PERSONALS.

WE DESIRE HEREWITH TO EXPRESS OUR grateful thanks to our friends and acquaintances, and particularly to all fellow-workingmen of HAMILTON & MULLER'S planing-mill, who attended the funeral of the late CHARLES FRIEDERICH FRIEDEL; also for the rich gifts of flowers. The mourning relations,
MARY LOUISE FRIEDEL, the wife;
F. F. FRIEDEL, the father;
WILHELMINE FRIEDEL, the mother;
EMMILIE FRIEDEL, the sister.
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WANTED—TO LEARN DRESSMAKING WITHout the aid of charts; will pay a reasonable price to be taught at home. Address, stating terms, Apprentice, CALL Branch Office, 116 Ninth. 24 4t*

ALL LADIES WISHING TO HAVE ELEGANTly fitting suits made, handsomely draped, for $6, or with goods, making and trimmings for $15, call on MRS. MORRIS, 732½ Geary st. no23 9t*

SCHOOL OF DRESS-CUTTING AND DRESS-making; you are taught to make a dress from beginning to end—drafting, cutting, basting, sewing, draping and designing. W. H. CLOSE & SON, 205 Powell. se30 6m

MRS. C. H. REYNOLDS' DRESSMAKING PARlors, just opened. 959 Mission st. no23 3t*

JUST OPENED—DRESSMAKING PARLORS BY first-class dressmaker from the East. MISS HELEN M. RECK, 726 Sutter st. se28 3m

ELEGANTLY FITTING SUITS MADE FROM $5 up; with goods, making and trimmings, $15 50. MISS AGNES KELTER, 557 Mission st. no18 tf

SUITS MADE IN THE LATEST STYLE FROM $5 up; goods and everything found, $15, and made in 24 hours. 115 Stockton st. no9 1m

ELEGANTLY FITTING SUITS MADE FROM $3 up. 326 O'Farrell st. oc26 1m

STYLISH DRESSMAKING PARLORS; PERFECT fit; fine work; reasonable. 23 Sixth st. oc31 1m

GOWNS CUT, STITCHED AND DRAPED FOR $3; latest fashions; perfect fit; S. T. Taylor system taught. MRS. L. P. WYANT, 11 Gear st. oc26 tf

THE EVENING BULLETIN, PRICE REDUCED to 15 cents per week, delivered by carrier to any part of the city; the Bulletin is the best, oldest and largest evening paper published on the coast; orders by postal-card or otherwise will receive prompt attention. Office 622 Montgomery st.

DRESS-CUTTING TAUGHT THOROUGHLY BY fashionable French tailor system. 610 Post. jo15 6m

MONEY TO LOAN.

ON 2ND MORTGAGE OR NOTES; ON 1ST mortgage 6%. J. L. ISAACS 411 O'Farrell. oc31tf

OAKLAND ADVERTISEMENTS.

OAKLAND REAL ESTATE.

OAKLAND AGENCY—ADVERTISEMENTS AND subscriptions received at the Oakland Branch Office of THE MORNING CALL, 857 Broadway, near Seventh st. Office hours 6 A. M. to 9 P. M.

$600. LOT 25x100; NEAR OAK-ST. STATION. WILLIAM J. DINGEE, Oakland. oc30 ThSuTu tf

$2500. FINE 2-STORY HOUSE; LOT 50x100. WILLIAM J. DINGEE, Oakland. oc30 ThSuTu tf

$4300. ELEGANT NEW 7-ROOM COTTAGE; lot 40x116. WILLIAM J. DINGEE, Oakland. oc30 ThSuTu tf

$450. LOT 50x140; 10 MINUTES' WALK to narrow-gauge; desirable location. WILLIAM J. DINGEE, Oakland. oc30 ThSuTu tf

$600. LOT 32x118 ON LINE OF ELECTRIC road. WILLIAM J. DINGEE, Oakland. oc30 ThSuTu tf

$900. LOT 50x90 ON LINE OF PIEDMONT cable road; 7 minutes from Broadway depot. WILLIAM J. DINGEE, Oak. 30 ThSuTu tf

$1,200. LOT 25x100 AT OAK-STREET STATION. WILLIAM J. DINGEE, Oakland. oc30 ThSuTu tf

$2500. ELEGANT NEW EASTLAKE COTtage of 5 rooms and bath; 2 blocks from Clinton Station. WILLIAM J. DINGEE, Oakland. oc30 ThSuTu tf

$2800 EACH—2 BEAUTIFUL NEW 5-ROOM cottages; 2 blocks from San Pablo ave. WILLIAM J. DINGEE, Oakland. oc30 ThSuTu tf

$3500. ELEGANT NEW 6-ROOM COTTAGE near Adeline Station. WILLIAM J. DINGEE, Oakland. oc30 ThSuTu tf

$3250 AND EASY TERMS—A FINE NEW modern 2-story house of 7 rooms; lot 29x132; street work all done and a first-class location. HUGH M. CAMERON, 473 Ninth st., Oakland. no13 eod&Su 1w

$500 EACH—10 LOTS IN THE NICEST SUBurb of Oakland, Lorin, near new electric road and new ferry to San Francisco; fine unobstructed view of the bay; no barrels in Oakland; sure to make money; size of lots 40x160; terms $50 cash, balance $10 per month; don't fail to see these lots. CLOUGH & BARKER, 966 Washington st. 16 tf Sunday

$275. A SACRIFICE—BEAUTIFUL LOT, just off Twenty-third ave., East Oakland, for $275; on easy terms; the owner is compelled to leave the city. ALEX. SHERMAN, Twenty-third ave. Station, East Oakland. no22 tf

$52,500. FOR SALE—ONE OF THE greatest bargains in Alameda County; 700 acres; 150 acres low bills, will carry 50 head of cattle; balance 400 acres, fenced separately for grain and hay fields; 90 acres marsh land; about 50 acres vegetable land; total place fenced and cross-fenced; 2 dwellings, 3 barns, outbuildings, etc.; faces 1 mile on the county road, and is located three-fourths of a mile from a thriving town on the narrow-gauge road from Oakland to San Jose; good horse or stock ranch, and in fact for almost any purpose desired; cut 400 tons of hay this year; this property is well watered; will be offered at $75 per acre for a quick sale; is worth at least $100 per acre cash. Apply to E. W. WOODWARD & CO., 902 Broadway, Oakland. no29 7t

FOR SALE IN TEMESCAL TRACT, PIEDMONT; situated at terminus of Piedmont cable-road, in the most desirable portions of the Piedmont district; fine views; cable-road runs the entire 727 feet; ground elevated, and of just sufficient grade to give every lot a magnificent, unobstructed view of the bay, including the Golden Gate, San Francisco and Oakland; streets graded and cement sidewalks laid; city water piped to property; 15 minutes' ferry trips between San Francisco and the Temescal Tract. This is the final Tract in the cream of Piedmont. Inquire of E. A. HERON, 1050 Broadway, P. O. Box 232, Oakland, Cal. no20 1m

FOR SALE—RARE CHANCE TO SECURE A valuable business property in Oakland; stores and lodgings; all new; well rented and paying 10 per cent upon investment. BENEDICT, RUDOLPH & CO., 457 Ninth st., Oakland. no20 7t

A PRETTY SUBURBAN HOME ON FRUITVALE ave.; 2 acres partly in orchard; house 7 rooms and bath; newly papered and painted; large, well-shaded grounds; chicken-yard and houses; in fact, place complete in all appointments; street-car line from local railroad station passes the gate; will be sold at sacrifice, as owner is compelled to go East. DENISON & JONES, 472 Tenth st., Oakland. no20 7t

BARGAIN FOR A FEW DAYS; BEAUTIFUL residence lots in the best portion of Oakland, near station, schools, churches, etc.; cement sidewalks. Call for particulars on A. H. BREED & CO., 328 Montgomery st., Safe Deposit Building, San Francisco. no16 1m

LOTS $100, $125, $150, $200—$20 DOWN, $10 per month; last chance for cheap lots; Seminary ave.; only a few more beautifully situated lots left in this tract; no money to pay for water; franchise granted for electric railroad, which passes the property; buy before the raise. For further particulars apply at Twenty-third Avenue Land Company, 1153 Twenty-third ave., East Oakland, new Bank Building. no14 tf

SAN PABLO AVE. AND TWENTY-SIXTH ST.—LOT 25 feet on Sixth and 100 feet on Twenty-sixth, for sale at sacrifice; only $7000. L. L. SALSBURY, 475 Ninth st., Oakland, formerly Salsbury & Fitzgerald. no11

$400 PER LOT; EASY TERMS; SURROUNded by the most elegant homes in Fruitvale; only 2 blocks from the station and 1 block from the electric road; only in fruitvale ave. and only 200 feet from the new electric railway on East Fourteenth st. See A. R. DOW & CO. at once. Twenty-third Ave. Station, East Oakland. Free local trains to the office. no1 1m

$100. BARGAINS — LOTS IN BROADWAY Villa Tract, well located, near car lines; tract fronts on New Broadway, Oakland's main street; only a few lots at this price; terms $15 cash and $10 monthly. See H. R. PINNEY, 464 Ninth st.; Oakland office open until 7 p. m. oc29 tf

$210. LEVEL LOT, 25x125, IN BERKELEY; close to cars; all conveniences; $5 cash, $5 monthly; 1000 other lots; all kinds; send for maps. CHAS. A. BAILEY, owner, 20 Montgomery. oc22 tf

LOTS ON PIEDMONT AVE., 28:6x140 FT., $100, $450; 1 lot at golden Gate, 2 blocks from station, 50x125 ft., south front only $600; easy terms. SALSBURY & FITZGERALD, 475 Ninth st., Oakland. oct tf

A WEEK'S NEWS FOR 5 CENTS—THE WEEKLY CALL, in wrapper, ready for mailing.

FOR SALE.

FURNITURE FOR SALE AND HOUSE TO LET; rare chance for a physician, dentist, dressmaker or lodging-house keeper; desirable location; within 1 block of broadway; the furniture of an 8-room house; all in good order; cheap rent. Apply to BENEDICT, RUDOLPH & CO., 457 Ninth st., Oakland. no20 7t

$300. BLACKSMITH-SHOP IN OAKLAND; fronting on two of the principal avenues; within 3 blocks of Postoffice; monthly receipts $300. W. E. BARNARD & SON, 483 Ninth st., Oakland. no13 tf

OAKLAND HOUSES AND ROOMS.

$20 PER MONTH—FOR RENT A 2-STORY house of 6 rooms, bath, gas and all modern improvements; cement walks laid in front of property; city and artesian-well water. W. E. BARNARD & SON, 483 Ninth st. no21 tf

MANICURE—FINGER-NAILS BEAUTIFIED AT 1056 Market st., Oakland, by an artist. au31 tf

ALAMEDA ADVERTISEMENTS.

ALAMEDA REAL ESTATE.

ALL THAT LAND LYING BETWEEN HIGH st. and Clarks Landing, Alameda, being on a line of the tidal canal, now in course of construction. CHARLES ASHTON, 411 Montgomery st. no19 4t

$4000. LOT 50x140; DOUBLE COTTAGE; 5 and 6 rooms each; splendid location; will rent well; terms very easy. JOHN T. HALL, 1502 Park st. no19 7t*

$2300. $300 CASH, BALANCE $25 PER month; lot 40x150; cottage; 5 rooms; high basement. No. 433

$3000—Lot 40x150; cottage of 5 rooms and bath; fine garden and lawn; $1000 cash, balance $30 per month. No. 481

$3250—Lot 37:6x120; new 2-story house of 7 rooms and bath; fine marine view; $500 cash, balance $40 per month. No. 482

$4000—Lot 50x150; cottage of 5 rooms and bath, with stable; a NW. corner; $500 cash, balance $20 per month. No. 484

$4500—Lot 37:6x140; new 2-story house; 7 rooms and bath; fine view; $1000 cash, balance $40 per month. 491

$4700—Lot 37:6x100; new 2-story house of 7 rooms and bath, on Central ave.; $1000 cash, balance $50 per month. No. 505

$5000—Lot 69x149; cottage of 8 rooms and bath, with store, barn and orchard; a SW. corner. 411

$6840—Lot 115x200; cottage of 9 rooms and bath, windmill and tank; easy terms. No. 496

$7000—Lot 80x200; cottage of 8 rooms and bath; fine garden, lawns, etc.; best neighborhood; a bargain. No. 18

Bargains in building lots in all parts of Alameda, also house to let and money to loan, by H. F. MOREAL & CO., 1428 Park st., Alameda, and 402 Montgomery st., San Francisco. oc19 tf

ALAMEDA ROOMS AND HOUSES.

JUDD, HANLEY & CO. HAVE REMOVED TO 1351 Park st., where we are now prepared to build homes to suit purchasers on easy terms; also improved and unimproved property for sale. n23 tf

$3600. MODERN 2-STORY HOUSE OF 6 rooms and bath; lot 50x140; on macadamized street; term $600 down, balance at $35 a month. Apply to JOSEPH A. LEONARD, corner of Park st. and Central ave., Alameda. no16 tf

BERKELEY ROOMS AND HOUSES.

FOR RENT, AT NEWBURY STATION, BERKEley, new two-story house of 7 rooms, bath and modern improvements; 2 minutes from station; $25 per month, including water. Call at the premises, or on the owner, A. B. MERRILL, 808 Bryant st., city. oc29 tf

FOR HOMES.

LAKEVIEW. LAKEVIEW.

MANY FINE HOUSES NOW BEING BUILT. INvest in Lakeview lots. CARNALL-FITZHUGH-HOPKINS CO., 624 Market st. no23 2w SuMoWeFr

ACROSS THE WAY.

HAVE you no friends across the way?
My little city darling said;
"And when there comes a rainy day,
Can't you look out and nod your head
To some one else, as I can do
To Will and Fred and baby Sue?
I heard you tell mamma to-day
You had no friends across the way."

"But I have friends—dear friends," I cried,
With quick, remorseful pang of home.
"A band of brothers, side by side,
To greet me if I go or come.
How dear they are, I cannot say!
Nor how it cheers me day by day
To see across the valley far
How strong and beautiful they are!

"And you should see the robes they wear—
Their mantels thick and soft of green,
Then rainbow-tinted, yet more fair,
Or ermine wraps w th silver sheen.
But yet I think I love them best
When, all in somber shadows dressed,
Their broken ranks in silence lie
Beneath the solemn midnight sky.

"Sometimes a misty curtain drawn
Beneath us hides these friends from me;
But when at sunset it is gone,
Dear child, how fair the sight I see!
For where the nearer ranks divide,
The gates of Eden open wide;
And lo! in that unearthly light
The farther hills transfigured quite;
While yet another and another
Peeps o'er the shoulder of his brother,
And smiles through rosy mist, and seems to say,
"Heaven lies beyond us—such a little way."

"Such friends are nice," she softly said,
"For any one as old as you:
And when I'm old and you are dead,
Perhaps I'll go and see them too.
But now I'd rather watch to see
Children across the street from me;
And nod to Will, and play peep-bo
With cunning little baby Sue."

—SUSAN H. LUDLUM, in Harper's Bazar.

WARD AND WIFE.

IT was no use. Chester Grant could not tame his wild little girl, who climbed trees and robbed orchards, and played with the boys of the village. Sarah Langley was his ward, and his mother hoped he would marry her, but he found all his rules set at naught by this little romp, who made fun of him and was always in mischief. True, she had a genuine affection for him, but he saw that he could never train such a wild vine to be a regal rose. So he packed her off to his aunt, Mrs. Le Roy, much to the young lady's discomfiture.

It was a year before Chester Grant saw her again, in the crush of a Washington ballroom.

"Miss Langley—Sarah!"

Not a bit of color suffused and made warm her marble face; chill and white as Greenland snows it looked as she extended her hand, and said indifferently:

"I am happy to see you, Mr. Grant. When did you arrive?"

A few courteous words, a swing or two of the teathery, spice-scented fan in her hand, and then she took the arm of a distinguished looking man, who led her to the head of a set that was being formed on the floor, and the nurse of Belle Rive was dashed out, slow and clear, and marvelously sweet.

He turned fiercely to the lady at his side, saying:

"What have you done to her, aunt?"

"Your bidding, Chester. Haven't I succeeded admirably? Notice how elegantly she moves through the dance, how she is the envy of the women, the admiration of the men! How attentive young Stewart is to her! She refused him last week, but his ardor to win her is in no wise abated."

Chester growled out an angry expletive. It savored of an oath to the lady at his side.

"He is jealous," she whispered to herself, "and he has no need to be, for the girl loves him."

The music rose and fell in waves of sweetest melody; the rich costumes of the dancers blended together as harmoniously as the gayly-colored leaves of autumn. Chester Grant thought the cotillion would never come to an end.

When it did Sarah was so besieged by admirers that he had no opportunity of speaking to her alone. She was walled in by a crescent of the most eminent men in the room; wit and persiflage circled about her, and, full of bitterness, Chester sought his apartment, realizing his mistake at last in reference to his ward.

"Her love for me is dead," he sighed; "it can never be resuscitated."

And he repeated the words again the next morning as he took her for a long drive in the country. A beautiful day, but Chester did not enjoy it. The handsome girl at his side, though a brilliant conversationalist, waxed never a bit enthusiastic; she was no more like the impulsive child of auld lang syne than day is like night. He could not bear it.

"Sadie," he cried, "if I could undo my own and Mrs. Le Roy's work, make you once more the joyous child who pelted me with cherries a year ago, I would willingly relinquish fame and fortune."

"Then you do not fancy me as I am? I have been 'toned down' not a little. Perhaps I am a shade too impetuous still, eh?"

"Do not mock me, my girl! You have never discovered my mistake. You do not love me. You are a true disciple of Aunt Mabel—so cold, so cold."

He relapsed into silence. The girl regarded him earnestly. The face she loved was sad and full of pain.

"My guardian!"

The voice was replete with warmth and a little hauteur was laid confidingly on his.

"What is it, Sadie?"

"Are you in earnest? Do you want me to doff my chill, conventional manners and become once more the wild elf of a year ago?"

"Yes! oh, yes! That would suit me precisely. I am tired to death of conventional women. Shall it be thus, Sadie? Do you love me?"

"More than words can tell. Oh, my guardian, I have been so miserable, playing a part which I detested. I do not care to be a statue; I would rather be a living woman."

"And so you shall, darling," pressing his lips to hers again and again. "You shall romp as much as you please. I will not even forbid you to climb cherry trees. My darling, I thought I had lost you. Henceforth it shall be the chief aim of my life to make you happy."

As they turned from their drive the two men who had discussed Sarah so freely the evening before stood on the piazza. As Chester tenderly assisted the girl to alight, her faced flushed with excitement, the light of love in her beautiful eyes, one muttered, softly to his companion:

"Galatea has come to life. Pygmalion is a happy man."—Boston Globe.

HIS TRICK DETECTED.

An Over-Smart Young Man Finds His Match in San Francisco.

A young man ran into O'Farrell & Lang's office, 11 Montgomery street, yesterday afternoon, breathless and without a hat. He had a check in his hand, appeared and acted like a clerk from a neighboring office, and asked the cashier to cash a check for $60 to oblige Fisher & Co. The cashier obliged, but very soon discovered that the check was a forgery. He acquainted Officer Burns at the corner of Montgomery and Market streets, and as the young man was still in sight the officer and cashier placed him under arrest.

They took him to Fisher & Co.'s office to ascertain if he was a fraud, and were surprised to see him accost Mr. Fisher with the question, "Did you not give me a check for $60 just now?"

"Certainly not," was the reply.

At the same moment the fellow made a dash for the street, but was overtaken and removed to the City Prison, where a charge of forgery was entered against him.

The prisoner gave the name of George E. Curtis, but in his pocket was found a receipt to Mr. Dillman from the landlady at 728 Bush street, where he lodged. Tickets from Galveston, Tex., Wheeling, W. Va., and Eastern cities were found in his pockets, showing that he had been traveling extensively. It is thought that he is an Eastern crook.

Astronomical Society.

The next regular meeting of the Astronomical Society of the Pacific will be held in the Young Men's Christian Association Hall next Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. The meeting being public, members are at liberty to bring their friends. The following papers are announced: "The Law of the Solar Corona," by Professor Frank H. Bigelow of the Nautical Almanac Office, Washington, D. C.; "Coronal Extension," by C. M. Charroppin, S. J., University of St. Louis, Mo.; "Observations and Drawings of Saturn, 1879 to 1889," by Professor Edward S. Holden, Lick Observatory; "The Observatory of Swarthmore College," by Miss S. J. Cunningham, Director; "The Kenwood Physical Observatory (Chicago)," by George E. Hale, Director; "Work at the Lick Observatory, 1888 to 1890," by Professor Edward S. Holden, Director; "An account of an experiment made to determine whether gravitation force varies with the temperature," by A. E. Kennelly of Orange, N. J.

Government Suits Dismissed.

The suit instituted by the Government against Sisson, Crocker & Co. to recover the possession of certain lands in Siskiyou County and to restrain them from cutting timber upon the same was dismissed by Judge Hawley in the Circuit Court yesterday upon motion of United States District Attorney Garter. The same disposition was made of two other and similar actions.

The Orange Crop.

The Southern Pacific Company estimate that to carry the next orange crop of Southern California 3780 cars will be required. Of these 27 will be used for transporting the San Diego County crop, 30 the Ventura County crop, 336 the Orange County crop, 1368 the Los Angeles County crop and 2019 the San Bernardino crop. Riverside ships 1800 car-loads, or within a fraction of one-half the entire product. It is estimated that of these 3780 cars about 2000 will be worth $800 a car at the point of shipment and about 1780 cars at about $600 a car. This makes the total worth of the product to the orchardist about $2,600,000, of which more than $1,500,000 will be paid out in San Bernardino County.—Los Angeles Express.

THE STOCK MARKET.

There was a pronounced rise in all the Comstocks yesterday. It ranged from 15c to 70c. The leading advances were in Belcher, Challenge, Chollar and Mexican. Business was fairly active.

After the afternoon board the market weakened and closed from 10c to 20c lower, as will be seen below.

Local securities were dull, except Electric Light, which sold from $15 up to $18 and back to $17 75. Hawaiian Commercial declined to $16 75 asked.

The production of the Comstock lode last week was as follows: Con. Cal. & Virginia, 1610 tons ore, assaying $17 50; Ophir, 75 tons, $21 25; Occidental, 320 tons, $20 75; Chollar, 547 tons, $19 75; Yellow Jacket, 490 tons, $18.

Occidental has shipped $5100 on November account and has $8500 in concentrates on hand.

Commencing with holsted last week 338 cars concentrating ore, assaying $21 09; North Commonwealth 82 cars first-class ore, assaying $210 10.

The North Peer delinquent sale takes place to-day. Savage has $23,824 in bullion.

Assessments Pending.

The following is a list of assessments now pending:

COMPANY.	No.	Amt.	Delinquent in the Board.	Sale Day.
Mono	300	$25	Oct 10	Dec 3
Silver King	4	30	Oct 21	Dec 10
North Peer	6	05	Nov 1	Nov 25
Hale & Norcross	96	50	Nov 7	Dec 3
Seg Belcher & M	7	25	Nov 7	Dec 3
Silver Hill	27	20	Nov 8	Dec 3
Baker Divide	18	20	Nov 11	Dec 4
Belcher Combination	29	50	Nov 13	Dec 8
Russell R. & M	7	05	Nov 17	Dec 8
Martin White	24	25	Nov 17	Dec 16
Mexican	41	25	Nov 18	Dec 10
N. Bloomfield	46	50	Nov 21	Dec 22
Kate Hayes	2	2 00	Nov 28	Dec 22
Silverado	1	04	Nov 29	Dec 23
Morgan	14	10	Dec 6	Dec 29
Con. New York	4	15	Dec 13	Jan 6
Confidence	17	50	Dec 17	Jan 12
Northwestern	1	05	Dec 19	Jan 15

NOTE—Assessments of mines not listed on the Board fall delinquent in office.

BOARD SALES.

Following were the sales yesterday in the San Francisco Stock Board:

REGULAR SESSION—9:30 A. M.

200 Alpha	1.35	500 Clip	30	100 N B Isle	1.20
100	1.30	100 Con N Y	15	250 Occid	1.10
300	1.15	160	90	250 Overm	1.95
350 Belcher	2.40	100 G & C	1.85	470	2.00
400	2.30	300 G Prize	30	300 Potosi	7.00
100 B & B	2.85	120 H & N	2.20	250 Savage	2.40
100 Bodie	85	200 Justice	1.30	20	2.45
200 Bullion	2.55	100	1.45	300 S Nev	2.20
100 Bulwer	23	400 G Prize	150		22½
300	20	300	22	300 S Hill	30
800 Caledonia	34	250 H & N	2.10	300	32
100 Chal C	2.35	120	2.05	150 Union	2.20
100	2.30	200 Justice	1.25	100	2.15
375	2½	250 Kentuck	1.45	200 Utah	80
125	2.55	300	1½	200	b 10
100	2.50	100	1.40	200	78
100	2.65	150 Mono	45	250 Yjacket	2.35
300	2.70				

AFTERNOON SESSION—2:30.

300 Alta	1.05	200 C C & V	1.30	100 Occid	1.20
100	1.10	750 C Imp	30	100 Ophir	4.00
300 Andes	1.05	400 Excheq	90	100 Potosi	7.00
200 Belcher	2.35	100 J & N	1.80	100 Savage	2.40
100	2.30	100 B & N	2.85	100 Union	2.20
100 F & E	2.85	300 Julia	25	100	2.35
200 Bullion	2.60	300	24	50	b 2.40
100	2.55	100 Justice	1.60	200	2.35
550 Chal C	2.60	200 Kentuck	1.55	500 Scorpion	23
100	2.65	100 Mexican	2.75	400	22
200	2.55	100 Mono	50	100 S Nev	2.30
100 Chollar	3.65	100	50	100 S Nev	2.30
100	3.60	100 Nev Q	90	100 Union	2.20
200	3.55	100 Overm	1.90	100 Utah	80
100	b 30	2.15 200	1.85	100	b 10
100	b 10	2.15 200	2.00	150 Yjacket	2.35
550		1.95 100	1.95		

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

MONDAY, NOV. 24—4 P. M.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Alpha Con	1.30	1.35	Julia	20	25
Alta	1.05	1.10	Justice	1.20	1.30
Alvo	—	1.10	Kentuck	1.55	1.60
Argenta	—	10	Lady Washington	30	35
Belcher	30	40	Lacomotive	—	05
Belle Isle	80	90	Mexican	2.80	2.85
Benton Con	—	2.00	Mount Diablo	—	2.50
best & Belcher	2.75	2.85	Mono	50	55
Bodie	—	60	Navajo	60	65
Bullion	2.50	2.60	Nev Queen	85	90
Bulwer	20	25	N Belle Isle	1.10	1.20
Caledonia	32	35	N Comstock	10	15
Central	10	—	Occidental	1.10	1.15
Challenge Con	2.50	2.55	Ophir	3.95	4.00
Chollar	3.60	3.65	Overman	1.90	2.00
Commonwealth	2.30	2.40	Peer	15	20
Con Cal & Vir	3.30	3.35	Peerless	20	25
Con New York	15	20	Potosi	6.75	7.00
Confidence	5.75	6.25	Savage	2.30	2.40
Con Imperial	30	35	S B & Mides C	1.30	1.35
Crocker	15	20	Scorpion	20	25
Crown Point	2.10	2.15	Sierra Nevada	2.30	2.35
Del Monte	55	65	Silver Hill	30	35
East Sierra Nev	05	10	Silver King	03	05
Eureka	3.75	4.00	Syndicate	05	10
Exchequer	90	95	Union Con	2.20	2.30
Gould & Curry	1.75	2.80	Utah	80	85
Hale & Norcross	2.10	2.15	Wedge	50	55
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Homestake	—	2.50	Yellow Jacket	2.40	2.50
Independence	10	—	Young Am. S	50	60

MISCELLANEOUS SECURITIES.

MONDAY, NOV. 24—2 P. M.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
U S Bds 4's	118		Pacific Light	57	57½
Cntn Co W Bds	100⅞	101¾	S F Gaslight	57	57½
Dupont st Bds	117½	130	Sfkton G & H	30	50
E Dpt Bds	100	108	Cal st Bds		108
M & P R R Bds	102		Central R R		21
Mkt st R R Bds	125	—	City R R	—	100
N P