

Table with columns for stock names and prices. Includes items like Alpha-11, Alta-10, Belcher-2 85, etc.

DIED. GREGG-In Candelaria, April 5. Foster Gregg, a native of Durham, England, aged about 71 years.

REGISTRATION NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the public that the Registry Agent will be in his office and ready to register any and all legal voters on and after the 6th day of April 1891.

Golden has secured a first-class watch-maker and jeweler, who worked for Geo. C. Scriver & Co. for years in San Francisco.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used for children teething.

For the next 60 days I will sell Merchaum Pipes, Brier Pipes and all other kinds for cost; also Knives, Razors, etc.

My goods will be all marked so that all will be treated alike. Goods must be sold; come one come all.

Sandrock and Millard, practical plumbers and gasfitters, have opened a shop in Dick Mills' old stand South Carson St.

For the next 30 days a reduction of 10 to 20 per cent. on every price of goods at Golden's to reduce the immense stock of goods on hand.

WANTED—Few more members for the Watch Club, at Frank Golden's. Commences May 1st.

Ladies' and Gents' shoes at Olcovich Bros., from \$1.85 upwards.

Yesterday the authorities at Truckee received a shotgun stolen by some one in Carson. The Sheriff wrote for a description and received the following: TRUCKEE, Cal., April 14, 1891.

Convention of Nevada Clergy of the Episcopalian Church.

Bishop Leonard will meet the clergy of Nevada in convention tonight in St. Peter's Church in this city.

At 11 o'clock celebration of Holy Communion and address by the Bishop. At 2:30 P. M., meeting of the ladies of Woman's Auxiliary and address.

Funeral Notice.

All members of Piute Tribe No. 1, Imp. O. R. M. are hereby requested to assemble at their Lodge room, to-morrow (Thursday), at 1 o'clock P. M.

In the Justice Court.

Attorney—Is Mr. Bowker on the jury? Constable—Yes sir!

The Young People's Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian Church, will give a Spider-web Social, with Entertainment and Conundrum Lap Supper, at Odd Fellow's Hall on Tuesday Evening, April 21st.

Dr. Herdan has decided to extend his medical and surgical practice to Virginia, thus making a regular weekly trip to that place and Reno, with headquarters in Carson.

The man in the Capitol building who swipes the papers of regular subscribers, can have a paper free if he will leave his name at this office.

To The Public.

I have secured the best pasture in Eagle Valley for this season, and will take milk cows at \$3 cash, per month. No extra charge for driving stock.

A Ball at Cook's. There will be a grand ball at Cook's Park on Saturday evening, April 25th. Tickets to ball, \$1.00 Supper 50 cents extra.

Greater Bargains Than Ever. Crockwell is selling Crayon Enlargements at never-heard-of prices and is giving away a 14x17 Crayon Bust with every dozen Cabinets His stay is limited. Call and see samples at Marston's Gallery.

Potatoes for Sale.

Frank Pine has a lot of potatoes he will sell at 75c per 100 lbs, if called for immediately at Dias' hay yard.

Buy your shoes at Olcovich Bros. m 24

New shoes arriving daily at Olcovich Bros. m 24

If you want a good fitting shoe go to Olcovich Bros. m 24

Judge Rising's Decision in the Stevenson Will Case.

In the District Court of the State of Nevada, Ormsby county. In the matter of the estate of C. C. Stevenson deceased.

On October 28, 1885, C. C. Stevenson made his last will and testament, bequeathing to each of his sons Edward and Lou, \$1,000, to each of their children \$500, and the residue of his estate, of considerable value, to his wife.

Gov. Stevenson died in September, 1890. His widow, being nominated executrix, has petitioned to have his will admitted to probate. The sons have filed objections, assailing the validity of the will, assigning two reasons, only one of which will be considered, the other having been disposed of adversely to the contestants.

It is claimed that the execution of the will was obtained by over-importunity on the part of the wife. There is no pretense but that the testator, at the time of making the will, was in the possession of all his faculties, of sound and clear mind, in vigorous manhood, with full capacity to distinguish and decide for himself and constantly engaging in important and extensive business enterprises; and it was shown that in character he was a man of determined and deliberate opinions and purpose.

It is very difficult to define the extent of over-persuasion or undue influence which must be exerted to invalidate a will, but it must be in such a degree as to take away from the testator his free agency, and to overcome his natural desire and preference, and such as to render the testamentary act no longer that of a capable testator. The constraint which will avoid a will, must operate upon the testator, in producing the very act of making the will—it must be the result of such improper control as to prevent the free exercise of discretion and preference.

If a wife by her virtues has gained such an ascendancy over her husband so riveted her affections, that her good pleasure is a law to him, such an influence can never be a reason for impeaching a will made in her favor, even to the exclusion of the residue of the family. Nor could it be safe to set aside a will on the ground of influence, importunity or undue advantage taken of the testator by his wife, though it should be proved she possessed a powerful influence over his mind and conduct, in the general concerns of life unless there should be proof that such influence was especially exerted to procure a will of such a kind as to be peculiarly acceptable to her, and the prejudice and disappointment of others.

A day or two before making this will, Governor Stevenson, while in San Francisco, had his trusted legal adviser, Mr. J. M. Haven, prepare the same, and on the 28th of October, 1885 at the office of his attorney, the will was duly executed in the presence of Mr. Wales L. Palmer, the confidential business agent of the Governor and his attorney, who became the subscribing witnesses. There is no testimony to show or indicate but that, at the time, the will was executed with perfect freedom and deliberate purpose. There is some evidence to show that Mrs. Stevenson made her will the same day. So far as the decision of this case is concerned, it is immaterial whether she did so or not.

The will of C. C. Stevenson was then enclosed in an envelope by his attorney, sealed, and indorsed "The last wills of Charles Clark Stevenson and Mary Ellen Stevenson—James M. Haven, Oct. 28, 1885." This package with the other private papers of Governor Stevenson, was placed by Mr. Palmer in his box in the Safe Deposit, and there left, undisturbed, under the control and in the possession of Mr. Palmer until the 30th day of May, 1890, when all the private papers, including the will, were delivered by Mr. Palmer to Governor Stevenson and brought by him to Carson, and remained in his private

safe at his residence until his death, and until it was opened by Mrs. Stevenson in the presence of her aunt, Mrs. Hardy, Mr. Hardy being immediately called in from an adjoining room, and read the will at the request of Mrs. Stevenson.

As it will be seen, this will remained and existed for nearly five years unaltered or unchanged, ample time having been afforded for reflection or change of sentiment, but it is allowed to subsist as the free act and fixed preference of the testator. This long period of time which intervened between the execution of the will and the death of Governor Stevenson clearly manifests his deliberate, settled intention and purpose as to the distribution of his estate, and, precludes the assumption of improper control in its execution. If the provisions of the will were repugnant to his wishes, he had every possible opportunity during this period to revise or revoke; that he did not do so is a most pronounced circumstance indicating his determination to adhere to his act, and excludes the presumption that the will was the result of undue influence, and was other than his voluntary, satisfied act and settled desire.

While I might seriously differ with and deplore the conduct of a father as apparently unnatural in leaving to his sons such a small legacy of his estate, still he had the unquestioned power and right to do as he saw fit with his property, and the law cannot interpose or frustrate such settled preference, expressed by the parents, if the act by which it is done is done with freedom and with testamentary capacity. An instrument of this solemnity, so deliberately made, cannot be set aside or avoided, except for sufficient legal reasons.

Shortly preceding his death, and conscious that he could not live and being of clear mind. Governor Stevenson called his son Edward to his bedside, and said to him: "Eddie, I want you to make me a solemn promise before I go, and that you will be good to Ellen; love and cherish her, assist her in her business, and do everything you can for her; she is worthy of your love. I have made a will, etc.," and identified his will. This conveys the belief that his affection for his wife was very great, and that he intended to confirm the act of making his will, and to leave his property distributed only according to its provisions.

The proofs in the case being clearly insufficient to establish any such state of facts as will invalidate the will, it is ordered that the will be admitted to probate; that Ellen M. Stevenson be appointed executrix, without bonds, as directed by the will.

RICHARD RISING, District Judge. April 13, 1891.

A Boon to Humanity.

Dr. Herdan has applied for a patent on a medicine invented by himself, called "Self Helper," for private diseases, which he claims is the greatest medicine yet produced. He has refused \$2,500 for it, but will form a company and place it on sale in every drug store in the United States.—Journal.

For Sale—Chance for Bargain.

A fine family residence, located in central part of Carson, containing seven good sized, hard finished rooms and bath room, three lots, stable, chicken-house etc. Will sell with or without furniture on reasonable terms. For particulars apply of Mrs. J. Tobriner on premises.

Special Meeting.

Resident and sojourning members of Capital Lodge are requested to meet at the hall of Carson Lodge, No. 4, this evening, as business of importance relative to the funeral of the late Geo. W. Chedic, will be discussed. By order of the NOBLE GRAND.

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