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WEATHER PROBLEMS.

SIGNAL SERVICE, U. S. ARMY, DIVISION OF THE PACIFIC, SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 22, 1890—5 P. M.

Synopsis for the Past Twenty-four Hours.

The barometer has fallen in all districts, especially along the coast from Eureka northward. It is highest in Northern Nevada and lowest in Western Washington. The cyclone of this morning is still southwest of Vancouver Island. It is moving very slowly eastward, causing a decided fall in the barometer in Northern California and Oregon. The temperature has generally fallen in all districts, except a slight rise in Southern California. Fair weather has prevailed in all districts.

Forecast till 8 P. M. Tuesday.

For Northern California—Fair weather, except followed by light rain in the northern portion; winds shifting to southerly; warmer, except stationary temperature at Keeler.

For Southern California—Fair weather; north to west winds; cooler, except nearly stationary temperature in the northwest portion.

For Oregon and Washington—Local rain, except fair weather followed by rain in the eastern portion, variable winds, except nearly stationary temperature in the eastern portion.

JOHN P. FINLEY, Lieutenant Signal Corps (in charge).

THE CALL'S CALENDAR.

DECEMBER, 1890.

Su.	M.	T.	W.	Th.	F.	S.	Moon's Phases.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	Dec. 4th. Last Quarter.
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	Dec. 11th. New Moon.
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	Dec. 18th. First Quarter.
28	29	30	31				Dec. 25th. Full Moon.

The Morning Call.

TUESDAY.....DECEMBER 23, 1890

AN IDEAL NEWSPAPER.

We copy the following paragraphs from the New York *Commercial Advertiser* of a recent date:

Senator Quay has introduced a bill providing for the publication of a new Government paper to be called the "Wage Worker," and to be edited by people who will work without wages. Its object will be to furnish the American people free of expense with a journal advocating the principles of "universal co-operation at cost by the citizens of this republic." These principles, it is claimed, cannot obtain a fair hearing in journals conducted by private corporations for private profits. A paper "by the people, for the people," must be supported by the public, must accept no advertisements, and must have no professional contributors.

The same paper goes on to say:

Those who are not socialists have favored the idea of a subsidized press. The greatest man of this way, who was the very opposite to a socialist, favored it. Napoleon Bonaparte, while at Osterode in 1807, wrote to his Minister of the Interior that "an effective mode of encouraging literature would be to establish a journal with an enlightened criticism, free from the coarse brutality which characterizes existing newspapers." It is much more likely that Senator Quay would accept Napoleon as his model than Lassalle. Quay has had his Waterloo no less than Napoleon. We should be not, like him, recommend a subsidized journal?

Senator Quay is probably willing to pay out of his own funds the men he proposes to have "work without wages." There are at this time probably a good many editors in the United States who "work without wages" so far as those who subscribe for the journals which they control are concerned. It is suggested by Senator Quay that a fair hearing "cannot be had in journals conducted by private corporations for private profit." If Senator Quay had said that a fair hearing could not be had in journals owned and run by corporations, which were willing to sink large amounts of money on such papers, provided they could control the legislation of the country in their interests, he would have uttered a truth. It is quite the fashion for corporations to own newspapers, and to use them for their own benefit. THE CALL could point out some of that very class of newspapers near home, which strive in every possible way to manufacture public opinion. It could also add with perfect truthfulness that much of the corruptness of politics in this State is due to just such management.

CURIOUS EXPLANATIONS.

We copy an editorial paragraph from the *Alta California*, which may prove worthy of examination. It is as follows:

The Sacramento *Record-Union* has been casting up the returns as filed in the Secretary of State's office, and finds that the vote in the State for the Republican candidates for the Assembly reached the aggregate of 131,368, while the vote for the Democratic Assembly candidates reached the aggregate only of 107,303. It thus appears that the Republican Assembly candidates ran 4936 votes ahead of Markham, while the Democratic Assembly candidates ran 11,298 votes behind Pond. In San Francisco the vote for the Assembly stood: Republican 30,273, Democratic 23,811, showing an aggregate Republican majority of 6462. This state of facts will enable every person to draw a conclusion to suit himself. But the question is: Will the Legislature pass the ballot reform law?

Our opinion is that the Legislature will pass a "ballot reform" bill, but we are aware that there will be opposition to it, for the parties who can control nominating conventions by the use of money do not want such a law, for their opportunities to place in office bad men are much greater under present conditions than they would be if nominating conventions could not be reached in the way suggested. The public may be at a loss to explain why so many more votes were cast in favor of the Republican members of the Legislature than for the Republican candidate for Governor and other State officers. The anomaly may be understood when it is realized that a United States Senator is to be elected by the Legislature which is soon to assemble at Sacramento, and that some of the men nominated were selected for the express purpose of securing Democratic votes in San Francisco. It would puzzle an outsider to determine whether some of the men selected to vote for an United States Senator were Republicans or Democrats. They could probably be induced to vote either way in case of an emergency.

SITTING BULL.

It is not certain yet that the Government has got rid of Sitting Bull. It is one thing to kill an Indian and another to make him stay dead. Sitting Bull's body is under ground, but his spirit is said to be marching on. Indians who were not his followers believe they have seen his spirit pointing the way to the Bad Lands and have accepted the apparition as proof that Sitting Bull was the promised Messiah. A dispatch from Minneapolis says that if the story is correct it is a serious affair. It is the more serious from the fact that its potency does not depend upon any real apparitions. If the Indians think they have seen it, the effect will be the same as if they had seen it. No one can prove they have not seen it. If a test case should be arranged, and the alleged apparition should fail to make a second appearance, it is probable the faith of Sitting Bull's followers would not be shaken. They would probably say, if they condescended to make any explanation, that the conditions were not favorable to a second appearance.

TIN-PLATE FACTORIES.

Evidence accumulates that a certain Mr. Taylor, Congressman, was a little premature in introducing a bill into the House reducing the duty on tin plate to one cent a pound. The Chicago *Inter Ocean* states that in Mr. Taylor's own district the Norton Brothers have erected tin-plate works to supply their tinware factories in Chicago, San Francisco and other cities, and ultimately to supply other tinware manufacturers with the plates from which such ware may be made. The Chicago journal adds that the Norton Brothers are the largest consumers of tin-plate in the United States, and they say that if the tariff can be kept on tin-plate they can make them in Maywood, Cook County, Illinois, more cheaply than they have been in the habit of buying them in Wales. By the time the next election of Congressmen takes place there will be several thousand tin-plate workers who will have something to say on the proposition to expose this new industry to foreign competition.

THE HAWAIIAN TREATY.

Commenting upon Senator Sherman's proposed amendment to the McKinley Tariff Act providing that the conditions of existing treaties shall be respected, THE CALL inferred that one purpose of the amendment might be to indemnify the islands in some way for the loss they sustain through the admission of sugar from all countries free of duty. While this loss amounts to several millions annually, the Government of the islands does not seek any indemnity. That Government recognizes the right of the Government of the United States to change her tariff laws at pleasure, subject only to the condition that existing treaty rights shall be respected under new laws. Minister Carter, who has recently arrived from Washington, is authority for the statement that Sherman's amendment does not refer in any way to sugar or sugar duties. Under the treaty other island products than sugar are admitted free into the United States, and certain products of the States are admitted free into the islands. Excepting sugar the products of the States admitted free into the islands are greater in value than the products of the islands admitted free into the States. The object of Mr. Sherman is to except the trade between the States and the islands from the operations of the McKinley act in all respects where the conditions of the treaty apply.

BEHRING SEA DIPLOMACY.

Mr. Blaine is represented as having taken a position in reference to the Behring Sea controversy suggested, if not dictated, by his political aspirations. It is intimated that the British proposition to submit the question to arbitration was rejected with a purpose to keep the controversy open during the next Presidential campaign. It is perhaps unfortunate for the American side of the case that the American right to protect the seals depends primarily on international law in regard to what constitutes a closed sea. If Behring Sea meets the requirements of international law in this respect there would be no question of the American right to protect the seals. The British Minister proposes to leave the closed sea part of the question to arbitration. Mr. Blaine, without admitting that the decision of arbitration would be against the closed sea proposition, declines to rest the case on the question whether Behring Sea is a closed sea or not. Another British plan was to arbitrate the necessity of any measure to protect the seals. To this Mr. Blaine replies that such necessity has been admitted, and he does not propose to go over it again. But Mr. Blaine is willing to arbitrate on the proposition that Great Britain is bound by the comity of nations to prevent the vessels of any of her provinces from continuing depredations that have, as he claims, partially destroyed the seal-hunting industry. A great deal of stress has been laid by Washington correspondents on the fact that one or two treasury reports have asserted the opinion that the seals were thriving under depredations that have been going on. While the British Minister would naturally make use of such reports, they are not final nor binding on either party. The treasury reports may have been in error. Later and more extensive examinations as to the condition of the seals at present as compared with their condition some years ago may show that Lord Salisbury was right in 1888 when he admitted the necessity of some measure to protect the seals. If the question is submitted to arbitration on the point Mr. Blaine indicates as acceptable, Great Britain's own protection over her pearl fisheries will be considered. The international law under which Great Britain has protected pearl grounds that were not in a closed sea will be cited as a precedent.

WINDOM'S PLAN.

The substance of the so-called Windom plan to increase the volume of the currency is the exchange of outstanding bonds of the United States for a thirty-year bond bearing interest at the rate of 2 per cent per annum. The new issue will, at all times, be convertible at the will of the holder into currency, and the currency will also be convertible into bonds on demand. The Secretary says this plan would not increase the public debt, because for every new 2 per cent bond issued an outstanding 4 or 4½ bond would be retired. He says also that this plan would transfer the power to expand and contract the currency from the banks to the people. Under the present system any United States bank may bring bonds to the Government without limit and obtain currency to be loaned to the public, the Government paying them interest on the bonds and the people paying them interest on their money. Under the plan suggested any individual may deposit a 2 per cent bond and obtain for it the full face value in currency. The Government, of course, pays no interest on bonds while in the Treasury. The currency thus issued would be as sound as the issue of additional bank notes, as both rest upon the same security—United States bonds.

The convenience of this plan of an interconvertible bond is apparent. The objection to it is that it postpones for about twenty years the existence of the United States public debt. With interest at 2 per cent a year the burden of a debt would be comparatively light, but it would be a long step toward a permanent debt. To the extent of the proposed issue, which is $300,000,000, it would supply additional currency at periods when a greater volume of currency is needed to carry on the business of the country. It is not likely that such a plan as this will be adopted.

THE LAMP OF EXPERIENCE.

Mr. Edward Atkinson, one of the few writers on economic subjects who admits that he does not know everything, reviews the industrial conditions of the day and arrives at the conclusion that they should assure general progress and prosperity. And yet, says Mr. Atkinson, these conditions do not produce these natural results. What is the matter? It is in not answering his own question that we find evidence that Mr. Atkinson is a writer on economic subjects who admits that he does not know everything. He does not know why these conditions which ought to produce good results do produce bad results. He seeks refuge in the somewhat fragile assumption that good results are not produced because of an unreasonable lack of confidence. He admits that money is scarce, but does not like to admit that it is scarce because there is not enough of it. He prefers to assume that there would be enough if those who control it would let it go freely into the channels of trade. It does not seem to have occurred to Mr. Atkinson that if there was more money in proportion to the currency there would be more confidence. When Sherman was Secretary of the Treasury he thought a condition essential to the resumption of specie payments was a gold store of $100,000,000, a little less than one dollar for three of the notes to be redeemed. Other financiers thought that a smaller reserve fund would do, but Sherman insisted in having one dollar in coin for three in currency. We all know that when the date of resumption came no one wanted their greenbacks redeemed. Why? Because the coin was in the Treasury to redeem them with. Let us apply the lesson to present conditions. Give us more money in proportion to currency and there will be less demand for money.

PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS.

The Pacific Coast States will gain nine votes in electing a President under the new apportionment. They now have fourteen votes; under the new apportionment they will have twenty-three votes. The strength of what are really the Western States will hereafter be more noticeable than it has been in the past.

Drowned While Playing. Willie Kaschnich, a boy 6 years and 6 months of age, who lived with his parents at 12 Linden avenue, disappeared mysteriously ten days ago. It is believed he fell off the Pacific Mail Dock while playing. Yesterday his body was found off Second-street Wharf floating on the water. It was taken to the Morgue.

HELD IN CONTEMPT.

Judge Wallace and Receiver Reddy Fined $10 Each.

The Supreme Court Rules That They Disobeyed Its Order of Injunction in the Sugar Refinery Case.

The well-known Havemeyer sugar refinery case in its many complications has called forth from the Supreme Court another decision, this time on a peremptory writ of prohibition and the charge that Judge Wallace of the Superior Court and his appointed receiver, Patrick Reddy, had violated an order of injunction issued by the Supreme Court.

The written opinion is a voluminous document and received the concurring signature of Chief Justice Beatty, Justices Fox, Sharpstein, McFarlane and Paterson. Justice Thornton dissented, declaring that there is no evidence of contempt committed by either party.

About a year ago proceedings were instituted against the American Sugar Refinery for a forfeiture of its charter, as it had been violated by the company's entering into a trust combination. In the Superior Court the charter was declared forfeited, and the company was fined $5000. Attorney P. Reddy was appointed receiver, and a writ of prohibition was sued out and temporarily granted, but afterward Receiver Reddy was granted permission to remain in possession of the property.

THE SEVERAL CONTENTIONS.

An order of injunction was then issued by the Supreme Court, and it is claimed that Attorney Reddy interfered with the possession and control of the refinery after this order of injunction. In behalf of the receiver it is maintained that he was in absolute possession before the service of papers enjoining him and that his subsequent actions were only such as were necessarily incumbent upon him. It is also claimed that the effect of the Supreme Court's writ was to take the direction and control of the receiver out of its jurisdiction.

The latter claim, the Supreme Court held, cannot be maintained, as the object of the order and writ were expressed in the plainest terms. The court, after reviewing the evidence, ruled that the appointment of Mr. Reddy as receiver was void, and that when he entered the refinery it was as a trespasser. It was held that, even conceiving Reddy's appointment valid, his acts were not wholly justifiable. In concluding the court found as follows:

The finding of the court is that William T. Wallace, Judge of the Superior Court, and Patrick Reddy Esq., did, on the 18th day of February, 1890, and on various days thereafter, violate our injunction herein issued and served on the said 18th day of February, 1890, by remaining in and about the refinery and other property in said writ described, and by interfering with the conduct of the business therein, did thereby disobey our lawful order and writ, and were therein guilty of a contempt of this court.

Wherefore, it is ordered that said William T. Wallace and Patrick Reddy be, and each of them is, hereby fined in the sum of $10.

JUDGE WALLACE'S VIEWS.

Judge Wallace having been interviewed on the subject of the decision of the Supreme Court expressed himself as follows:

"I am at a loss to understand how the Supreme Court could adjudge me guilty of contempt of court and impose a fine on me. First, the court issued a writ of prohibition ordering me to refrain from taking any further action in the sugar case. Then, because I literally obey this order and absolutely do nothing whatever in the case, counsel in the Supreme Court suggested that I was technically guilty of contempt for obeying the court's order.

"On that suggestion the court, through the Chief Justice, twice announced that it saw nothing in the case that involved me in the charge of contempt. I was personally present in court at the time and stated to the court that, as I hoped it well knew, no man would more cheerfully obey the court's orders than I would; that the writ of prohibition meant what its nomenclature implied, that I was to stop proceeding of any kind in the case; that I had literally done so; that I had been confined to my bed by sickness during the whole time the writ ran, and was during all the time unable to transact any business whatever, and that, therefore, I had neither the disposition nor the ability to disobey the order.

LET IT SPEAK FOR ITSELF.

"That if I had made any order in the case after the service of the writ upon me, it would simply have been an order to Mr. Reddy to obey the Supreme Court; that, in my judgment, even such an order as that I had no right to make after having been commanded to desist from any proceedings in the case, and that it could hardly be supposed that any order of mine was necessary to give effect to the mandate of the Supreme Court, which had been personally served upon Mr. Reddy. I do not think it is proper for me to comment upon the decision of the Supreme Court. I leave it to speak for itself."

POPCORN, 5c quart. Townsend's. •

VISIT Geitysburg Panorama, Market & 10th. •

PLENTY of baskets this year at Townsend's. •

SUIT FOR GOODS DELIVERED.—M. P. Jones and others have sued V. M. Decker to recover $839 39 for goods delivered.

OLYMPIAN Skating Rink; Mechanics' Pavilion.•

SUED ON A NOTE.—Gustave Karlschabe has commenced suit against Jacob Beck to recover $449 98 on a promissory note.

CALIFORNIA glace fruits, 50c lb. Townsend's.•

GRANTED A DIVORCE.—Judge Levy has granted Emilie Bomke a divorce from Hermann Bomke on the ground of his extreme cruelty.

SMOKING-JACKETS from $5 upward. Hart's, corner Pine and Kearny streets. •

RECEIPTS OF DUTIES.—The total receipts on duties since January 1 last to December 20th are $7,285,598 10. The receipts for the past week were $91,871 35.

POPCORN, balls, sugared, red and white. Townsend's, Palace Hotel, 627 Market. •

LETTERS APPLIED FOR.—Frederic Lux has petitioned for letters of administration on the estate (valued at $9700) of his wife, Sarah Jane Lux.

BUY your candies early. Storm predicted for Wednesday. Townsend's, 627 Market street. •

SENTENCE POSTPONED.—The pronouncing of sentence upon Fallon and Nagle, the wire-tappers, was postponed yesterday by Judge Murphy until Saturday next.

BUY your marzipan for Christmas at Huber's, 1308 Polk street, near Bush. He makes the best.

BANK OF ARCATA.—The Bank of Arcata, Humboldt County, has been examined by Bank Commissioner Dunsmoor, who reports resources and liabilities $193,272 76.

22,000 extra fine Japanese baskets given away with candies and Cal. glace fruits. No extra charge. Townsend's, 627 Palace. •

WANT PAY FOR WINE.—Lebrun & Schmitt have sued Garnier, Lancel & Co. to recover $428 40, for 3060 gallons of claret at 14 cents a gallon, delivered to the defendants.

FIVE o'clock tea kettles, from $3 upward, suitable for holiday presents, at Nathan, Dohrmann & Co.'s, 130 Sutter street.

OVER THE HOLIDAYS.—Judge Finn of the Superior Court has adjourned his department until January 5th, to which date all cases set for previous dates have been continued.

NO WAITING at Townsend's. Plenty of help. Thousands of packages of California glace fruit and candies packed, all ready to hand out. •

THE TITLE QUIETED.—Judge Hoge yesterday decided in favor of Thomas I. Bergin in his suit against G. W. Haight and others to quiet title to certain real estate in the Laguna survey.

FINE watches, diamonds, and jewelry at reasonable prices, with guarantee, at A. A. Ritter's, 205 Montgomery st., under Russ House. •

JUDGMENT CONFESSED.—Confession of judgment has been filed in the suit of S. P. Young, receiver of the California National Bank of San Francisco, against P. H. Hink and J. E. Slinkey, to recover $350 on a promissory note.

Two pounds cream mixed candies in Japanese basket for 50 cents. Basket alone worth half the money. Townsend's, 627 Market street, Palace.•

INTERNAL REVENUE.—The Internal Revenue collections in this district for the week ending on Saturday are reported as follows: Beer, $10,614; spirits, $17,241; cigars and tobacco $8413; miscellaneous, $1115. Total, $37,383.

J.F.CUTTER'S OLD BOURBON.—This celebrated whisky is for sale by all first-class druggists and grocers. Trade mark—star within a shield. •

A CHANGE OF QUARTERS.—Arrangements have been completed for moving the Supreme Court next Monday from 121 Post street to the new building corner of Larkin and McAllister streets, where it will occupy the top story. The clerk's office will be moved on the following day.

HOLIDAY HATS—None can compare with Meussdorffer & Hubner's stock. 8 Kearny street. Immense assortment. Newest shapes. Lowest prices. •

THREE MORE NEEDED.—After another attempt to complete the panel of jurymen in Judge Murphy's department yesterday for the trial of Leong Ah Kuey, a special venire of fifteen was issued, returnable to-morrow. Three more jurymen are needed.

YOUNG COLLEGIANS.

Interesting Examination at the Sacred Heart College.

During the past two weeks the students of the Sacred Heart College have undergone a searching examination in the various branches taught in that institution. Yesterday the pupils of the third collegiate class passed very creditably through the trying ordeal.

Their ready, intelligent answers and familiarity with the subjects discussed evinced careful and efficient teaching. They especially exhibited extensive knowledge of mathematics. Monotony, so often the attendant upon examinations, was on this occasion dissolved by a ray of pleasantry, the exercises being enlivened by essays and vocal music. The essays read were of a high order of excellence, and merit great praise for the young writers. The themes were select and interesting, and the style in which they were written was pleasing. The programme was as follows:

Evidences of Christianity; recitation, "The Unknown," David A. White; vocal solo, "Whisper Softly," Thomas L. Loughran; recitation, "Malaline's Child," William J. O'Kane; physiology; essay, "The American Soldier," Joseph J. Richards; solo and chorus, "Over There," William Fitzgerald; recitation, Stephen P. Feeney; geometry; recitation, "The Soldier's Pardon," Simon V. Stevens; vocal solo, "Remember, Boy, You're Irish," Martin P. O'Dea; recitation, "Discovery of America," J. Albert Goodell; ancient history; essay, "The Catholic Priest," William Fitzgerald; vocal duet, "Changes of the Bells," select choir; essay, "Alexander Hamilton," R. Vander Nallen; physics; essay, "Sobieski," Anthony A. Morgan; solo and chorus, "Mother's Love," Joseph Richards; essay, "Cardinal Newman," Martin P. O'Dea; rhetoric; essay, "John Boyle O'Reilly," Thomas L. Loughran; vocal solo, "Robin Redbreast," Robert G. Dearly; recitation, "Jasper," Peter J. McDonald; practical mathematics; algebra; commercial arithmetic.

"I'M all broken up, in body and mind," says a victim of dyspepsia. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures dyspepsia. It tones up the digestive organs and creates an appetite. Give it a trial.

The Difficulty Solved.

To many of our readers just what to give to their friends as a Christmas gift is a matter of no little difficulty to solve. To such we would advise a visit to the commodious and handsomely stocked warerooms of the Indianapolis Furniture Company, 750 Mission street, where the long rows of richly and artistically upholstered parlor furniture at once attract and please the eye. On every hand one's eyes are met with every kind and variety of household furniture, such as book-cases, ladies' desks, chiffoniers, upholstered rockers, with plush seats, etc., all of the latest and most fashionable designs, making them both useful and desirable gifts.

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NOTICE OF MEETINGS.

Golden Gate Lodge, No. 30, F. and A. M.—Installation of officers THIS (TUESDAY) EVENING, December 23d, at 7:30 o'clock. 1t* GEO. J. HOBE, Secretary.

Steamship Stevedores' Protective Union.—A special meeting of the union will be held in Irish-American Hall, on TUESDAY EVENING, December 23, 1890, at 7 o'clock, for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing term. A full attendance is requested. By order JOHN O'BRIEN, President. JNO. GRIFFIN, Secretary. de22 2t

Man to do Decorating for the Holidays on wreath garlands and evergreens. Apply Flower Depot, 2109 Fillmore st., or by telephone 4202. de20 4t

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DIVIDEND NOTICES.

Dividend Notice—The Mutual Savings Bank of San Francisco, 33 Post st. For the half year ending December 31, 1890 a dividend has been declared at the rate of five and four-tenths (5 4-10) per cent per annum on term deposits and four and one-half (4½) per cent per annum on ordinary deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Friday, January 2, 1891. de23 3t JAMES A. THOMPSON, Cashier.

Dividend Notice—San Francisco Savings Union, 532 California st., cor. Webb; branch 1700 Market st., cor. Polk—For the half year ending with 31st December, 1890, a dividend has been declared at the rate of five and four-tenths (5 4-10) per cent per annum on Term Deposits, and four and one-half (4½) per cent per annum on Ordinary Deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after FRIDAY, 2d January, 1890. de20 14t LOWELL WHITE, Cashier.

The California Savings and Loan Society, corner of Powell and Eddy sts.—For the half year ending December 31, 1890, a dividend has been declared at the rate of five and fifty-eight hundredths (5 58-100) per cent per annum on Term Deposits, and four and sixty-five hundredths (4 65-100) per cent per annum on Ordinary Deposits, free of tax and payable on and after FRIDAY, January 2, 1891. de16 21t VERNON CAMPBELL, Secretary.

SITUATIONS—FEMALE.

WOMAN WANTS WORK BY THE DAY, CHAMber work, cleaning, cooking, dish-washing. Address 404 Broadway, Room 50. de23 3t*

DARNING AND MENDING WANTED—A LADY would take work at her own home or out by the day. D. E., 518 Geary st. de23 2t*

COMPETENT GERMAN LADY, FIRST-CLASS dresser and ironer, wishes work from 7 A. M. to 5 P. M. Address A. D., Box 100, CALL Branch. 1t*

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WANTED BY AN ELDERLY WOMAN—A SITUATION to do housework; city or country. Please call at 1311½ Minna st., MRS. BENNETT. de22 3t

SITUATIONS—CONTINUED.

YOUNG GERMAN WOMAN WITH CHILD 3 years old wishes situation as housekeeper or in small family; cooking or housework; city or country. Address MRS. A. P., 863 Mission st. de22 3t*

FIRST-CLASS DRESSMAKER DESIRES FEW more engagements by the day. Call 218 Stockton st. de22 2t*

COMPETENT DRESSMAKER DESIRES ENgagements in families, or position in some establishment. Address J. B., Box 98, this office. 21 5t*

COMPETENT AMERICAN WOMAN WANTS POsition as housekeeper; widower's family preferred. Call at 122 Eddy st. de19 5t*

SITUATION WANTED BY FIRST-CLASS MEAT and pastry cook in first-class hotel, boarding-house or restaurant; city or country reference given. Call 1409 Sacramento st. de21 4t*

RESPECTABLE YOUNG WOMAN WOULD LIKE to do washing or cleaning by the day. Address C. SMITH, 29¾ Moss st. de20 7t*

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STEADY, SOBER GERMAN WANTS TO DO any kind of work; best of references. D. C., Box 93, CALL Branch Office. de23 4t*

WANTED—POSITION AS NIGHT-WATCHMAN by a middle-aged man; can give good references. M. WOLTERS, 1050 Howard, in bakery. 23 3*

COACHMAN—A THOROUGHLY COMPETENT and reliable man, with first-class city references, wishes a situation. Address W. B., Box 16, this office. de23 3t*

SITUATION BY EXPERIENCED MAN AS butler or valet. Address Butler, Box 16, this office. de23 3t*

STRONG, STEADY, SOBER YOUNG TRUCKteamster, wants work of any kind of driving. Call or address J. C. K., 564½ Howard st. de23 3t*

COOK, STEADY MAN, WANTS WORK. Address by letter Cook, 1327 Stockton st. de23 3t*

WANTED—POSITION AS NIGHT OR DAY clerk, or work in hotel or boarding-house, by an experienced, sober, steady single man. Address ROWLAND, Yosemite House, 1045 Market st. 23 2*

WANTED—SITUATION TO WORK AROUND A house; good milker; No. 1 driver and gardener; city references. Address A. R., Box 16, this office. de23 2t*

WHALING—COOPER FROM NEW BEDFORD wants to ship; a note addressed to the undersigned will be promptly answered. W. M. F. ENGLISH, What Cheer House, city. de21 7t*

SITUATION WANTED — STEADY SOBER white man wishes employment at house-cleaning or to do any kind of housework. Please call at 960 Harrison st. de21 5t*

SITUATION WANTED BY YOUNG MAN, neither smokes nor drinks, who understands his business; several years' experience; coachman; country preferred. Apply J., 609 Fourth st. d19 5t*

STRONG BOY OF 13 WANTS WORK FOR clothes and board. Address MRS. GROSSMAN, butcher, Harzog place, San Rafael. de21 3t*

SITUATION WANTED BY STEADY YOUNG man to drive milk route, or other delivery. Address B. F. A., Box 88, CALL Branch Office. de21 3t*

YOUNG MAN WANTS SITUATION TO DRIVE delivery wagon; is well acquainted with city. Address Driver, Box 32, this office. de21 3t*

YOUNG MAN, 21, WISHES SITUATION TO travel with drummer. R. THOMAS, 1421 Taylor st. de20 4t*

YOUNG MAN WANTS PLACE TO DO GARdening, take care horses and general man about place; 2 years' reference last place. Address Gardener, Box 119, CALL Branch Office. de19 5t*

YOUNG MAN, DANE, WISHES PLACE, MAN about place or porter in wholesale house; references given. Address H. G., Box 86, CALL Branch Office. de18 7t*

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