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 California, October 13, 1884:

Time	Barometer	Thermometer	Dew Point	Direc. of Wind	Velocity	Weather
4:15 A.M.	30.04	57	54	S	2	Clear
12:15 P.M.	30.04	64	59	S	4	Cl'dy
8:15 P.M.	30.04	58	56	W	4	Clear

Total precipitation for storm 0.17 inch.
Maximum Thermometer. 68.7.
Minimum Thermometer, 54.1.

Personal Mention.

E. E. Maxwell, of San Luis Obispo. is at the St. Elmo.

Wallace Leach, Esq., of San Diego, is at the St. Elmo.

Mr. A. M. Kenniston, of San Bernardino, is at the St. Charles.

Hon. H. W. Van Arman, Secretary of the Territory of Arizona, is registered at the St. Elmo.

A part of the Grismer-Davis Company are at the St. Charles and the balance at the St. Elmo.

Mr. J. Phillipe and wife have returned from a two months' trip to the northern part of the State.

Dr. Hope, of Spokane Falls, W. T., is paying Los Angeles a visit after an absence of seven years.

J. W. Waters, Jr., the well known stock grower of Shorthorn cattle, accompanied by his family, is at the St. Elmo.

J. A. McClelland, one of the old reliable engineers of the Vandalia Line, is visiting Dr. M. S. Jones of this city and registered at the St. Charles.

Dr. H. Robinson, the Oculist, leaves today for San Bernardino and Arrowhead Springs, for a two weeks business and pleasure trip.

Judge Richard Egan, of San Juan Capistrano, with his staff consisting of Don Marcos and Juan Forster, arrived in the city yesterday, to attend the fair and races.

Mr. E. S. Dennison, the news agent of the Central Pacific and the Southern Pacific Railroads since June 1st, 1869, arrived from the north yesterday, and is registered at the Depot Hotel.

John C. Fall, of Wilcox, A. T., who was a pioneer merchant of Marysville, Cal., and one of the most universally and favorably known men in northern California, is a passenger by the south bound train to-day.

John G. Overshiner, editor of the Calico *Print*, arrived in the city yesterday on business. He reports the out look at the mines as very promising and brings down a large number of specimens of rich ore to exhibit at the fair to-day at Turnverein Hall.

C. A. Clawson, the proprietor of the Depot Hotel of this city and the Union Depot Hotel at Ogden, arrived in this city to-day. Mr. Clawson returns after the close of the District Fair, and will take to Utah some of the mammoth products of Los Angeles to his Mormon home with him.

Dr. G. A. Millard, formerly of Compton, wife and daughter, have just returned from an extensive trip to Washington Territory. Mr. Millard finds business in that section extremely dull, and returns to Los Angeles, the liveliest place on the coast, content to remain here permanently.

John Bryson, Sr., and wife left this city yesterday for a three months trip to Iowa, Illinois, New York and the World's Exposition at New Orleans, when he will return and commence the erection of the new brick office to be built on the northeast corner of First and Spring streets.

Mr. J. N. Polk, a relative of ex-President James K. Polk, has taken the responsible position of Train Master for the Southern Pacific Railroad Company at this city. Mr. Polk has formerly officiated in the office of Superintendent Bassett on the northern division, running to Monterey, and comes here highly endorsed.

G. H. Sears, formerly one of the great wheat raisers of Colusa county, California, but for a year past a resident of Lompoc, Santa Barbara county, arrived in this city yesterday from an extended trip through old and New Mexico. Mr. Sears, who is an old Californian, says Southern California wields the palm for productive resources and general prosperity.

Our gifted townswoman Miss Ada Addis is about to pay a visit to the wives of a number of army officers at Fort Wingate, New Mexico. This is a picturesque region, near Tuni land and the Moqui and Pueblo Agencies. Miss Addis, who has often writen for the HERALD in the past, will probably favor this paper with a number of those sprightly and interesting letters which flow so easily from her pen when she is in the writing mood. Her many friends in Los Angeles will wish her God speed.

The HERALD office is indebted to Mrs. W. A. Clinton for one of the most exquisite bouquets ever fashioned into artistic shape by deft hands. It is a product of an eight months' old garden which has been brought to a wonderful state of perfection under the supervision of Mr. Clinton and his esthetic wife. The variety of flowers embraced in this beautiful gift is simply bewildering and in the the East it would take years to develop to its present advanced state the garden from which they were plucked.

The Grand Opera House.

The Grismer-Davies combination opened last night to an appreciative but not specially large audience. The attendance would have been far larger if the sterling excellence of the troupe had been thoroughly understood by Los Angeles amusement goers, and unquestionably overflowing houses will be chronicled in the future, the lowering weather having had a discouraging effect upon the devotees of Thespis. We have heretofore had occasion to note the very thorough histrionic gifts of Mr. Grismer. As an elocutionist he is entitled to take high rank. There is a grace in his carriage and a containment and withal an energy in his delivery that win upon cultivated people. In addition, he has that indefinable quality known as soul. Take him for all in all, he is a highly meritorious and very promising actor—one who, with maturity, is quite likely to achieve marked distinction in the lines in which Barrett has attained his great successes. In "Claire and The Forgemaster" there are many openings in which Grismer as Phillippe Derblay is at his best. Miss Phœbe Davies as Lady Claire shows a marked improvement since her last appearance in Los Angeles. In the quite exigent role in which she was cast last night she exhibited a sensibility and artistic capacity worthy of all praise. Her stage presence is strikingly attractive and she is spirituelle and winning in a striking degree.

The company is deserving of public favor; and, later in the week, we shall particularize such of them as seem most worthy of mention.

To-night Monte Cristo will be produced, with scenes, mostly brought from San Francisco. This highly sensational dramatization of Dumas's novel has had the largest run ever known in San Francisco, it having been played to $68,000. The weather having cleared up it will doubtless draw an overflowing house.

Wayward Girls Come to Grief.

Complaint was made before Justice Ling on Saturday last by Gus Wolfrom charging Annie Hepner with grand larceny. It appears that the festive Annie who is young in years but old in crime, was in the employ of Mr. Wolfrom as a domestic, and one day last week when the family were away started in to lay waste the Wolfrom residence by gathering up everything of value that was loose. The first thing that took her eye was a pair of diamond ear rings, these she quietly captured, then a gold watch and chain, three pair of gold bracelets and a diamond ring, fell into her rapacious grasp, besides other things in the jewelry line of less value and too numerous to mention. She then turned her attention to the wardrobe of Mrs. Wolfrom, and everything that would fit her proceeded to don them, even to Mrs. Wolfrom's shoes. In this attire she sallied forth and was greatly admired as she tripped lightly and gayly through the streets, on her way to the depot, where she took the train for San Gabriel. Constable Griffin and Deputy Berry soon got on her trail and duly lodged her in jail this morning, the eldest one, Jessie, was Annie had peached on her, and said her sister had told her to steal the things or she would not have done it. This is not the first time complaints have been made in regard to the young girl of having committed similar offences.

The Only Cloak House.

We would advise our lady readers when out shopping to-day to pay a visit to the popular cloak and suit house of H. Mosgrove & Co., 21 South Spring street, where they will be shown all the latest novelties in wraps. Their stock is most complete and worthy of inspection.

Coulter's Blankets.

Beautiful white all wool bed blankets at greatly reduced prices for the next two weeks, or until we move, which, on account of delay in finishing our new store, will be about November 1st. B. F. Coulter, 236 and 238 North Main street, Baker Block.

Frank Bartlett Post.

There will be an open meeting of the Frank Bartlett Post, G. A. R., at Good Templar's Hall, this evening. All ex-soldiers, their families and friends, are cordially invited to attend. A good time is anticipated, and all the boys of the G. A. R. are expected.

Latest News.

Immense reduction in prices during Fair week at New York Clothing House, No. 134 North Main street. oct 14 5t

Confidence Engine Company.

On account of the rainy weather the picnic of the Confidence Engine Company No. 2 has been postponed from Oct. 12th to Sunday, Oct. 19th, at 10 A. M., at the City Gardens. All the friends of this gallant company are expected to be present.

Trades Assembly.

A Trade Assembly will be organized on Wednesday night, October 15th, at Painters' Hall, Nadeau Block, by a union of various societies of craftsmen in the city.

Ice Cold Soda

At McDonell's Drug Store this week.

THE FAIR.

A Very Creditable Display at Turnverein Hall.

A FINE EXHIBIT OF FRUIT.

Big Apples, Pumpkins and Peaches. Fancy Articles in Profusion. A Good Band of Music in Attendance.

Supt. Garey and his corps of assistants have been very busy all day in providing space for exhibitors and extending every assistance in economizing space to the best advantage. By five o'clock the front hall was pretty well occupied although there has been a great many entries which have not been placed in position. The introduction of some two dozen banana plants measuring from four to ten inches in diameter and from twenty to twenty-five feet in height, with their broad, drooping foliage, rich clusters of fruit and beautiful purple flowers, with the assistance of the brigist, green varnished leaves of young orange and lemon trees, made it wear the appearance of a semi-tropic garden. The monster pumpkins, squashes, corn melons, and fruit from the Downey Fair contributed largely to the display the first night of the Fair. The three electric lights illuminated the whole building beautifully. Although considerable fruit was brought in yesterday there was but a limited display of citrus fruits. The display of Kerckhoff, Cuzner & Co., mill work and finishing woods is very fine and attracts considerable attention. Although the display of needle work was not complete last night, enough was in to show there will be a better display than last year. Niedt's display of soap from his factory was very fine, as was the vegetable, seed, root and bulb display of Mason & Co. The beautiful sack of white Australian wheat from Antelope Valley was also quite a feature, as it is the first wheat ever raised there. There is a liberal display in photography as well as in the product of the busy bee and all the appurtenances for the handling of honey. To-day there will be a liberal addition to the fruit and mechanical display, as well as in manufactured goods. Although there is much more room in Turner Hall than one would first suppose, it is illy adapted as a pavilion, for want of light and facilities for handling exhibits, or getting from one department to another. It is believed this fair will be the most successful fair ever held in this city, and it is to be hoped the first step of the association will be the erection of a suitable pavilion, where exhibitors, as well as visitors, will have better facilities and more light on the subject in the day time. Below will be found the entries at the pavilion up to nine o'clock last night. The opening address by L. J. Rose will no doubt attract a large audience at the pavilion this evening, when the various booths and apartments engaged will all be occupied to the fullest extent of their capacity.

LIST OF ENTRIES.

Miss Gertude Williams—Woolen hearth rug.

Mrs. R. H. Hewitt.—Silk embroidery.

L. H. Burnham, Riverside—One drum sun-dried figs, sample, of 1884 product.

Mrs. M. F. Shepherd—Twelve jars assorted fruits; twelve glasses assorted jellies; one silk sofa pillow; one log cabin quilt; one silk quilt; one crochet tidy; two yards handmade lace.

Fred Rauch—Two whalebone chairs.

E. A. Edwards—Oil burner for stoves and grates.

J. R. McFarland, Cajon, San Diego county—Black morocco grapes and apples.

H. W. Fahing, Lompoc—Washing machine.

Thomas Johannsen—One sack Antelope valley wheat.

J. Wilhim—One rug.

A. F. Machado, Ballona—One cheese.

W. R. Phelps—Hammock supporter.

E. J. Tolle—One windmill model.

Miss Betty Tinacker—One bed spread, one pair pillow shams.

W. A. Field—Ten ears of corn and one hill of corn.

Miss Kate Williams, age 13 years—Silk embroidery.

Jesse Pitney—One case butterflies.

Mrs. J. Kobel—Crayon picture.

W. C. Furrey—Four coal oil ranges, one gasoline range, one new model range.

J. Begg—Hedge pruning machine.

Miss A. Sullivan—One two-fold screen, one tiled dre-place and satin pannel, two small wood pannels' one plaque, four satin d'oyles.

Clara French—Oil painting.

T. E. Johnson, Santa Ana—Steam laundry washer.

F. C. Mason & Co.—Best display of garden and vegetable seeds, sample blue grass seed, twenty pounds alfalfa seed, long blood beet seed, turnip beet seed, red Dutch cabbage, half peck yellow onions, half peck peppers, Hubbard squashes, crooked-neck squash, Lima beans, dry white beans, dry garden peas, best variety peas, half bushel red potatoes.

W. M. Short—Display of pictures, crayon work and crayon portraits.

Haskell & Richardson—Windmill model, American fruit evaporator and Gale plough.

Germain Fruit Co.—Dried peaches and nectarines.

A. M. Shields—One case birds' eggs.

Mrs. W. Friend—Two pair knit stockings, three braided aprons, one knit tidy and knit mat, two pillow shams, one crochet tidy and bed spread.

W. M. Short—Display of pictures, crayon work and crayon portraits.

Mrs. S. Shallino—Bedspread, pillow shams, three tidies, one baby sack and baby cap.

J. Harbert, San Gabriel — Twenty-five pounds dried peaches, 25 pounds dried pears, 25 pounds dried figs, 25 pounds dried nectarines and 25 pounds dried apples.

Miss Hattie White—Best display of fruit in glasses.

Bundy & McFadden, Santa Ana—O. K. steam washer

Mrs. M. A. Gillmore—System for cutting garments.

Mrs. P. W. Delano—Knights Templar banner.

Mrs. A. Myers—One afghan.

Mrs. L. P. Mayer—One darned-knit sacque.

Mrs. M. Springer—Log-cabin quilt.

G. W. Lancaster—Two side-saddles, three gents' saddles, one set harness, one set harness, one English riding bridle.

Burgess & Reeve—Architectural drawings; No. 1, Los Angeles court-house; No. 2, City Hall; No. 3, City Hall; No. 4, City Hall; No. 5, farmhouse to cost $8000; No. 6, cottage hospital of eight beds; No. 7, covered and outside skating rink; No. 8, prize silver medals awarded at Kansas City for architectural drawings.

J. D. Batz—Case of fossils and Indian relics, two bows with arrows, four carved canes.

Mrs. S. H. Pitney—Three silk crochet collars, three crochet collars and one crochet tidy.

Schroeder Bros.—Three oil pictures, pictorial sign.

T. G. Norton, Pasadena—Display of landscape photographs.

Miss Gertrude Williams—One wall pannel.

F. F. Gray, San Gabriel—Best display of peaches, single variety of lemons and three samples of apples.

Miss Stella Haines, aged 14 years—Silk quilt.

Miss Aggie McLaughlin—One table spread and toilet set.

J. Rosenfield—One knit bedspread, one crayon picture.

Mrs. M. A. Cope—One case wax flowers, imitation of California wild flowers.

E. Beswick—One sewing machine, one potato digger.

M. L. Weicks—Antelope Valley wheat.

C. A. Coffman, Ranchito—Thirty pounds yellow corn.

Mrs. H. H. White—Kensington painting, two samples, point lace, silk embroidery, two samples, one plat painting, one lace handkerchief.

Mrs. T. Wigand—Best embroidered table scarf, ribbon and arezene work.

Mrs. R. R. Haines—Best display of fruits in glass, six kinds of jellies.

A. C. Weeks, San Gabriel—Twenty-five pounds apples, 50 peeled peaches, 25 dried peas, 25 unpeeled peaches.

Miss Josie Lambourn—One Kensington sofa pillow.

For the baby show the following entries are recorded:

1. Baby Davies, of Los Angeles, three months old.
2. Leslie Allen Packard, of Downey, three months old.
3. Marian T. Randall, of Downeyy, three months old.
4. Oscar H. Doremus, of Downey, four months old.
5. Adie Roe Thompson, of Los Angeles, seven months old.
6. Charlie Martin Hubel, of Los Angeles, seven months old.

T. E. Stanton—Nine photographs.

George Schrader—Collection flowers and grapes.

Wm. Greve—Two patchwork quilts.

Eli Taylor, Downey—Malaga grapes, pears, peaches, apples, walnuts and corn.

Mrs. T. F. Barnes—One feather edge braid and crocheted baby dress, two crochet baby sacques, two pairs baby bootees, embroidered baby shawl, one embroidered baby's long skirt.

Miss Edith Deming—One couch afghan.

Fruit Growers' Association San Gabriel—Collection of insects injurious to farmers, wash for destroying scale insects.

Mrs. M. A. Cope—One oil painting, two samples Kensington panneling.

J. A. Burrows—Marbleized iron mantles.

Miss C. Walters—Baby cap, collar and handkerchief.

Mrs. J. A. Campbell—One Crayon portrait, one crayon panel picture.

Mary B. Scott—One plaque barbatine modeling and painting, one vase ditto.

Mrs. W. R. Spratt, one crochet shawl.

J. W. Woolfskill—Four varieties of lemons.

Mrs. James Cumston, Vernon—Point lace handkerchief.

Capitol Milling Co.—Flour and meal.

A. Phillips & Son, San Gabriel—Display apples, pears, peaches and figs.

W. W. Biles, Duarte—One comb foundation mill, two frames comb foundation, extracted honey, comb honey, honey in best marketable shape, honey cakes and beeswax.

E. K. Green, Los Angeles—Model Halladay wind mill.

Isaac Gibbs, Vernon—Six varieties table grapes, and sack of tomatoes.

Geo. McMullin—Display of apples.

Mrs. R. Frey—Embroidered table scarf, embroidered p[illegible] piece, embroidered tidy, and two baby hoods.

Los Angeles Broom Factory—Display of brooms and brushes.

C. N. Wilson, San Fernando—Hubbard squashes, broom corn, one barrel of lime, garden peas, parsnips, extracted honey, comb honey and best display of honey.

Miss Lillie d'Artois—Two large pillow cushions, one askun, one lambrequin, one toilet sett and three tidies.

Wm. G. Stiles—Patent grain mill.

E. D. Stone, Compton—Six varieties of apples.

Kerckhoff, Cuzner & Co.—Best display of California woods. Display of cedar ware. Display of piano-ware. Display of window blinds. Display of pine doors. Display of turning lathe work. Display of fancy mouldings and scroll work. Display of wood carpeting. Best made hives and section of boxes.

E. A. Mayer—Wood carving.

Matrimonial.

Mr. Charles E. Senott and Miss Minnie Stovell, Juan Wyatt and Helen Gibson Johnson, Wm. Stralow and Sophie Barden, were yesterday licensed to marry.

THE RACES.

A Postponement owing to the Wet Weather.

Yesterday afternoon the races of the Sixth District Agricultural Fair Association were to have commenced, and lovers of good horses and racing were on the tip-toe of expectation, but on Sunday, "all day the lowhung clouds poured their garnered fullness down," and the track was made so very slushy that the directors concluded to postpone the beginning of the races until to-day at 1 o'clock P. M. The rain of yesterday will undoubtedly make the track faster, as it is naturally sandy and the rain will make it more firm and compact. A fine time may be expected to-day, as superior attractions are offered. The first event will be for the three minute class, free for all horses in the district, for a purse of $500. $225 to first, $75 to second and $50 to third. The following are the trotters entered:

Frank Monroe names b. g. Alph, by Echo, dam unknown; Elias Williams names for owner, L. H. Mayberry, b. g. Hardman, by Echo, dam, Phœbe; C. A. Durfee names bl. g. General Hewitt, by Richmond, dam, Barbara; John J. Reynolds names br. s. Silver Heels, by Gibraltar, dam, Belmont; A. F. McPhail, Santa Barbara, names Dick C.

Last night Killip & Co. sold pools on the above race at Sam Prager's saloon, in Downey Block. Hardman was the favorite, selling at an average of about $35. General Hewitt was second choice, selling for $10. The field sold for from $8 to $13. A pool sold on this race, with Hardman barred, stood: General Hewitt, $20; Silver Heels, $12; the field, $5. Hardman is a big favorite with the knowing ones, but many a time and oft have the knowing ones fallen by the wayside.

The next event to-day will be a trot in the 2:39 class for a purse of $500, with the following entries:

Elias Williams names b. m. Tempest, by Sutton, by Belle Mason.

J. N. Johnson, by C. A. Durfee, names br. g. Dick J., pedigree unknown.

D. R. Payne names bk. m. Kate Bender, by Echo Chief, dam, Black Bird.

Last night Dick J. sold way up in the pools, bringing as high as $60, with Tempest at $25 and Kate Bender $10. A good deal of interest is centered in this race.

To-day there will be only one train to the grounds, which will leave the Commercial street depot at 12 o'clock noon, returning after the last heat is over. Arrangements will perhaps be made after to-day to run trains to the grounds at short intervals.

Nine horses which have been attending the Fresno races will arrive to-day at noon and enter.

Hon. P. A. Finnigan, one of the judges, has arrived and is at the St. Elmo a guest of the Association.

The last entries will be made to-day, and it is a good thing as every stall and shed at the grounds is full.

THE POOL BOX.

The System of Selling and Buying Paris Mutual Pools.

Messrs. Killip & Co., of San Francisco, gentlemen who have been in the business of selling pools on the Pacific Coast for eighteen years, and who have made it a branch of legitimate industry, have the exclusive privilege of the pool box at our present Agricultural Fair. This year they will introduce for the first time, in our community, the system of Paris Mutual Pools. As many people are not familiar with this system the following explanation may be of benefit when they back their favorite horse to-day. The tickets cost $2.50 each, and a person can select any horse entered in the race. If four hundred tickets are sold the pool will amount to $1,000; this sum divided by the number of tickets sold on each horse will determine the winnings. For instance; six horses start in the race, Alph, Hardman, General Hewitt, Silver Heels, Dick C. and Tempest, the latter two being in the field. Two hundred tickets are bought on Alph and if Alph wins each ticket will call for the sum of $1000 divided by 200, which is $5. Seventy-five tickets are sold on Hardman; if Hardman wins each ticket will be worth $13.33⅓. Fifty tickets are sold on Hewitt and if he wins the tickets will call for $20 each. The same will be the case if Silver Heels is the winner. The remaining twenty-five tickets are sold in the field in which there are two horses. If either of them wins the fortunate holder of a ticket, which cost him $2.50, will be entitled to $40 out of the pool box. From this total amount of $1000 the sellers' commission of 5 per cent is deducted. There is an indicator in full view of the crowd on which the number of tickets sold on each horse and on the field is marked at the top of the indicator the total number of tickets sold is marked. All pools are paid on the result of the race. Pools, both auction and mutual, are sold each night at Sam Prager's saloon on Main street.

Latest News.

Immense reduction in prices during Fair week at New York Clothing House, No. 134 North Main street. oct 14 5t

Two Curious Crazies.

A young carpenter named H. R. Herbine, who has been in Los Angeles for about two years, yesterday became furiously crazy and started down Main street on a run, stopping frequently to dip his hands in the dirty water in the gutter. He had conceived an abhorrence to women and assaulted the women that he met on the street, in his wild career. Officers Kearny and Hoyle gave chase, and when they overtook him at the foot of Bath street he threw himself into the zanja on his face, but was pulled out before being strangled. He struggled fiercely while being taken to jail, and insisted that he should not be placed near any woman, against whom he was full of rage and horror. It is needless to say that he is a celibate. On his person was found in bills and coin the sum of $2321.

The other victim is Greenslade, the religious fanatic of East Los Angeles, who is running what he calls the "work of the Lord." He is the fellow who interrupted Ingersoll at the Grand Opera House and was fired out doors. His vagaries are most amusing. Chief Cuddy jailed him yesterday.

Eastern Excursionists.

A. Phillips & Co's excursion party from the East arrived on Sunday with 109 passengers via Mojave. Mr. A. Phillips goes on to San Francisco with thirty-five passengers. Below is given the names of those who remained in Los Angeles: H N Rust, Wm Ruddy, Mrs Wm Ruddy, Miss Lucy E Ruddy, Miss Mabel Ruddy, Edw Ruddy, Ernst Ruddy, Miss Jennie L Chapman, Miss Sarah Barren, S D MacDonald, Mrs S D MacDonald, S C Newton, Mrs S C Newton, Miss Jesse Emerick, Mrs Mary A Abbey, Mrs D Weston, Horace Weston, Mrs P D Sperry, Major A P Sperry, H S Brigham, Chas Clemmons, Miss Alice Holden, Miss Annie C Martin, R A Hartwell R A Bull, E H Hutchinson and wife, G B B Davis and wife, Miss Alice Davis, Mrs L C Burrell, C H Cook, F Gill and wife, C B Capen, J O Longley, Miss Etta Willard, Lilla Davis, Mrs Mary A Agry, C W Agry, W S Robinson, wife and two children, Charles E Webb, A K Miller, Amelia Wintermeyer, G A Burnham, C L Burnham, Mrs L J Burnham, Mrs R M Burnham, Mrs N Pollock, Aggie Stephenson, Rev J M Langston.

The Rainfall of 1884 and 1885.

The annual rainfall has been fairly inaugurated in Los Angeles, and the record for 1884 and 1885 commenced. The rainfall for the 9th instant; according to the U. S. Signal Officer, was .15 inches, and for the 12th .17 inches. Mr. O. H. Bliss, on Alameda street, reports the rainfall of Oct. 9th at 13 inches, and for Oct. 12th at .20 inches, making a total to date of .33 inches, by his measurement and thirty-two hundredths by the Government gauge. Mr. C. Ducommun reports a fall of .06 on the 9th, and .19 for the 12th, making .25 for the two rainstorms. For the past twelve years the average annual rainfall has been 18.94 inches, according to the measurement of Mr. Ducommun. This is a figure that must be entirely satisfactory to horticulturists. There has been but one dry year in twelve years, and then there was a good fruit crop. The only trouble was a lack of grass, but since then the railways have been completed to the best pastures in the country, and dry seasons produce no fear.

Death of D. J. Foley.

The HERALD of Sunday morning announced the sad news of the death of Daniel J. Foley, who for nearly eleven years was pressman of the Los Angeles DAILY HERALD and superintended the printing of the first issue in 1873. Mr. Foley was a soldier in the Union army, a man of a brave and generous disposition, liberal to a fault, and made and kept a full list of friends. For two years he has been falling from a slow but ceaseless consumption of the vital powers, until Saturday night, when he ceased the struggle for earthly life and passed to that of the immortals. His funeral took place yesterday at the Cathedral, and was largely attended by his intimate friends who assisted in laying his remains to rest on the sunny slope of the Roman Catholic cemetery.

Passengers Due From the East To-Day.

The following is the list of passengers from the East, via the Southern route, to arrive in Los Angeles at 12:20 P. M. to-day, specially telegraphed to the HERALD from Casa Grande, Arizona:

J M Green and lady, Worcester, Mass; Geo B Kief and wife, New York; A H Hart and wife, New York; Alonzo Tower and wife, Fred A Tower, Concord, Mass; Wm A Maynard and wife, Maynard, Mass; Mrs C B Callende, Boston, Mass; R B Hunter, Minneapolis, Minn, A Lachman, San Francisco; Col D W Bouldin, Mo; A H Cook, Auston, Texas; John O Enl, San Francisco; O Cook, Benson, A T; J Murvill, Iowa; R F Hasford, Iowa; W W Butler, Newburyport, Mass; Mrs J T McGhee, San Francisco.

An Old and Reliable Institution.

In our local columns will be found the report of the condition of the Farmers' and Merchants' Bank of Los Angeles. This sterling and reliable institution is coeval with the development and prosperity of Los Angeles city and county. A glance at its exhibit will show as large a proportion of cash and of resources instantly convertible into cash as compared with deposits, as is shown by any bank on the Pacific Coast. The name of Mr. I. W. Hellman, its President, has passed into a household word in California as that of a conservative and sagacious financier.

Fight Between Officers.

Officer Fletcher of the police force and Constable T. A. Botello had a lively fight last night in front of Downey Block at about 8 o'clock. Both parties were armed, but neither did any shooting, but the people thought they were going to shoot and scattered in every direction and let them fight it out, till Fletcher had a bruised and battered face and Botello a sprained ankle. When they get ready to appear in public it is supposed that both will be arrested for fighting in the public streets. Botello was the first to get in his work and drew first blood.

Underwear.

All wool scarlet knit underwear at $2.00 per suit. Coulter's great reduction sales until November 1st. 236 and 238 North Main street, Baker block.

"OUR CONGRESSMAN."

An Account of His campaign up the Country.

Hon. R. F. Del Valle, the Democratic candidate for Congress in the Sixth District, left here on the 14th of September to visit his friends and supporters in the northern part of the district and to discuss the political issues of the day. He returned here yesterday to stop over night before going to the southern counties. His tour was one triumphal march from the time he reached Bakersfield until he made his last speech at Calico on Friday evening. The enthusiasm was unbounded; at every place he was met by reception committees, bands of music and large processions of earnest men of both parties. He is full of life and spirits and is confident of ultimate success. His reception in the northern part of the district where he formerly resided, was especially gratifying and disproved the old saying that "a prophet is not without honor save in his own country." Our gallant candidate for Congress, Don Reginaldo, is honored throughout the length and breadth of his large district, and the gracious receptions accorded him are auguries of his election.

The first meeting after leaving Los Angeles was held at Bakersfield, in Kern county. Here the largest crowd of people ever called out by announcement of a political meeting gathered to hear Senator Del Valle and Mr. W. W. Foote speak. There was a big torchlight procession and the utmost enthusiasm prevailed.

At Tulare City, where an open-air meeting was held, at Visalia, at Hanford, at Lamore and at Fresno the same scenes were enacted, salutes being fired, bands of music playing and flags waving. People came from long distances and paid the closest attention to the Senator's speeches. At Fresno the crowd was particularly large and the hall was crowded to overflowing.

At Hollister, in San Benito county, the speakers were met by a large body of Del Valle guards, and a big torchlight procession. One of the features of the Hollister meeting which was calculated to cause the young Senator's heart to throb, was the presence in line of fifty beautiful young ladies on horseback, each wearing Del Valle sashes and carrying torches. It was an open air meeting and fully twenty-five hundred people were in attendance.

In Monterey county meetings were held at Castroville and at Monterey. At the latter place the hall was not nearly large enough to accommodate the crowd that assembled. At Salinas there was a large torchlight procession. The hall at this place was insufficient to contain the large assemblage and an adjournment was taken to Agricultural Hall where three thousand people gathered. The Senator at this point left his party and went over to the little place of Gonzales, where he spoke to a large crowd. Mr. Del Valle is the first candidate for a high office that ever spoke at this village and the people appreciated it accordingly.

In San Luis Obispo county meetings were held at Cambri, Cayucos, and San Luis Obispo. On nearing the latter place the party were met by an immense procession and escorted into the city. A grand meeting was held at which the Senator's speech was supplemented by an excellent one from Col. J. J. Tobin. A good meeting was also held at Arroyo Grande. In Santa Barbara county, Mr. Del Valle's old home, the meetings were very large. At the county seat there was the largest torchlight procession ever held in the county. The meeting was held in a commodious theatre to which not half of the crowd could gain entrance. At this place the Senator gave the young ladies some good advice. At San Buenaventura there was a big open air meeting and many people were present from the surrounding country.

The last speech was made at Calico, Markham's stronghold, and the reception tendered to Senator Del Valle there afforded him very substantial encouragement. He feels confident of carrying the Calico precinct by a majority of one hundred votes.

Mr. Del Valle leaves to-day to make a thorough canvass of San Bernardino and San Diego counties. He will return here on the 20th inst. and begin a vigorous canvass of this county, keeping it up until the eve of election. While here yesterday and last night, Mr. Del Valle was kept busy shaking hands with and receiving the congratulations of his many friends.

Fitch vs. Ingersoll.

The late address of Col. Ingersoll in Los Angeles has aroused a desire upon the part of Angelenos to have the arch-infidel answered. The following correspondence explains itself:

To the Hon. Thomas Fitch:

DEAR SIR: As a community we have just had the opportunity of listening to an argument against orthodoxy by a layman—the celebrated Robert Ingersoll. We think this community would be much interested in listening to your lecture as a layman, entitled "The Invisible Police," in reply to Ingersoll's views. We urgently ask you to name some early day when you will favor us with its delivery in Childs Opera House. Very respectfully,

John F. Godfrey, J. S. Slauson, I. W. Hellman, J. E. Hollenbeck, W. D. Stephenson, E. E. Hewitt, E. P. Spence, C. E. Thom, S. M. Witte, and others.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 10, 1884.

Messrs. J. F. Godfrey, I. W. Hellman, J. E. Hollenbeck, and others:

GENTLEMEN: I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your complimentary request of this date. I cannot persuade myself that any speech of mine will deserve to rank as a "reply" to the matchless Ingersoll; but the "Invisible Police" are at your service and you can arrange for the delivery of the lecture in question Monday, October 20th. I do not wish to profit pecuniarily from the occasion, and if an admission fee is to be charged I suggest that the proceeds be divided between the Orphans' Home and the Ladies' Benevolent Society.

Very respectfully yours, THOMAS FITCH.

COURT REPORTS.

Superior Court—Smith, J.

MONDAY, Oct. 13, 1884.

Thos. H. Smith vs. Los Angeles Irrigation and Land Co-operative Association—Set for trial Nov. 17th, 1884, at 10 A. M.

Guardianship of Facundo F. Ramirez et al, minors—Petition for appointment of guardian. Angel C. de Ramirez appointed guardian; bond $750.

SET FOR TO-MORROW.

Hargrave vs. Orr.
Ex parte W. W. Bennett—Habeas corpus.

HOWARD, J.

Coslo vs. Snee—Demurrer to answer argued and submitted. Plaintiff allowed till Monday, Oct. 20th, 1884, to file brief and defendant two days thereafter.

Kasten vs. Paxten et al.—Plaintiff allowed twenty days additional time to prepare proposed amendments to statement on motion for new trial.

Geller vs. Benham et al.—Plaintiff allowed ten days further time to move for a new trial.

To-day Bargains at People's Store

Children's rubbers 25 cents, People's Store.

Ladies' kid button shoes $1.50, People's Store.

Ladies' French shoes $5, People's Store.

Infant's bronze button shoes 90 cents, People's Store.

Lawn embroideries 4 cents, People's Store.

Boys' three-piece suits $2.90, People's Store.

Ostrich plumes 12-inch long, 50 cents, People's Store.

Black ostrich plumes 22-inch long, $1.75, People's Store.

Good hose 3 cents, People's Store.

Canton flannel 5 cents, People's Store.

Fine millinery, prices low, People's Store.

DIED.

FUNERAL NOTICES ONE DOLLAR.

RUSSELL—In this city, Oct. 12th, at 11 A. M., D. H. Russell, a native of Pennsylvania.

His funeral took place at 2 P. M. yesterday.

Cash Advances.

Parties desiring to get advances on warehouse receipts for grain, will observe the notice in another column of D. McFarland, No. 10 Commercial street.

At the Recorder's Office.

In Recorder Mile's office yesterday, there were filed for record, 11 deeds, 2 mortgages, 4 satisfactions of mortgages, 5 miscellaneous papers and 3 marriage licenses.

Latest News.

Immense reduction in prices during Fair week at New York Clothing House, No. 134 North Main street. oct 14 5t

Del Valle Guards.

The members of the Del Valle Guards, as will be seen by notice in another column, are requested to meet at Justice Ling's court room at 7 o'clock sharp.

New Store.

Mr. B. F. Coulter's new stores in the Hollenbeck Block, corner Spring and Second streets, will not be finished as soon as expected, and he will not move until about Nov. 1st; and he is offering great reductions in many lines. Go and see him.

Eagle Corps Masquerade Ball.

The HERALD acknowledges the receipt of an invitation to the grand masquerade ball of the Eagle Corps, to be given at Armory Hall Friday evening, Oct. 24th, 1884.

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Delayed Train.

The northern overland train on Sunday night was about five hours behind time, and consisted of sixteen heavy loaded cars. A large number of the passengers consisted of railway engineers who are on a return from the Railway Engineers' Convention at San Francisco.

Removal Notice.

Owing to the incompletion of the building on the corner of Spring and Second streets, it will be about the 1st of November before Mr. B. F. Coulter will be ready for business. By this date he expects to be in full blast, with a large and varied stock of goods.

Justice Ling's Court.

People vs. Annie and Jesie Hepner—grand larceny. Case set for this morning at 9 A. M.

People vs. Lulu Dunn Brown. Case dismissed.

Ladies Dress Goods.

A very large and elegant stock of Ladies dress goods, buttons and trimmings just received and must be sold. Stock too large and must be reduced. Great reduction sales until November 1st. B. F. Coulter's, 236 North Main street.

Another Dividend.

The Oro Grande Mining Company has just declared and disbursed the September dividend, from the King mine of Calico, the sum of $22,000. This makes the total dividends of last four months $101,000.—*Calico Print.*

SIEGEL THE HATTER.

SELLING OUT

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.

To meet the growing demands of our largely increased

HAT BUSINESS,

And our store room being rather small, we have concluded to sell out the entire line of

Gents' Furnishing Goods Stock

REGARDLESS OF COST.

We have confidence, therefore, in assuring our patrons and the public that no such favorable opportunity has ever been offered to secure

NEW AND DESIRABLE GOODS

Of every description, at prices before unheard of in Los Angeles.

We take this occasion to return our sincere thanks to our regular customers and the public for their generous support and kind appreciation of our efforts to supply their wants. We engage that in the future we shall leave nothing undone to merit a continuance of your patronage, and retain our reputation of being the most

RELIABLE

As well as the most popular

One Price Hat House

In Los Angeles.

Siegel the Hatter,

Cor. Main and Commercial!

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DILLON & KENEALY,

COR. MAIN & REQUENA STS.,

Los Angeles, Cal. oct5

Grand Fall —AND— Winter Opening.

H. MOSGROVE & CO.,

THE ONLY

CLOAK HOUSE,

Having just received an elegant new stock of goods in their line, beg to announce to their friends that on

Monday, Oct. 13th,

They will ave their

Grand Fall and Winter Opening,

On which occasion they will show all the newest and latest novelties in the way of wraps to be found in

San Francisco and Eastern Markets.

Their facilities for securing the most fashionable goods to be obtained are unsurpassed, and they have taken every advantage they possessed in order to obtain a

FIRST CLASS STOCK OF NEW GOODS

They offer to intending purchasers new goods, latest styles and low prices—conditions that should please all. A visit to their establishment will satis