

DAILY HERALD.

United States Signal Service. Report of observations taken at Los Angeles, California, October 31, 1888, by the War Department.

PERSONALS.

Governor Torres, of Lower California, is at the Nadeau. Senator Thomas F. Grady, of New York, is at the Nadeau. Mr. M. J. Newmark went to San Francisco yesterday morning.

NEWS NOTES.

The Irons Club will hold a special meeting to-morrow evening at 7:30 o'clock. W. H. Brown will have to pay \$25 into the County's Treasury for having disturbed its peace.

A soiree musicale will be given by Mrs. E. J. Valentine this evening at the Los Angeles Conservatory of Music.

Tuesday afternoon two rings were stolen from Mrs. Minnie Catching's rooms on Fort and Second streets.

Peter Teel was sentenced to seventy-five days in the County Jail by Justice Austin yesterday for indecent exposure.

Deputy Sheriff Cooney went north yesterday with Wolf, convicted of manslaughter for the shooting of Wilson, and Mills, the burglar, candidates for San Quentin.

Those of the street-car conductors who made use of "brothers-in-law" appeared in Justice King's court yesterday and pleaded not guilty to the charge of embezzlement.

Transfers of real estate yesterday amounted to \$213,211, and were 66 in number. Of these 27 were for more than \$1,000 each, and 16 were for nominal considerations.

The property owners who protest against the changing of the track of the Southern Pacific Railroad are requested to meet at the Council Chambers this morning at 9 o'clock.

The case of P. Garrity, who was charged with having driven his wife and children out of doors came up in Justice Austin's Court yesterday, but was continued until to-morrow for lack of competent witnesses.

J. F. Falkington, a teamster, was arrested yesterday for malicious mischief. He drove along in front of a main street car and in spite of frequent requests from the driver and from officers to clear the way, declined to hurry or to leave the track.

Joseph Klein, a Sacramento boy, who became tired of his home and ran away found his way to Los Angeles and was yesterday arrested on Alameda street and brought to the station. The boy's father had sent his description to the Chief of Police.

Messrs. Hopkins, Smith and Huff, who were arrested by Officers Bowler and Boland on suspicion of being highwaymen, have been identified by the man who was knocked down the other night. It is suspected that Hopkins is wanted for murder in the East.

Henry Ownes offered to bet \$40 to \$12 that Harrison would be elected yesterday and Mr. G. Huddleston, janitor of the City Hall, and a member of the Colored Independent League, took the bet. A good many more Democrats are more than willing to find bets of a like nature.

Mr. M. A. Mendelson, the well known manager of the White House Clothing Company, has resigned to assume the position of manager in this city of the Napa and Sonoma Wine-Growers' Association, which company will open a branch house here on the 3d instant.

Three Alarms. The alarm from box No. 7 at half-past 7 o'clock last night was for the burning of a partition between two vacant rooms in a house on Mozart street. The rooms had not been occupied for six months and the origin of the fire is a mystery. The partition was the only thing that burned.

The burning of an awning on Spring street, in front of Sheward's drygoods store at 8:30 o'clock, was the cause of an alarm from box No. 32. The fire was extinguished before the building caught. Patrolman Kearney, of Lawson's Patrol, was the first to discover the blaze.

A third alarm was turned in from box No. 6 at 11 o'clock for a fire in a two-story frame dwelling on the corner of Knutris and Workman streets. The damage was not great, and it was suspected that the fire was incendiary.

The First-Street Paving. The difference between the contractors for the paving of First street has not yet been settled, although it is expected that an understanding will be reached in the near future. Mayor Workman has been working very hard with this end in view, and Captain Barrett has taken hold of the matter since he returned. Contractor Shober states that he is and has been perfectly willing to go to work on an equitable arrangement, but he is not willing to let the work go on with Mr. Austin as contractor under an arrangement which does not give him equal rights. He states that he is not to blame for the delay, but that the stumbling blocks have been thrown in the way of the paving by Contractor Austin.

NEW MANAGEMENT.

The L. A. Cable System Changes Ownership. Mr. C. B. Holmes, of Chicago, has been at the Westminster for several days attending to a matter of business of considerable importance to the growth and prosperity of this city. Mr. Holmes is president and superintendent of the South Side Cable Street Car system of Chicago, and also president of the various companies which operate lines in the cities of Indianapolis, Davenport and Rock Island. Chicago was the first of the Eastern cities to adopt the cable system which had been in operation for some time on the Clay street hill in San Francisco, and Mr. Holmes was one of the first projectors of that enterprise.

A representative of the HERALD called upon Mr. Holmes last evening and found him quite willing to talk of the errand which brought him and his two colleagues, L. L. Coburn and R. H. Flemming, to this city.

"There was a rumor, Mr. Holmes," said the HERALD man, "that a Chicago syndicate was contemplating the purchase of the Los Angeles cable railway system. Are affairs in such shape yet that you can say anything about the matter?"

"The rumor was entirely correct," answered Mr. Holmes. "We learned in Chicago that a number of the stockholders of the line were willing to sell out their interest and it was thought best to look into the matter. We came out here to see if the investment would be a satisfactory one, and we concluded that it would."

"Then the sale has been completed?" "It was done to-day and two-thirds of the stock of the Los Angeles Cable-Car System is now owned by Chicago capitalists."

"Who are they?" "The list is a very large one but among the principal purchasers holding more than 10,000 shares are Samuel Flourshem, C. L. Currier, J. J. Mitchell, J. G. McWilliams, L. L. Coburn, C. B. White, J. H. Swan, M. E. Hall, Benj. Allen, R. H. Flemming, J. H. Gillette, T. E. Wells, A. Geddes, Wm. Monroe, J. H. Drake, Norvin E. Hiesam, W. W. Kimball, G. H. Wheeler, J. H. Dwight, W. F. Cobb, Chas. W. Wheeler, Chas. H. Morse, J. C. King, Reid & Murdoch, Judge L. B. Otis, Henry, W. F. and Albert Keep, Samuel W. Allerton, Hibbard, Spencer & Bartlett, Sprague, Warner & Co., Charles L. Hutchinson, George B. Marsh and C. B. Holmes.

They represent collectively something like two hundred and fifty millions of dollars," said Mr. Holmes. "Altogether there are fifty men concerned in the purchase and each of those fifty henceforth, if not before will be a good friend to Los Angeles. The investment has an indirect value to the city, it seems to me, of considerable proportions; for the success of the road depends entirely upon the growth and prosperity of Los Angeles. There is no form in which an investment of foreign capital could take place which would more completely ally the investors with the interests of the city. Being for the most part men of wealth and prominence, their concern for the welfare of the city will be of practical value in increasing its good fortune in the future. Having looked the ground over pretty thoroughly, we consider that the outlook is all right, and that your 'boom' here is based on too solid conditions to be evanescent."

ROORBACKS. One to be Sprung Against J. W. Venable at the Last Hour.

It has come to our knowledge that some Republicans of the Fifth Supervisorial district will spring a calumny against Mr. J. W. Venable, the Democratic candidate, at too late an hour for refutation before the election. The scheme will associate the name of Mr. Venable in a disreputable manner with the work of providing maps for the County Assessor's office.

In anticipation of this design, we will state the County Treasurer required the Supervisors to furnish his office with a complete set of maps of Los Angeles county. These were absolutely necessary for the efficient working of his office.

The Supervisors advertised for bids for the whole work. Upon learning that the Supervisors required maps showing every parcel of land in the county, whether such plats were of record or not, and whether any plats existed in private lands or not, thus involving a large amount of field work to complete the set, all who had purposed bidding for the work declined to do so, saying that it was not possible for them even to approximate the cost.

The Supervisors, therefore, thought best to place the work in the hands of some one whose competence was known to them, and let said party go on with the work at once, employing his own help, so that he could have full control of it, and send in his bill monthly with a statement of the work done, compensation being fixed at so much per day for himself and so much for each helper, only competent draftsmen to be employed.

Mr. Venable was appointed a committee to see that the work was satisfactory, and the number of men employed correctly reported. As such committee he had nothing to do with the question of compensation, that being fixed by the Board. He had nothing to do with the arrangements made between the second party to the agreement and the draftsmen employed, that being wholly their private business.

The work was done satisfactorily and several thousand dollars less than the lowest amount mentioned by those who had at first bid on it, or had contemplated doing so.

Colored Independents. The Colored Independent League met in Justice Taney's court-room last evening, Thomas Pearson in the chair, W. H. Jukes as Secretary and fifty-five members present. Five thousand independent tickets were ordered printed and thirty-nine men were appointed to peddle them on election day. Mr. T. E. Rowan was endorsed for the Shrievalty. Adjourned to Friday evening.

Elsie Reynolds will hold a seance on Friday evening only at 18 Byram street.

Notice: A Challenge. I, Dr. E. Robbins, of Spring and First streets, hereby give \$1,000 to O. G. of the Times, or any person in America, that can prove that I am guilty of any of the tissue of falsehoods that has been stated in last Monday's Times. It is a lie throughout, and I will defy any person to prove those assertions or allegations. E. Robbins, M. D.

Sewing Machines Given Away. 803 Howe and Wheeler & Wilson sewing machines given away each week. First drawing Saturday night. Get your boots and shoes now and get a sewing machine free. Myer Lewis & Co., 101 and 103 North Spring street.

Physicians say that Hungarian food is exceedingly nourishing. It can be found at the Vienna Buffet, cor. Main and Requena streets.

A Card.

The undersigned were nominated by the Democratic party of Los Angeles County and pledged ourselves to support the platform of the National Democracy, and we have not pledged ourselves to endorse the platform or principles of any other party, nor have we promised in case of election to appoint or employ in official positions citizens of any particular class.

- E. E. HEWITT. T. E. ROWAN. J. W. VENABLE. OMRI BULLIS. J. R. DUPUY.

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The patronage of commercial tourists especially solicited. Ample sample rooms. JOS. SCHREIBER, JR., Manager. Late Bates House, Indianapolis

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FOR SALE. \$700-Lot 50x150, Los Angeles near Walnut avenue; one-half cash.

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\$2,000-House, 5 rooms, Mount Lookout tract. \$3,000-House, 8 rooms, Miami avenue near Sixth, on installment.

\$3,500-House, 4 rooms, Nevada st., near Pico. \$4,200-House, 7 rooms, Adele street near Figueroa.

\$4,500-House, 3 rooms, Windmill, grounds corner on Adams. \$4,800-House, 7 rooms, Lot 50 ft. front, Banning street, suitable for sale.

\$6,500-House, 6 rooms; lot, Grand avenue near Seventh. \$7,500-House, 6 rooms; fine finish, Ingraham street, easy terms.

\$12,000-House, 12 rooms, Bonnie Brae tract. FOR SUBDIVISION. 105 acres highly improved, inside city limits, on street car line, in a growing neighborhood. Trees now in bearing. Four houses. Cheap to the right party and easy terms given.

Choice inside business property giving a good income. Fine business corner; to close an account. Building lease with 5 years option.

For Houses for Rent, see advertisement in Tribune and Express. Pamphlet on Los Angeles on application. 54 NORTH MAIN ST. 0414

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Upholstered Goods In Parlor Sets, Easy Rockers, Bed and Single Lounges.

CARPETS! Of all kinds in Body Brussels, Ingrains, both New and Second-Hand.

Also a fine line of Curtains in lace and fine plush. Bed Clothes in Sheets, Quilts, Comforters and Pillow Cases.

We are receiving all kinds of New and Second-Hand Goods from day to day from the best families in the city, and our sales are permanent and without reserve.

Ladies are especially invited to attend as we have a fine and commodious salesroom and take special pains to make everybody comfortable. Don't fail to attend. BEN O. RHOADES, Auctioneer.

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Peremptory auction sale of the entire contents of a 12-room residence removed to our salesroom, 150 South Spring street, for convenience of sale.

ON SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 3d, At 10 o'clock a. m. This furniture is very nice, consisting of PARLOR, DINING AND KITCHEN FURNITURE, STOVES, RANGES, ETC.

CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, BED-DING, MATRESSES, ETC.

At the same time we shall sell the hotel furniture remaining unsold from Wednesday's sale. This sale is important. Careful buyers are invited to attend. There is no reserve.

NORTH CRAFTS & CLARK, Auctioneers. 028-5t

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Our windows are always replete with the newest and latest styles. Shirts, from a 50c white to the finest pique dress shirt. Underwear in all grades, qualities, makes; ties in all shades, patterns, shapes. Of hats an immense assortment. In short, everything pertaining to our line will be found on our counters, and everything marked in plain figures.

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With every Pair of Shoes I sell I will GIVE YOU a beautiful Pair of Combined Slippers!

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I will, with every Pair of Children's Shoes, GIVE A PAIR OF RUBBERS!

While down East, I bought a job lot of Rubbers, more than I will sell in five years. These Goods were bought at 5 Cents per pair, and are first-class goods. See what cash will do down East.

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