy, 2; Montague, 3; Meinzer, 3; Aguillar, 3.

Second Ballot — Campbell, 6; Meinzer, 5; Aguillar, 1; Montague, 3.

Third Ballot—Campbell, 6; Meinzer, 5; Montague, 4;

Fourth Ballot — Campbell, 6, Meinzer, 8; blank, 1.

Mr. Meinzer was declared elected.

The election of other officers was postponed until the next meeting of the Council.

On motion, the offices of Chief of Police, Zanjero and City Surveyor were declared vacant, to take effect on January 1, 1879.

On motion, the Deputy Zanjeros are to be appointed by the Zanjero and the Committee on Zanjas, to be ratified by the Council.

The City Attorney was instructed to inform the Council of the State of the proceedings for opening Seventh street, from Main street to the river.

Adjourned.

Mr. R. Deakers, who is engaged in business at San Francisco, came down by yesterday's overland train to spend the holidays at home.

The IXL has the biggest rush in town at all times, because they are the cheapest.

Bargains in holiday goods at the Crystal Palace.

A CAJON SIMOOM.

A Remarkable Sand-Storm—The Railway Track Covered With Sand—The Train Delayed Fifteen Hours.

Day before yesterday afternoon the out-going Yuma train left Los Angeles on time. Everything went on as usual until it approached Cucamonga Station. At this point a sand storm of extraordinary violence was encountered. The train was soon obliged to stop. Superintendent Hewitt was at once communicated with by telegraph and men were dispatched from all quarters to clear the track, but utterly without avail. The train was delayed some fifteen hours. When we state that the rails for a distance of three or four miles were covered with sand to depths ranging from one to three feet the force of the wind may be conjectured. The simoom, or sirocco, or whatever it may be called, came whistling through the Cajon Pass as though it were discharged from a funnel.

The incoming Yuma train was delayed for an hour and a half through the storm. Some seven years ago a whirlwind poured out of the Cajon Pass which took substantially the same course as the wind day before yesterday. The line of plain traversed by it was about three miles wide, but it fortunately stopped right at the edge of the celebrated Cucamonga vineyard. For much of this width the soil was shaved off as with a knife, being carried resistlessly over the Cucamonga plains. Sand was piled to a height of several feet over the roof of the station of the old stage company, making a total sand drift of over twenty feet high. The storm of the other day must have been a twin brother of that.

COURT REPORTS.

District Court.....SEPULVEDA, J.

FRIDAY, Dec. 20, 1878.

Goethals vs. Meyerstein—Demurrer to amended complaint overruled; ten days to answer.

Fletcher vs. Mower—Passed informally; ten days given plaintiff in addition to reply to amended cross complaint.

Elisha Archer vs. Co-Operative Nursery and Fruit Company—Continued till 10 A. M. to-morrow.

Levy vs. Timms—Demurrer submitted; two days to file points.

Barrows, Furrey & Co. vs. Bullis—Same action.

Jacoby vs. Mitchell—Same action.

Sebastian vs. Colyear—Further action deferred for the term on payment of costs of continuance by defendant.

Labourde vs. Agourre—Judgment for plaintiff; ten days stay.

Long vs. Rowland—Re-set for trial January 20th.

Banning vs. Timms—Demurrer overruled; ten days to answer.

Leonis vs. Lazarovich—Re-set for trial to-morrow, at 9½ A. M.

County Court.....STEPHENS, J.

FRIDAY, Dec. 20th.

People vs. John McCormack and O. H. Dennis, alias Frank Banning—Burglary—Dismissed on motion of District Attorney.

SET FOR TO-DAY (SATURDAY.)

Smith vs. creditors.

Probate Court.....STEPHENS, J.

FRIDAY, Dec. 20th.

Estate of Jos6 D. Machado, deceased—Continued by consent until Jan. 6th, at 10 A. M.

Estate of Moses Nathan, deceased—Petition to set aside estate for widow granted.

Estate of J. H. Lander, deceased—Ordered that sale of real estate to Jonathan Bixby be confirmed.

Estate of Charles F. Lehman, deceased—Hearing of final account set for Jan. 2, at 10 A. M.

SET FOR TO-DAY (SATURDAY.)

Guardianship of Esperideon Garcia—Citation.

Estate of Olmi—Same.

Estate of Henry Pickel—Same.

Guardianship of Maria Dominguez—Same.

Guardianship of Josefa Moreno—Same.

Guardianship of Wm. H. Nixon—Same.

Estate of Lucinda Macy—Same.

Guardianship of Hampton Owens.

Guardianship of Carlos Ortega.

A Modern Diogenes.

The following letter was received by County Clerk Potts a few days ago, and speaks for itself:

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Nov. 20, '78.

Andrew W. Potts, Esq., Los Angeles:

DEAR SIR: I would be very much pleased if you could please tell me the matter that —— did not succeed in —— matter, about in the month of October 77.

Please let me know has —— set the judgment aside.

I cannot understand such swindel business. It looked as if not would be one honest man in the whole city of Los Angeles. Please are you knowing one honest lawyer there. Please write soon.

Yours very truly,

——.

Property Transfers.

FROM JUDSON, GILLETTE & GIBSON'S TRANSCRIPT OF RECORDS, DEC. 20, 1878.

CONVEYANCES.

A B Chapman to Mary E Bower—Eight acres in Chapman tract, Santiago de Santa Ana Rancho; $400.

J W and Miriam Clark to Jos Jordan—N E ¼ of N W ¼ of N W ¼ Sec 16 T 4 S R 10 W; $1

W B Pendleton and Mary A Pendleton to Samuel Hunting—40 acres and 25 acres in Nietos township; $2750.

F Palomares to Louis Santous—N 33x75 ft of lot 1, blk 38, Ord's survey; $1.

San Gabriel Orange Grove Association to Geo E Long—The Dana tract, in Rancho San Pasqual; $500.

Geo E Long to Benjamin F Ball—Above tract; $1000.

A R Loomis and Benj Rebbeck to Mary Mayer—S ½ lot 1, block 77, Ord's survey; $1.

United States to Michael Whisler—Lots 2 and 3 and S ½ of NE ¼ Sec 20 and SW ¼ of N W ¼ Sec 21 T 1 S R 11 W, 145.44 acres.

Benj Rebbeck to A R Loomis and S C Hubbell—N ½ lot 1, blk 77, Ord's survey; $1.

F W Gibson to A M Peck—All interest in lots 6 and 7, range 4, Temple & Gibson tract, San Pedro Rancho; $200.

Geo E Long, assignee, to A M Peck—Above lands, by order of Court.

S Halberstadt and Carola A M Halberstadt and E Schubert, by Sheriff, to Alex Weill—Town lots 54 and 55, Anaheim, and 80 acres in Chapman tract; $4217.

Michael and Laurena Whisler to Sam'l Craig—42.71 acres of lands described in above patent from the United States; $1496 26.

STOCK REPORT.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK AND EXCHANGE BOARD.

MORNING SESSION.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 20.

Ophir	38@37½	Utah	13½
Mexican	28½@28¼	Exchequer	3 60
G & C	8⅝@8¾	Bullion	4¼@4 60
California	9⅝@9⅝	Overman	10@10⅝
Savage	9@8⅞	Justice	4 10@3 65
Con Va	7¾	Alta	5⅝@5¼
Chollar	38¼@38	Lady Bryan	1@1
H & N	10	Julia	2 9@3
Point	3 70@3 65	Caledonia	2 30
Jacket	4½@4¾	Challenge	1 65@1 65
Alpha	9¾	S Hill	1 35
Imperial	65@70c	Leviathan	30
Belcher	3 70@3 60	N Con Va	4@4
Confidence	9	Union	50⅝
S Nevada	47@45⅝	Kentuck	3 70@3 80

AFTERNOON SESSION.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 20.

R & E	9¼@9¼	Hamburg	2@2¼
Eureka	22¾@3½	Summit	1 15@1 10
Jackson	9⅝	Bulwer	15½@15
Leopard	1 10@1	Bodie	10
N Belle	10	Syndicate	2
Manhattan	1 15	Con Pac	2⅝@2 40
G Prize	7¼	Dudley	1 20@1¼
Argenta	2⅝	M White	4½
Independ'e	1 25@1 30	Leeds	1½@1 2½
Highbridge	2¼@2	Tip-Top	1 40@1 3
Paradise	2@1 95	Caledonia	Black Hills 1¼
Del Monte	3		

Cart-Loads of Medicinal Rubbish

Are swallowed by invalids and their physical troubles thus kept alive for years, when that peerless tonic, stimulant and corrective, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters would speedily set the disordered and worn-out mechanism of the system in active and healthful operation again. It has been demonstrated over and over again that the requirements of the sick are answered far better by the Bitters than by a majority of the miscellied remedies of the pharmacopeia. The stomach is strengthened, the liver regulated, the bowels put in proper oeper, the blood enriched and purified and the nervous system rendered tranquil and vigorous by this inestimable family medicine and s feguard against disease, which is, moreover, a most agreeable and effective apuetizer and a cordial peculiarly adapted to the wants of the aged and infirm, delicate females, and convalescing patients. It is, besides, immensely popular as an antidote to malaria.

Holiday Opening.

Phil. Hirschfeld, 71 Main street, Downey Block, has made extensive preparations for the holiday season. He exhibits at his spacious store (lately enlarged) the most magnificent stock of holiday goods, both useful and ornamental, suitable for old and young; a splendid display of superb gift books, comprising fine editions of the great historians, poets, essayists, novelists and classical writers; an infinite variety of juvenile toy books, toys and fine fancy articles. The most fastidious cannot fail to find something to please their taste or fancy.

A grand ball will be given at Turn-Verein Hall, on New Year's eve, under the auspices of the Turn-Verein Germania. Make no other engagement for that evening.

The American Bakery, corner Main and First streets, is the place to get ornamented cakes from $1.00 to $5.00. Those wishing to make Christmas presents or decorate their tables should not neglect this chance. Leave orders on Saturday for Boston brown bread and baked beans on Sunday morning. d182w

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

Second hand clothing bought and sold at No. 8 Aliso street. n7tf

Fine New York cigars at McKenzie's, only one bit each.

For your holiday presents go to the Bazaar. You will get better value for your money than at any other house in this city. Main street, opposite the U. S. Hotel.

The finest line of ladies' cloaks, from $6 to $40, ladies' ready-made wrappers, a nice present for the holidays, at the Bazaar, corner of Main and Requena streets, opposite the U. S. Hotel.

Get your old clothes cleaned and dyed at No. 8 Aliso street. n7tf

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

Bargains in holiday goods at the Crystal Palace.

Old hats re-made at No. 8 Aliso street. n7tf

Cheap prices at Sutherland's gun store, 75 Main street. 2my7

Bargains in holiday goods at the Crystal Palace.

Don't Frown, if You Can Help It,

But don't smile more than you are obliged to, if you have a mouthful of discolored teeth. If such is the case procure and use at least once every day, delightful SOZODONT, which will remove the unbecoming spots and specks that disfigure your teeth, render them pearly white, make the gums hard and rosy and impart fragrance to your breath. SOZODONT, moreover, contains no corrosive acids or gritty particles, which is the case with some dentifrices, but is eminently safe as well as thoroughly effective. Sold by all druggists.

BORN.

AOCKERBLUM—In this city, Dec. 19th, to the wife of Fr. Aockerblum, a son.

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RUSSIA LEATHER and IVORY GOODS, consisting of Purses, Card Cases, Ladies' Companions, Gentlemen's Traveling Cases, etc., etc., etc., Suitable for

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250 dozen Kid Gloves of the Celebrated Angele Make; also, a New and Elegant Assortment of

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Eugene Meyer & Co., 53 & 55 Main St.

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LAST CHANCE.

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"Fare thee well, Los Angeles."
"Fare thee well, California."

Telegraphic Dispatch to THEODORE MELLIS, Manager of the IXL Auction Co.:

"Close Los Angeles IXL immediately. Sell regardless of cost."

In accordance with above instructions, A FAREWELL SLAUGHTER in DRY GOODS, MEN'S and BOYS' CLOTHING, BOOTS and SHOES—AN ADIEU CRUSH in prices of EVERY ARTICLE now on hand at the IXL—will be inaugurated THIS DAY.

I, THEODORE MELLIS, hereby personally guarantee to carry out this programme; so, therefore, I have marked down the goods AT COST and many things BELOW COST. This last price list of ours will convince you to your satisfaction.

READ, FOR THE LAST TIME:

150 pieces of Latest Styles Dress Goods we have reduced from 25 to	12½ cts. per yard
262 pieces of Latest Styles Dress Goods we have reduced from 37½ to	16⅔ cts. per yard
320 pieces of French Percales we have reduced from 25 to	8 cts. per yard
450 pieces of Fancy Colored Piques we have reduced from 30 to	15 cts. per yard
240 pieces of Scotch Plaids we have reduced from 65 to	25 cts. per yard
310 pieces of Camel's-hair Cloth we have reduced from 50 to	22½ cts. per yard
150 pieces of Snowflake Dress Goods we have reduced from 37½ to	12 cts. per yard

The balance of our SHAWLS, BLACK GOODS and SILK VELVETS at ONE-HALF the former prices.

The Last Price List of Our Clothing Department

Has been reduced so low that people hardly can believe it:

We have to close out	957 Diagonal Suits	at $6.00;	former price, $14.00
We have to close out	733 Mission Wool Suits	at 8.50;	former price, 16.50
We have to close out	840 Scotch Plaid All-wool Suits	at 12.00;	former price, 20.00
We have to close out	873 Black Beaver Suits	at 15.00;	former price, 28.00
We have to close out	600 dozen White Linen-Bosom Shirts	at 50 cts;	former price, 1.50
We have to close out	1000 dozen Overalls	at 45 cts;	former price, 75 cts.
We have to close out	907 dozen Heavy Undershirts and Drawers	at 35 cts;	former price, 65 cts.

The Very Last Price List of Our Boot and Shoe Department

Is very astonishing and will please you all.

4000	pairs of Ladies' Congress Gaiters, hand-sewed	at $1.25;	real value, $2.75
3755	pairs of Ladies' Balmoral Shoes, kid fox	at 1.00;	real value, 2.00
3975	pairs of Ladies' Kid Oxford Ties	at 1.25;	real value, 2.50
1200	pairs of Ladies' Burt's French Kid Buttoned Shoes	at 2.75;	real value, 8.00
4320	pairs of Misses' Calf Shoes	at 1.00;	real value, 1.75
5309	pairs of Misses' Pebble Goat Shoes	at 1.25;	real value, 2.25
2720	pairs of Misses' Side-Lace Shoes	at 75;	real value, 2.00
6570	pairs of Men's Congress Gaiters	at 2.00;	real value, 3.75
4840	pairs of Men's Buckle Gaiters	at 2.00;	real value, 4.25
2460	pairs of Men's Boots	at 1.75;	real value, 3.50
3333	pairs of Men's French Glove Kid Low Shoes	at 2.25;	real value, 4.50

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