

PENDAR'S Panorama of the War was exhibiting at the Dalles last week.

ROSENBERG'S is a good place to buy cigars—we have tried them and speak from experience.

THE San Jose Railroad is finished from San Francisco to Redwood City, and excursion trains are running over it every Sunday.

A NEW hotel to be called the Adelphi, is being erected on the site of the old Rasette or Metropolitan, San Francisco.

FORTY mining companies filed their articles of incorporation with the county clerk of San Francisco county, Cal., on the 23d of Oct.

A RAILROAD leading from Deep Water at Alameda, through the Encinal to San Leandro will be completed by the 1st of Feb.

HORACE SMITH was shot and slightly wounded lately at Virginia City, N. T., by one of his clients in a law-suit.

REWARD.—Shasta Lodge, No. 57, I. O. of O. F. has offered a reward of \$250 for the arrest of V. E. Geiger who killed Capt. A. S. Wells, at Red Bluff.

MR. HOLTGATE is still canvassing for Abbott's History of the War, and in addition to Abbott and Pollard, has a few copies of a history of the Illinois Fighting Regiment.

If you would learn to write a beautiful hand, whether as matter of business or for the purpose of corresponding with your sweetheart, go to Geo. Woodman's Writing Academy and improve your fist.

MORE IMPROVEMENTS.—A well is being dug in the street at the corner of Montgomery and Wall, adjoining the International Hotel. We understand that a pump and watering trough are to be attached, which will, of course, be a great convenience.

GEORGE LLOYD, whose brother was killed by Fred Smith in Sacramento, and who killed Smith in return last Spring, has been shot and instantly killed in an affray at Aurora, Emeralds.

METHODIST PREACHING.—Rev. C. S. Kingsley, of Portland, will preach at Union Hall, Montgomery St., to-morrow at half past 10 o'clock. The house will be made warm and comfortable for ladies and children.

KILLED AT PLACERVILLE.—A man by the name of Kitridge was shot, on Wednesday last in Placerville, by a person whose name we have not learned, and died the day following; cause—a dispute in relation to a mining claim.

FRANK CAMPBELL informs us that the amt realized at Kelly's Varieties, on the occasion of Chas. Bernard's benefit—\$300—has been sent to that unfortunate gentleman at Lewiston, through Wells, Fargo & Co., who kindly volunteered to transmit it free of charge.

BOB LINDSAY'S BENEFIT.—The theater was crowded on Wednesday night on the occasion of Bob Lindsay's benefit. Bob sang the "Cruel War," and the "Old Sexton" with more than ordinary unction and excellent effect.

ILLNESS OF W. H. LEIGHTON.—The popular actor and theatrical manager, W. H. Leighton, was lying dangerously ill at San Francisco at last accounts from there, while Mrs. Leighton was absent fulfilling professional engagements.

GONE EAST.—Among the passengers who sailed in the steamer of the 23d of Oct. from San Francisco for New York, were Hon. Stephen J. Field and wife, and Hon. Fred Billings, wife and child.

NEW PAPER.—W. G. West, W. F. & Co.'s messenger from Portland to Dalles, has kindly forwarded us the first three numbers of a new paper started in San Francisco by Beriah Brown, called the Democratic Press. It is a neat daily full of news items.

OPENING BALL.—The inauguration party of the Bannock Quadrille Club, on Tuesday night, is said to have been fully up to the anticipations of its most sanguine friends. Largely attended and scrupulously guarded as to strictest propriety, we learn that no circumstance occurred to ruffle the feelings of the most fastidious.

SEVERAL gentlemen were divested of their military overcoats recently on a steamboat between Wallula and Portland by a military officer who seemed to be looking out for Uncle Sam's wardrobe. There is and always has been a law punishing any civilian who purchases any article of U. S. clothing from a soldier. Col. Maury finds it necessary to enforce the law, which has hitherto been waived on this coast.

SQUARZA'S PUNCH.—We received from the Miners' Brewery and Bakery two ominous looking packages a day or two since, and upon removing the wrappers, discovered on the labels, "Squarza's Punch," "Rum and Antidivorce." Being highly incensed at the presumption that prompted the joke, we went to work and poured it out.

LLOYD MAGRUDER.—We are indebted to Mr. Straus for a slip cut from the Golden Age containing a statement of the circumstances that lead to the belief that Mr. Magruder has been murdered. The statement is not materially different from that copied by us from the Mountaineer, except that the finding of the body is a mistake, and the faint hope is left that he may possibly be alive, but the hope is so vague that it affords but little comfort to his friends.

LUCKY BOX.—Such is the name given to a quartz ledge discovered by H. W. Niles about two miles from town on Bear run. The ledge crosses the creek, running in a northerly and southerly direction, and is plainly traceable into the hill on either side. It is said to be rich in both gold and silver, and has been entered for incorporation in the Boise Gold and Silver Mining Company.

GOOD diggings are said to have been found between the head waters of Moore's creek and North Boise, some 35 miles from here in an easterly direction. Several parties left on Sunday last to test the reality of the matter. Coarse gulch gold is said to exist there in big paying quantities.

RAISING THE PRICE.—The proprietors of the Lick House, Russ House, Tehama House, Brooklyn, International and American Exchange, San Francisco, have signed a card and published it, agreeing to raise the price of "feed" on and after the 15th of Oct., in consequence of a combination and successful demand on the part of their employees for higher wages.

MADE A RAID.—Robt. Grant, formerly carrier for this paper but now promoted to the distinction of merchant, threw a dozen apples at us and hit everybody about the place in the mouth, one day during the week. We dare him or anybody else to attempt the like again. Bob must have thought he was in Pennsylvania to be making such a raid.

SILVER NEAR SALT LAKE.—We hear it stated on the streets that recent arrivals from Utah bring the news that silver rock of the richest description has been found in great abundance near S. L. City. Gen. Conner's command are said to have been among the first in the discovery, and that the whole country is being staked off very rapidly, and that the whole population is wild with excitement.

We are informed by Father Mesplie that the citizens of Placerville, with characteristic liberality, and without regard to religious proclivities, have contributed means for the erection of a Catholic Church in that place, and that it will probably be ready for occupation by the first of Dec. The Patron Saint to whom it will be dedicated, is St. Bernard. It is also expected that a smaller chapel will be built at Centerville under the patronage of St. Dominick. Father Mesplie officiates for the present at Centerville instead of Placerville.

MORE ABOUT HOYT.—A Mr. Hoyt who had a deal of trouble about certain transactions of his here some time since, we learn has brought up in the Dalles jail. It seems that he drew checks on a banking firm in Portland with whom he had no account, and sold them to Robbins & Vaillard, of Dalles, who, when they found their checks dishonored, pursued and had him arrested, and in default of bail, lodged in jail to await an investigation of his conduct. It is stated that he drew similar checks before he left Bannock, to meet which he had no money in bank.

DISREPUTABLE.—We are told by parties recently up from Auburn that a party of prospectors somewhere between the Oyhee and Malheur, while out hunting for their horses came across a band of 16 Indians, and taking it for granted that they had stolen the horses, disarmed and killed the whole party. The horses were soon after discovered unmolested. The scalps of the Indians were displayed in Auburn afterwards, much to the dismay of the citizens who look upon the proceeding as cruel and without reason or provocation, and dangerous to the safety of travelers in future.

COURT AT AUBURN.—Dan Hyde, who robbed his partner, O'Neil, on Shanghai gulch, Powder river, has been sentenced to the States Prison for one year, and W. D. Quigley, who is accused with the Deputy Sheriff of bamboozling Hyde out of the money after he had stolen it, has been sent up for three years. Shaw, the Deputy, has made his escape. Quigley was formerly landlord of the New York House and recently of the Mountain View House, Powder river, and has borne quite a good reputation for honesty. If he is innocent, he has a mighty bitter cup of coffee to swallow.

STILL ADVANCING.—Since our article on the subject of fires has been put in type, we are informed by Mr. Van Wyck that he has procured the signatures of a sufficient number of members to constitute an efficient Hook and Ladder Co., and that the organization will be established immediately. A secret fire watch, he also informs us, is employed of sufficient strength, he thinks, to protect the town from being fired by incendiaries.

LEFT US.—W. W. Chapman, Jr., the very gentlemanly and accommodating agent of Tracy & Co.'s Express in this place from the time of its organization to its close, left on Thursday afternoon for Portland where he intends to spend the Winter. Mr. Chapman had won the esteem of all with whom he came in contact, either in a business or social capacity, in Bannock, and his departure is regretted.

FIGHT.—Quite a combat occurred on Montgomery St. on Thursday night between a watchman and some other party. Clubs were used for a time. A peace officer interfered, but being lame, was powerless in their hands, and they fought all over him and around him. "Watch" was about to get the worst of it until he bethought himself of his pistol, which he drew, and our informant says he never saw much cleaner running than then and there took place.

JUMPING.—Some little difficulty occurred at the junction of Commercial street with Elk creek, on Monday morning, about a lot, two parties claiming ownership. One party had a tent on the premises and the other was building a fence round it. The man with the tent triumphed, and at last accounts was in peaceable possession and erecting a more substantial habitation.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS.—We are under renewed, continued and continuing obligations to Wells, Fargo & Co. for bundles of Oregon, California and Eastern papers and magazines. They have furnished us this week with an immense bundle. Beautifully bound sample copies of the Waverly, and Frank Leslie's Magazine were found among the lot.

To Mr. Patterson as well as to Mr. Henley of the Salt Lake Express, we are under many obligations for favors in the newspaper and dispatch line. Couldn't keep house a minute without the express.

POOR SHOW.—Taking a stroll over the summit east of East hill on Monday morning we saw several oxen pretending to feed on the side of the mountain and in the little gulches. The show to make a living seemed to us to be extremely doubtful. Unless warm stables are prepared and furnished with plenty of hay or other provender, teams of all kinds will have to be taken to a more hospitable clime than can be found in these parts, to pass the winter, if owners expect to continue business in the spring. We didn't see grass enough in a tramp of two miles to winter a grasshopper.

HEALTH IMPROVING.—The sharp, frosty weather of the last ten days has had a salutary effect upon the health of the country; there is perhaps not one half the sickness now in this place that there was two weeks ago. Doctors are beginning to complain that there is but little to do, and when times begin to get dull with them in a thickly populated city, it is a pretty sure indication that the sickly season is over. Parties are beginning too to see and act upon the necessity of taking better care of themselves than formerly which no doubt has had something to do in improving health.

DEDICATION.—On Sunday last, at 10 o'clock, the solemn and impressive ceremonies of dedication were performed at the Catholic Church in this city, by the Rev. Father Mesplie, of Placerville. A melodeon assisted in the musical department, which, under the skillful hand of Father Poulin accompanied by his voice together with that of R. H. Lindsay, would have done credit to many an old establishment and long-trained choir. After the dedication services were over Father Mesplie delivered an earnest and—but for a difficulty in articulating plainly in English—a very impressive discourse, taking for the foundation of his remarks "The temple of the living God." The church is dedicated to, and is under the special patronage of St. Joseph, whose name it bears.

THE WALKING FEAT.—We went in this afternoon to see Brady taking his long walk of 100 hours without rest or sleep at the Miner's Exchange. He looks somewhat haggard, having been on the track about 80 hours; we are convinced that he will make the trip on the square. He is under the particular surveillance of six citizens who attend to see that he keeps up his lick; their names are Capt. W. Moltrop, Richard Ralston, I. N. Smith, R. Moore, M. Cody, P. Degan and P. Leffler, one of whom is always present. It appears to us as a foolish experiment and one that should be discouraged. A man has no moral right to abuse himself to such a degree, and we can't see why it would not test a man's endurance quite as well, and be as interesting to spectators, if he would show the people how long he could sit upon a red hot stove without changing position.

GREAT CONVENIENCE.—Wall street is being continued straight across to the base of West hill, the bed of Elk creek being divided into several canals or ditches, has been bridged wherever any portion of it crosses the road, and the traveling is now first rate. The Placerville stage now goes that way as well as the Buena Vista travel. This improvement makes Wall street the principal thoroughfare of ingress and egress to and from the city. The public are mainly indebted to L. H. Barber, Esq., of the International, for taking the lead in pushing the matter to completion. Parties are now leveling off lots and building along the line of the road as fast as the miners work out the ground, and by next summer Wall street extension will be as busy as Main street in the transaction of all kinds of business.

ARRIVALS FROM SALT LAKE.—McCrary's train of 23 wagons loaded with flour from 55 to 60 hundred pounds each of flour, arrived here on Thursday about noon, having been out two months from Salt Lake City. McCrary is, we understand, a citizen of Leavenworth, Kansas, from whence the train has come through direct, unloading groceries at Salt Lake, and taking in flour for this place. We were informed by parties connected with the train, that these loads were bought in Salt Lake City for \$3,50 pr. hund. pounds, and that it is brought here for \$8 freight, making it cost, laid down here, \$11,50 pr. hundred pounds, or \$5.75 pr. quarter sack. At present prices—\$31 pr. hundred—\$19.50 profits are realized on every hundred weight that is sold—or \$1170,00 on each wagon load of 6000 lbs.

COLONEL T. D. JOHNS, formerly of California, of the Seventh Massachusetts regiment, has had a hard time with the wound he received at the storming of Fredericksburg Heights, in May last. The wound was in the fleshy part of the thigh, and its supuration during the warm weather was so great that his recovery was long delayed, but he is now able to get about without assistance, and will rejoin his regiment next week. He lately visited Boston, where he was well received.

Col. Johns has one brother, a Capt. in Col. Pollock's regiment in Utah, and another who is Sheriff of Tehama county, Cal. Sheriff Johns was shot by a man named Haslet on the day after the election in Cal., in the thigh very much as his brother was wounded in the battle of Fredericksburg, but in a different cause.

COUNTY FINANCES.—Elsewhere will be found a statement of the receipts, expenses and financial condition of Boise county. Parties owning property liable to taxation, as well as those doing business requiring a license, will see at once the necessity of paying up promptly. If a proper start is made in the beginning, it will be but little trouble to keep the county out of debt; but if matters are allowed to run along at loose ends until county credit runs down and everything has to be bought at double price in consequence of the depreciated value of scrip, a burden of debt will become saddled upon us that it will take years of heavy taxation to remove, and involve us moreover in the payment of interest, all of which will have to be met sooner or later and the better way is to do it at once. Keep down interest; make county paper worth its face in gold dust. Buy as cheap as anybody and everything will go smoothly.

SUPPLIES FOR THE MINES.—Under the above caption the Dalles Mountaineer makes some very pertinent remarks. It says the shipments now going forward are by no means equal to the wants of the country; that a much larger number of persons intend to Winter in the mines than have ever done so heretofore; that the shipments are much lighter than those of previous seasons, and that the indications are that we will have an early and very severe Winter. It further asserts that goods taken into the Boise country have only been about equal to current consumption, and should Winter set in suddenly, articles of first necessity would run up to enormous prices. It is estimated that from six to nine thousand persons will Winter in the Basin. These will have to be fed from four to five months, and it is believed there are not supplies on hand to feed that number two months. Many pack-trains are already turned out, and away up on the 46th parallel it is unsafe to trust the Winters; we are liable to deep snows at any time, and with them interruption of travel. Merchants and shippers should exercise all their energies in getting goods through with the utmost expedition. The market will not be overstocked; no one need hold back on that account; they are bound to realize good profits before Spring. It is still further suggested that traders may not thank the newspaper for its advice, as it may interfere with some nice little speculations, but no right thinking man will wish to speculate on the miseries of his fellow men.

We are inclined to think the case is put rather strong, judging from what we see stored away in the root houses, but there are a great many people here and it is well to be prepared for the worst. Bring on your flour, butter, bacon, lard, &c., in any quantities you please; there will be plenty of buyers with the cash to pay for it all at good paying prices before the roads get good in the Spring. We have no fears of starving as the Mountaineer suggests and seems to fear, however, for if the worst comes to the worst we can easily get out to the valley of Snake river and work our way down to steamboat navigation, an emergency that we have not the least idea will arise, and a trip that we have no thought of taking. On the contrary, it is thought by those who have traveled much in these mountains, that the expresses will continue to make regular trips, and that pack-trains will arrive every month in the year.

EXPRESS CHANGE.—Wells, Fargo & Co. will hereafter arrive here but three times a month, leaving Portland on the arrival of each steamer from San Francisco. Next press will probably arrive on Tuesday leave on Thursday night.

ELECTION.—MR. MAGURN, &c.—A press was in circulation yesterday that Mr. Magurn had brought in returns from Beaver-head, that Cannady was 380 ahead there, hunted up Mr. M. and found that he neither been to Beaver-head nor had any one from there since the election place, consequently we are unable to give further news on that point except that understood from letters received here Florence and Warren's Diggings gave a majority of about 82. Boise cc Lewiston precinct, Florence and Wa Diggings give Wallace a majority of Further than that no figures have reached that can be relied upon. Mr. Magurn no further than the upper crossing of river, and on his return he and party lost and suffered for want of provisions, found the remains of a man on the and also discovered a new river of nothing seems to have previously been. He will furnish some account of his tures for next week.

BAD ACCOUNTS FROM BOISE.—Letters been received here, giving doleful ac of suffering on Boise river, and the pr of harder times in that section. S miners up north are repenting the mis of selling their claims to Chinamen county, and hardly one of them but w presses the wish that they would like their old claims back in Siskiyou. S them, who have friends here, are soje to get back, as they are unable to re means there. The only parties mak the traders, trading the working class to starvation and the traders are get excitements to induce men to take there and expend it all for goods, thi a market for the trader to make —Yreka Jour.

Good joke on the Siskiyou miners they come to be so hard up in a country where no such complaints as among miners from other localities, indeed. Sorry for the Siskiyou in the Boise mines, with some forty o whom we happen to be acquainte started out, after the arrival of the with the above startling piece of int on a mission of sympathetic cor speaking kindly and tenderly to su met whom we knew to be from Siski tiously and delicately alluding to the tion of penury and want, offering th comfort as printers are supposed to seased of, viz: advice,—when to our ment we were informed that we hoaxed, sold and sucked in. So starving or wishing to return to thei gings, they all seem satisfied where and would not exchange their claim those of any district on the coast. rasal, you must have been short when you invented that "roorback" a "suffering countrymen. We have m men of them that thanks you for it

ATTEMPTED ARSON.—An ingen ranged flambeau was found hung ag side of a house near the Bella Creo on Main street, early on Wednesday. It is supposed to have been hung th day night with a view to firing the large bundle of splits or pitch pine v together with a roll of cotton cloth with oil in which was also another taining powder, matches and shavis posed the infernal machine. These together with a leather string and to a long hook made of a wild-plu by which the whole thing was attac side of the house by inserting the h crack in the board's. The plan's have been to allow the saturated clo slowly until the perpetrator could self away, and when the fire reach side match to have it explode and s outside bundle. The blaze through boards or shakes would of course the whole premises in a flame, and would have been—the town in sal- tunately, however, the cloth, which have burned some time, went out reached the powder. Look out watchmen; there is no subject u you could burn powder and waste more justice or propriety than k incarnate fiend who attempts to bu If the plot had succeeded, all the fi in Portland could not have saved th as windy a night as that was. The that would have followed, and wi the town burns this Winter, peclis ted as we are away from market, nc can express.

To guard against such a continge company should at once be organiz up—with a good set of hooks and least. The captured torpedo can this office.

AMONG the Kaffirs agriculture is a kind of labor unworthy of a warr therefore left entirely to the wome they first saw a plow at work, they it in astonishment and delighted si last one of them gave utterance t ings: "See how the thing tears up t with his mouth! It is of more valu wives!"