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PLACERVILLE.

Saturday,.....January 7, 1860.

CONFIDENCE.—The House of Confidence En gine Co. No. 1, was most appropriately and elegantly decorated and fitted up for the reception of visitors on Monday last. A table was apread, loaded with every delicacy of the season, sparkling champagne not having been forgotten. The Company received calls from a very large number of the ladies and gentlemen of the city and vicinity, all of whom were cordially welcomed, and hospitably regaled with the good things so profusely provided for the occasion.

SPEAKER.-It affords us pleasure to chroni cle the election of Hon. Phil. Moore, of Nevada, as Speaker of the Assembly. Mr. Moore has had much experience as a presiding officer, is just, impartial and popular. We predict that the business of the session will rapidly progrees, and that at its close the members will have reason to congratulate themselves on their choice of Speaker.

Good IDEA .- We learn that the Board of Supervisors have it in contemplation to partition off a portion of the Court room for offices for the Sheriff and Clerk. This will be a move in the direction of retrenchment, as the rooms now occupied by those officers cost the county forty dollars per month. The Court room is large enough to spare the required space without disadvantage. We hope the Supervisors will put their good intention into

KEROSENE.-L. A. Upson & Co., agents for the "Improved Kerosene Lamps," have just Valley packers and others, to the card of Mr. as I had finished the above sentence, my drareceived a large invoice of that article, of va. Richard Cole, in another column. Mr. Cole matic chum broke out in the following quotarious patterns, which they offer at Sacramento has opened an establishment, on Bedford Ave- tion from the immortal bard-"O, horrible! prices. It is said that these lamps give a nue, for the sale of flour, grain, hay, &c. He horrible!!!") much more brilliant light than gas, and are very much cheaper.

NEPTUNES .- We accepted an invitation to a supper given by Neptune Engine Co., No. 2, at their house, on Monday evening last, and found assembled a large company of ladies and gentlemen, there, like ourself, to enjoy the hospitality of the gallant "Twos." Two long tables, the entire length of the house, groaned (our devil heard 'em,) beneath the weight of a most tempting array of good things, to which the company paid their respects, amidst the flow of champagne and sentiment. It was a pleasant re-union and highly creditable to the Company.

THE LEGISLATURE. - The eleventh session of point one hundred paces due east of Dallam's our Legislature commenced on Monday last, old store on Dutch Creek; thence to a point with a large Democratic majority in each unprofitable the Demecratic members will be down the right bank of said Creek to the South to blame, and will be held to a strict accountability by their constituency. But we expect a short and active session; that many good laws will be passed, and bad ones repealed or amended, and that, after having performed their whole duty to the State and their respective constituencies, the members will return to their homes as popular and deserving as when elected. The officers chosen by the Senate are I. N. Quin, Temporary President; J. R. Beard, Secretary; D. J. Williamson, Assistant Secretary; W. H. Bell, Sergeant-at-Aums; Jno. McClenchy, Assistant Sergeantat Arms; C. Hawkins, Enrolling Clerk; Wm. Letcher, Engrossing Clerk.

The Assembly elected the following officers: Phil. Moore, Speaker; J. M. Anderson, Clerk; Assistant Clerk, R. K. Weston; Sergeant-at-Arms, C. W. Tozer; Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms, Wm. Newton; Enrolling Clerk, H. C. Kibbe; Engrossing Clerk, E. W. Casey.

Lost. - We were accosted the other day by a friend who had not a very good opinion of the fairness of the Sacramento Union, with the offer of a bet of "the whisky," that that paper would not publish our disclaimer of the charges made against us by the "horse spec- ty-six ladies present at the dancing partyulator" of the Morning Call. As the Union given by Confidence Engine Co. No. 1, on than were Ossawattamie Brown and his coadhad published the dirty lies of the Call, we Monday evening last, and still a larger numthought that, in common justice, it would do ber of gentlemen. The music, by Wilson's the same with our denial, and took the bet .- Band, was most excellent, and the dance was

RESCINDED .- On Wednesday, the Board of Supervisors rescinded their order, passed on a the favorable impressions made by their "anformer occasion, making the "road leading from the Junction House, in Coloma township, to the Summerset House, and crossing Weber Creek at the Upper Crossing," a public high

SORRY FOR IT. - We regret very much that our friend Harmon failed to get the post of President; A. A. Van Voorhies, Treasurer, Engrossing Clerk of the Senate. He is well Thos. B. Wade, Secretary. John McF. Pearqualified and a sterling Democrat, and was en- son and A. Haas, were elected as Trustees of lorsed by the Senators from this county. - the Firemen's Charitable Fund. The former and a teaspoonful of mustard stirred quickly However, he is not ruined by the failure, as for three years and the latter for one, sice A. he has something "to fall back upon,"—he is D. Ellis and Theo. F. Tracy. a good printer. Mr. Letcher, of Santa Clara. was our friend's successful competitor. He, too, is well qualified, an old Democrat and a clever gentleman.

THANKS .- Our thanks are due Theo. F. Tracy for the daily delivery of State papers, and to O. A. Crandall & Co., and W. M. Bradshaw & Co., for Atlantic papers and Magazines

MAIL LETTINGS.—In another column will be The Beer Penirum or THE BLOOS-Hall's Seresperille getween this place and Salt Lake City. Topor Dock and Indide of Potate .- 19 8m.

LETTER FROM DOESKINS.

MIDDLE FORK OF THE AMERICAN RIVER.

QUEER PLAN.-We notice that one of our

winning the race.

on "Editorial Courtesy."

WITHESS FEES IN CRIMINAL CASES .-- On Tues-

lowing order in regard to witness fees in crim-

WOULDN'T STICK .- One day last week, the

front of Elias Parker's new store house, near

Cedar Ravine, took a notion to slide out, and

mortar, we presume, to make it "stick."

assures us that he sells lower than others.

KELSEY ROAD DISTRICT, No. 2 .- On Tues-

above name, and bounded as follows: Com-

mencing at the south-west corner of the town-

river to the place of beginning.

the above District

Theatre, to-night.

us last Saturday.

nual re-union."

Mr. Wm. Hale was appointed Overseer of

A. A. Van Voorhies and F. S. Sterling.

FISTIANA.-There will be sparring match

WANTED .- A woman to do the house-work

T. FOSTER, Esq., of the Duroc House, will

LADIES. - There were one hundred and twen-

continued till the "wee sma' hours of morn.'

All the participants were surfeited with pleas-

ure, and "One's fellows" were justly proud of

BOARD OF DELEGATES. -At a recent meeting

Messrs. Frank Murphy, P. H. Kelley, and E.

A. Sprague, killing the former, and severely

injuring the latter two.

please accept our thanks for a fat turkey sent

of a small family. Inquire at this office.

ined as a witness in a criminal action."

down country Democratic contemporaries is advocating the election of its favorite to the December 27th, 1859. Senatorship by publishing rumors that bets EDITORS DEMOCRAT: You will perceive by have been made on his success, giving great the place at which this letter is dated, that odds. This will not answer the purpose .-Our Correspondent" is no longer a resident Members of the Legislature will not be influof that delightful saline locality immortalized enced by such arguments. If the report be by the DEMOCRAT as the "Home of the Detrue, the event of the struggle for the Senato- parted," but has returned to the scenes of his rial togs will only prove that the gentleman former labors and triumphs, where he is at who made the bets referred to, "had more present busily engaged, aided by a copious light and liberty is approaching fast. money than brains." To say the least of it, supply of the aqueous fluid, in separating this mode of electioneering, with so respecta- from the gold, which abounds in this vicinity, ble a body as the Legislature, is exceedingly the particles of earth interspersed therein, the undignified. It would be in better taste if the removal of which is necessary to insure a journal referred to would in a bold, manly ready sale for the "precious metal." In adman it prefers, by endeavoring to show (a engaged upon an extensive literary work, enhopeless task, by the way) that he is superior titled " The Miners and Emigrant's Own Cook to his opponents in ability, fitness for the po- Book," which will contain an elaborate treasition, or has done service to the Democracy tise on everything pertaining to the primitive that entitle him to the support of their Repre- culinary art, from the most artistic mode of sentatives. Let it show that he has fought flipping a slapjack to the baking of hocakes, he battles of Democracy with ability and ef- corndodgers and other and higher branches of ect; that he surpasses other aspirants in the the art. The book, when finished, will be qualifications necessary to enable him to rep- dedicated to "Nonsensical Nellie," with the resent us at the National Capital with honor 1-0-respects of the Author. My partner and profit, and that his feelings and interests (who, by the by, is a Shakspearian cuss,) beare thoroughly identified with the State, if it ing somewhat skeptical in regard to my culican; but for dignity's sake (our contemporary nary proficiency, sometimes attempts to ridiis very dignified in most matters,) let it cease cule my pretensions to excellence in the dipublishing rumors of bets on its favorite's vine art, by making ill-natured quotations The San Francisco Herald of last Monday cent stew of bacon, onions, and other savory republishes the communication of our corresingredients, which I had triumphantly placed pondent, "Repentant," and credits it to the upon the table, he assumed a tragic atitude-Union Democrat. We are obliged to the Hera la McKean Buchanan-and exclaimed, in a ald for the compliment paid our correspondent deep, sepulchral voice, " Angels and ministers by republishing his article, but would suggest of grease, defend us." But opposition and to the editor that hereafter when he takes an contumely have always been the fate of gearticle from us, he should in common decency nius, and why should "Doeskins" expect an give us the proper credit. Our attention was exception in his case? He will go on regardcalled to the above mistake of the Herold, by less of the sneers and malice of the jealous "Mullinix," our whilom poetical correspond- and envious, confident that his philanthropic ent, who tells us that he is preparing a pocm efforts will eventually be crowned with success, and the name of "Doeskins" be handed O. D. AVALINE, Esq., late publisher of the down to a grateful posterity as the great ben-Amador Sentinel, has purchased an interest in efactor and revolutionizer of the domestic to the patrons of the latter journal in its last language of the lamented "Dow, Jr.," "So

mote it be!" I was considerably astonished upon my return to this portion of the mundane sphere, day the Board of Supervisors passed the fol- to learn that my quondam fellow-voyager, "Honest John," had condescended to accept inal actions: "Ordered that no allowance will a seat in the body of one of our Legislative hereafter be made by this Board for fees of Houses, since, but a few months ago, he aswitnesses in criminal actions, except upon prepired to preside over the other branch! Per sentation of the certificate of the County Clerk haps, his trip "up the river" has taught him that such witness was duly sworn and exam- to moderate his ambition. I think it would have been well for the people had they elected Capt. Rock, but perhaps the election of "Uonest John" is Well-er for a certain aspirant for Senatorial honors. You will pardon my using the comparative degree in speaking of a good slid. There was not sufficient lime in the and sound Democrat, for you know the superlative is in "Washington." (I will here R. Cole -- We invite the attention of Carson mention, as a singular coincidence, that just

The question of a division of the County is being agitated over in Placer, and it has been suggested that the portion of El Dorado lying day, the Board of Supervisors erected another between Otter Creek and the Middle Fork be Road District in Kelsey Township, under the annexed to the new county. In that case, there will be great rivalry between Grey Eagle and Mad Canon in regard to the location ship, and running thence along the west boun. of the county seat, which may end in a" dis- ion of the Supreme Court is, that the tittle of desires to supercede it by a different grade of transdary thereof, to a point due west of the mouth of Irish Creek; thence east to the mouth of

ferry boat. said creek; thence to the junction of the Kel-As we are now in the midst of the holidays. sey road with the Coloma and Louisville road. everything, everything, even the river and near the mouth of Red Ravine; thence to a provisions, are high. Eggs are a dollar per point midway between the Quartz Mill at Rancheria Flat and a point on Dutch Creek due west of said Quartz Mill; thence to a point one hundred paces due east of Dallam's old store on Dutch Creek; thence to a point one Dutch Creek; the people are tight. A great many chickers are tight. A great many chickers are tight. A great many chickers are tight of the people are tight. A great many chickers are tight of the people in this point, and also in reference to the weight of the main, the conditions of the people in this point, and also in reference to the weight of the main, the conditions of the people in this point. The decision will no doubt the a cause of joy to those who, during a few inform tremestee on this point, and also in reference to the weight of the main, the conditions of the people in this point. The decision will no doubt the a cause of joy to those who, during a few inform tremestee on this point, and al dozen, whisky the same. Times, and some cinity are in excellent health. Dr. McCowden on the right bank of Rock Creek one-fourth has but few cases and I didn't get the DENObranch. Should the session prove long and of a mile below the Musquito bridge; thence CRAT last week. The weather is extremely cold, and there's a donkey braying outside so Fork of the American river; and down said that I can hardly hear myself think. Perhaps you'll say there was a donkey writing inside! But I don't care !- Prof. Rogers, formerly of Coloma, examined my "bumps," last week' The regular annual business meeting of the and said I had a perfect "Douglas head."--Presbyterian Church was held on last Tuesday (Whether he meant Stephen A. or Fred., I

Evening. A goodly number were present and couldn't get through my "wool.") considerable interest was manifested in regard I'll pi somebody's form with a sbeep's foot, to the business affairs of the Church. We if you don't attend to my case and send my are happy to state that the finances of the paper along by ex-press, for I've got proof church are in a prosperous condition. The that it didn't come to the office; and Frank following named gentlemen were elected Trus. Garische says he don't know what the devil tees for the ensuing year: Thos. C. Nugent, it means, but somebody must be stirred up with a long stick.

Yours until New Year's Day,

DOESKINS. for \$500 aside, between two distinguished [We've tried " Doeskins' " cookery. His Dec. 5, To balance cash on hand, Jan. 2, Total receipts to date, professors of the manly art, at O'Donnell's biscuits are "hard to beat," and we learn that leather, for shoe bottoms. We'll take a gross Jan. 2, Total receipts to date, his buckwheat cakes are better than-sole or two of his "Cook Book" when it's pub lished.]

Young vs. Brown .- To-night, at the Uppe Placerville Lyceum, the following resolution will be debated :

Resolved. That Brigham Young and his associates have been guilty of greater crimes

VOTE OF THANKS .- At a regular meeting of Confidence Engine Co. No. 1, held in their Hall on Thursday Evening last, the thanks of the Company were voted to Mr. W. L. Marple, for a beautiful Rooster, presented by him to MATRIMONIAL STOCE IN RHODE ISLAND .- The

divorce docket of the Supreme Court, now in of the Board of Delegates of the Placerville session in Providence, R. I., contains eighty-Fire Department, the following gentlemen three petitions of release from matrimony.were elected as officers for the ensuing year: The Court appears determined to keep up M. K. Shearer, President; Pat. Lynch, Vice with the business, and in a single hour removed the yoke from the neck of twelve discontented couples. Poison Antidores .- A teaspoonful of salt

in a teacupful of water, and swallowed after any poison taken into the stomach by accident will instantly act as an emetic. As soon as the stomach is quiet, drink a cup of coffee, Accident.-In Noah & Co.'s tunnel at Neclear and strong, or swallow the white of an gro Flat, on Wednesday, the bank caved upon | egg.

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS .-- A caucus of the Democratic members of the Legislature was held on Thursday evening for the nomination of a United States Senator, with the following found an advertisement from the Postoffice result: Weller, 38; Denver, 32; Washing-Department for proposals to carry the mails ton, 11; Baldwin, 8; McDougald, 6. No eboice.

The spread of knowledge throughout the earth is destined to be the task of the Anglo Who are more fitted for the task? Whe are obtain a new hold on lite, and a new see more able for the work? In lands of despotic darkness-in the dark corners of the carth shall the light of the stars of the Great Republie find its way. Rejoice! oh ye peoples, for your time is come. Rejoice, for the time of

A silent preacher is working its wonders in the earth. A silent preacher is at work in the homes, and the hearts and the minds of the people. It is the printed paper - the issue of the Press. Amongst what people has it done extremely rich, and contains considerable gold such wonders, as it has amongst those whose manner advocate the election of the gentle- dition to my mineralogical researches I am emblem is the star of light and liberty? In every portion of the earth where the star of the Republic shall find its way-there will it leave its lasting impression. To jt do the oppressed of the earth look for light and truth. Knowledge is power-where there is knowl edge there also is power. Is not this plain in he advancement of this our Great Republic? Is it not a great truth unto you? 'Knowledge and Power will go together-hand in hand under the banner of the stars to the furthermost places of the earth. It is the duty of the Anglo-American, to scatter knowledge abroad upon the face of the earth.

Scatter your presses amongst the Peoplescatter your iron horses amongst them. Encircle their lands with iron roads. Send amongst them your conductor of thoughtyour swift messenger of peace-your lightning lines. Increase your swift ships ;-disperse from his favorite author. For instance—the them throughout the mighty waters. Hasten other day, when I had compounded a magnifi. onward new ideas and useful reforms to foreign lands. Americanize - revolutionize it is your mission. Old things shall be done away with, and new ones take their place. Know! edge shall be increased, and the power of the

people strengthened in the earth Wherever the banner of the Republic is acknowledged-there make yourselves at home -there plant your presses. Extend your op erations amongst the millions of China, Japan. India, Russia and the nations of Africa .-Amongst those who live in darkness and ig norance-there let your stars shine, in prac-

Hasten among them your Telegraphs, your Printing presses, your Railroads, and steampropelling vessels. Scatter amongst them your books, your papers-your abounding knowledge. Let them see and know the light - that so they may the more easily perceive the great

ness unto them. Spread your knowledge far and wide amongst the peoples; for knowledge is more powerful than the sword. Send forth your measengers of peace, and without war shall this great Republic strengthen and extend itself all over the earth-for the Lord Jehorah is with us and for vs-Praise ye the Lord.

FORT KEARNEY, K. T., Nov. 1859.

A movement has been started in this city, United States. The plan proposes the formation of a consistory of Delegates from each ing together and acting for the mass, when occasion requires it. At the outset it will attend to secular affairs only .- Baltimore Sun.

ing \$15 a ton for a plant very common in this country, and generally known as "dog fennel." It is said to be a good substitute for oak back,

highly important decision in regard to the General may also custant or discontinues taxation of lands in the new States and Terris in whole on in part, at provided decisary tories. The public lands belonging to the U. lowing one month's extra compensation on the Samount dispensed with, whenever, in his opinion, the public interests require the change, or in case he solution of the Union" and confiscation of the lands sold at the various land offices re-portation.

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the Union and confiscation of the United States until the various land offices re-portation. State or Territory has any right to levy a tax upon land for which the purchaser has not revenue derived from the taxation of such

> At the Maine State Fair, a boy of fifteen years, from the town of Woodstock, had a him as an obedient boy will his parents. a motion of his hand they would go forward, halt and return, go to the right or left, kneel down, and perform other things much to the surprise of some older farmers who are in the habit of putting the brad through the hide.

County Treasurer's Monthly Report to the tute a "star bid." When a star bid is intended, no Hon- Board of Supervisors. ROBT. BELL, in acc. with El Dorado Co.

GENERAL PEND. Dec. 5, To balance cash on hand. SCHOOL PUND Dec. 5, To balance cash on hand, Jan. 3, Total receipts to date, HOSPITAL PEND. BOAD FUND. WAGON BOAD FUND. Dec. 5, To balance cash on hand, Jan. 2, Total receipts to date. BRANCH ROAD FUND. To balance cash on hand, 67 70 Total recepts to date, 501 60 ROTRAY PUND. INDIAN SPECIAL FERD. Dec. 5, To belance cash on hand, Jan. 3, Total receipts to date, in cluding bal. cash on hand, CONTRA, CR. Jan. 2, Paid Auditor's Warrants, \$3512 55

Interest, Treasurer's Commission, Comm'ion on School Fund, BY SCHOOL FUND. " " Paid Superintendent's Warrants, BY MOSPITAL PUND. Paid Auditor's Warrants, 1143 15 " Interest,
" Treasur's Com'mion, BY ROAD FUND.

Paid Auditor's Warrants,
" Interest,
" Treas'rs Commi'on, WAGON ROAD FUND. Paid Auditor's Warrants, " Interest,
" Treas'rs Comm'ion, BRANCH BOAD FUND.

General Fund,..... 1516 68 58 18 24 38 1120 90 554 25 165 00

Holloway's Pills .- Nothing this world can af-Rays of Light.—The Spread of Knowledge. ford is of any value to those in whom sickness has extinguished the capacity for enjoyment. The most ne intelligence we can give to all whome thus situated, is that the means of recovery are within their reach—that they have only to avail themselves American. It is their duty and their end to seat-ter it abroad amongst the peoples of the earth.

> producing such results in chronic diarrahea and cholic, weakness of the stomach, diseases of the parraileled in this country; while Holloway's Oin nent is working miracles in external disorders. NEW COPPER MINE. - A new vein of copper has recently been discovered eight miles east of this City, on Carson river, at a place which 143-171 has been named Copper Canon. The ore is

and si ver. Parties are now at work getting cut the ore. - Territor al Enterprise. A Mexican, name unknown, had several of his toes amputated on Christmas day, at Genoa, in consequence of having the same frozen. Dr. Chamberlin performed the operation .-Territorial Enterprise.

BALL .- Hope Hook and Ladder Co., No. 1, will give their fitth annual ball on the evening of February 22d.

BORN.

In this City, December 26th, the wife of Wm. M. Smyth In this City, on the 3d instant, the wife of F. F. Bares

MAIL PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS for carrying the mails of the United States, from the 1st of May, 1860, to the 1st of July, 1862, on the following route in Utah Territory. partment until 2 a. m. of the 1st day of March, 1860, to be decided by the following day: No. 12501. From Sait Lake City, by Camp Floyd. ville, Cantilitia, 765 miles and back, twice i

Leave Salt Lake City on 1st and 15th of each Arrive at Placerville in 16 days.
Leave Placerville on the jist and 15th of each

Arrive at Salt Lake City in 16 days.

INSTRUCTIONS, Containing conditions to be incorporated in the con tructs to the extent the department may deem proper 1. Seven minutes are allowed to each intermed: ate office, when not otherwise specified, for assorting the mails. When the mode of conveyance admits of it, the special agents of the Department, also Amador Sentinel, has purchased an interest in the Calaveras Chronicle, and makes his bow the "Honest Miner!" In the author thereof, and praise him for his good-to be conveyed without extra charge.

2. No pay will be made for trips not performe 1:

2. No pay will be made for trips not performe 1: ducted, For arrivals so far behind time as to saubject to forfeiture. Deduction will also be or specified in the contract. For repeated delinquen cies of the kind here n specified, enlarged penalties, proportioned to the nature thereof and the importance of the finit, may be trade.

3. For leaving behind or throwing off the mails, or any portion of them, for the admission of passengers, or for being concerned in setting up among the Hebrews, for the formation of a ming an express conveying intelligence in advance Board of Representatives of the Jews in the of the man, a quarter's pay may be deducted.

United States. The plan proposes the formation of a ming an express conveying intelligence in advance.

4. Fines will be imposed, unless the delinquency.

be promptly and satisfactorily explained by cates of postmasters or the allidavits f other creu. congregation in the United States. This body, the persons of the sinday is of the contract time; like the British Board of Representatives, will to neglecting to take the mail from or deliver a inclook to and forward Jewish interests, by meet to a post office; for sudering it to be wet, injured. destroyed, tobbed, or lost; and for relosing, after year, and that the money is proposed to be extended in demand, to convey the small as frequently as the making a complete and thorough survey for a Railroad. ontractor runs, of is concerned in tunning, acouch, car, or steambout on a route.
5. The Postmaster General may order an increase A New Arricle for Tanning. —An Iowa of service on a route by allowing therefor a poe rata of Hacerolie, do hereo, increase on the contract pay. He may change schedules of the Artentined of the contract pay. He may change schedules of the Artentined of the contract pay. He may change schedules of the Artentined of the ules of departures and arrivals in all cases, and particularly to make their conform to complaints with railroads, without increase of pay, provided the running time be not abridged. He may historder an increase of speed, allowing, within the recorder and the first open which said vote small be taken.

With a smy hand the live in the day of December, An Important Decision.—The United States
Supreme Court at Washington, has made a
highly important decision in recent to the the additional stock of Car

issued to the purchaser, and consequently no drafts on postmasters, or otherwise, after the expira-

7. The distances are given according to the beat yet received his patent from the United States information, but no occeased pay will be allowed Government. The decision will no doubt be should they be greater than advertised, if the points such grounds, can be considered; nor for alleged mistakes or misapprehension as to the degree of service; nor for bridges destroyed, ferries discontinued, or other obstructions increasing distance, occurring during the contract term. Offices estabished after this advertisement is issued, and also pair of three year old steers which obeyed during the contract term, are to be visited without Sacramento made, as well as

s. The route, the service, the yearly pay, the name and residence of the bidder, (that is, his usual postoffice address,) and those of each member of a firm, where a company offers, should be distinct: other place in the city, and begs to solicit a share of a public patronage, mode than horseback be intended. The words with due celerity, certainty, and security," insertspecific conveyance must be named. But in case two mides of conveyance are named at the same compensation, the highest or best for the service

will be taken. tion eighteen of an act of Congress approved March 3, 1845, provides that contracts for the transportation of the mail shall be let "in every case to the lowest bidder tendering sufficient guarcase to the lowest bidder tendering summers.

anties for faithful performance without other reference to the mode of such trensportation than may be necessary to provide for the due celenty, certainty, and security of such transportation. Under this law a new description of bids has been received. They do not specify a mode of conveyance, but engage to take the entire mail each trip with the fourtal forms of the Count aforesaid, notice is hereby given to all the Credition of said Insolvent, Louis Sampter, an Insolvent Butter of the Petition of Louis Sampter, an Insolvent Butter of the Petition of Louis Sampter, and Insolvent Sampter of the Count aforesaid, notice is hereby given to all the Credition of said Insolvent, Louis Sampter, and Insolvent Sampter of the Count aforesaid, notice is hereby given to all the Credition of said Insolvent, Louis Sampter, and Insolvent Sampter of the Count aforesaid, notice is hereby given to all the Credition of said Insolvent Louis Sampter. in which they are designated on the books of the department, "star bids," and they will be construed as providing for the conveyance of the entire mail, however large, and whatever may be the mode necessary to insure its "celerity, certainty, and security."

10. Each bid must be guarantied by two responsible persons. The bid and guaranty should be signed plainly with the full name of each person. The department reserves the right to reject any bid which may be deemed extravagant, and al-

to to disregard the bids of failing contractors and bidders.

12. The bid should be sealed, superscribed,

"Mail Proposals, Territory of Utah," addressed
"Second Assistant Postmaster General, Contract

-AT-Office," and sent by mail, not by or to an agent; and postmasters will not enclose proposals (or letters of any kind) in their quarterly returns.

18. The contracts are to be executed and returned to the department by or before the 1st day of May, 1860; but the service must be commenced on that date, whether the contracts be executed or not 14. A modification of a bid in any of its essential

terms is tantamount to a new bid, and cannot be received, so as to interfere with a regular competition, after the last hour set for receiving bids.— Making a new bid, with guaranty and certificate, is the only way to modify a previous bid. 15. Postmasters are to be careful not to certify the sufficiency of guarantors or sureties without knowing that the are persons of sufficient responsibility; and all bidders, guarantors, and sureties are distinctly notified that, on a failure to enter into or perform the contracts for the service proposed for in the accepted bids, their legal liabilities will

stantially in the forms above prescribed. The cer-tificates of sufficiency must be signed by a post-master or by a judge of a court of record. No oth-

Postmaster General. [jan7w4]

THE Members of Neptune Library are hereby notified that the same is now open and Books are ready for delivery. The Library is kept and the Catalogue can be seen at Mr. Barss, Jewelry Store at any time.

REGULATIONS.—The Library shall be open to visitors, on week-days from 7 to 8 o'clock, P. M and on Sundays, from 1 to 4 o'clock, P. M., at which time the Librarian or his Deputy will be in attendance. J. J. CULLEN, Librarian.

Ditch Property For Sale! A Good Chance for a Small Capitalist.

THE undersigned wishing to leave the country offer for saie 2 shares, being one-fourth, of the Henry's organgs Ditch, said Ditth is in first rate repair and is now doing a good cash busines, and will have a good sup-ply of water until September. By extending the Ditch 3 or 4 miles it will command some of the richest mining grounds in Li Dorado county. I will sell the above very cheap for cash. For further particulars address JOHN D. JACKSON,

Grizzly Flat, El Dorado Co., Cal. Henry's Diggings, Jan. 4th, 1860.—43-3w

A. BLOCH, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS, PLACERVILLE. New Goods by every Steamer.

LOST.

O'N Monday, December 20th, in Placerville, a Promisory Order, bearing date November 20th, 1859, No6i, from the Facinc Quartz Company, to Henry Simons,
for the sum of \$42. All persons are hereby cautioned
against negotiating for said Order, as payment has been
stopped. The hinder will be suitably rewarded by leaving it at Tannenwald's Old Round Tent.

L. TANNENWALD. Placerville, Jan. 4th, 1863.

School Exercises.

THE Upper Placerville Public School will give an even-ing a entertainment on Tuesday Evening, January leth, 1860, at Brewery Hall, Upper Placerville. The Exercises to consit of Declamations, Colloquies;

Singing. &c Admittance, The proceeds to be devoted to the benefit of the School 40.1w CHAS. H. PARKER, Teacher.

Ferry Notice.

TO all whom it may concern. Notice is hereby given that the undersingned will make application to the Evart of Supervisors of H Dorado Co., Call, on the first Monday in rebruary next, or so soon as the same can be heard, for an Order for a license to keep a Public Ferry acress the Middle Fora of the American River, at Volcano license and Courty.

MARTIN THE WIZZARD!!

PROFFERS TO THE PUBLIC A **Grand Gift Entertainment!**

At the Theater, in the City of Placery lie on The Evening of February 4th, 1860.

250 Prizes Valued at \$3.000, To be distributed among the Ticket holders. The Prizes eruptions from the skin, cures rheumatism and pains of all consists of our rely new and fash consists and are of the consists of our rely new and fash consists and are of the consists of our rely new and fash consists of our rely new and our rely new and our relationship of our relationship our relationship of our relationship of our relationship our relationship our relationship our relationship of our relationship our relationsh

One Dollar Each. The holder of one ticket will be admitted to the entertain-Places be, one door below the Theater. Man street, whose Seats may be secured and Licket; obtained. The drawing will combine to item district obtained. The drawing will combine the introductely after the performance—when girlt men selected from the audience by the Licket-Holders wan attend to the distribution of prises.

D. MARTIN.

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Placerville, January 7th, 1500 -42 td

Mayor's Proclamation. WHEREAS The Common Council of the City of Plafrom the City of Placerville to Yolsom, or to some con-vence t point in the vicinity of Fosem, connecting with the Sacramento Valley Reil Road. Valley Rail Road.
I George W. Swan, Mayor of the City

approved March 116, 1509, call up-titly of Placerville, to sole upon h tax: and I do hereby designate tox of January A. D. 1060, as the

Sealer of Weights and Measures. Dorado

Deputy State Sealer for El Dorado County, Cal.

December 31st, 1819 - 42-if

Information Wanted

OF JESSE HOOPEN, who impligrated to the State from Missour about the year 1851. As vinformation as to the residence of M. Hooten, sent to the Motors is best to the Accession will be gratefully reletted. JAMES M. BRUWN.

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Placerville, December Slat, 1559 -42 1me POULTRY YARD.

THE subscriber respectfully bigs to inform the citizens of Flacury leand webnity, that he has established a Poultry Yard at his residence on Bedford Avenue, and intends to keep it stocked with Turkeys, Chickens, Geese, Ducks and

Pigeons, which will be sold at the lowest market rates.

During the season of Wild Game, such as the market wil afford, will be found there. il afford, will be found there.

Those in want of Flour, either Mountain Mill, Folsom or Barley, Wheat, Oats, Bran, Shorts,

Butter and Eggs, etr . which will be sold at as low a figure

Prime Hay, by the bale or tor Placerville, Dec. 31st, 1859 -42-tf

Notice.

I.I. persons indebted to the undersigned for accounts of 60 days standing or over, are earnessly requested to come forward and settle by next Monday; etherwise the raccounts will be given to the proper authority for collection.

D. NEWBAUER.

Placerville, October 8, 1859.

suance of the Statute in such cases made and provided and in the magnitude it is ach cases made and provided and in the meantime it is ordered that all judicial proceed-ing against said Insolvent debtor be stayed. g against said Insolvent debtor be stayed.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court

[L. S.] affixed at office in the City of Placerville,
this 2d day of January A. D. 1860

this 2d day of January, A. D. 1860. WM. A. JANUARY, Clerk. jan 7.-5w

for in the accepted bids, their legal liabilities will be enforced against them.

16. Present contractors and persons known at the department must, equally with others, procure guarantors and certificates of their sufficiency, substantially in the forms above prescribed. The certificates of sufficiency must be signed by a post-

CALL AND SEE FOR YOURSELVES. MARK LEVISON. Placerville, Nov. 12, 1859 .-- if

A CALL.

A LL persons indebted to either of the undersigned on individual accounts, or to the firm of bra Cooke & Titus, are requested to come forward and settle by the lst of December, 1859; otherwise our accounts will be given to the proper authority for collection

Placerville, Oct. 29th, 1859 .- 88-tf

El Dorado County Agricultural Society.

A FEMBERS of the Society are hereby noticed that the Annual Meeting thereof, for the electible of officers, etc. 4:11 br held at Coloma, on Saturday, the 28th day of January, 1860, at 10 clock, P. M.
A full attendance is enricetly desired. A full attendance is earnestly desired.

By order. J. M. B. WEATHERWAX, Pres't.

A. A. VAN GUSLDER, Sec'ry.

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NOTICE.

GEORGE FRANCIS has removed his entire Stock of Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, and Clothing, from his old stand opposite the Kockuk Hotel, to the Fireproof Store on the Plaza, opposite the Theater, lately occupied by Messrs. Hans & Moch, where he will be happy to wait on all thee who may favor him with a call.

Thankful to fus old customers for their past patronage, he hopes by strict attention to husiness to gain new friends.

Whilst his motto is "QUICK SALES AND SMALL PROFITS." he yet assures the public he will keep none but he best goods. Placerville, December 24th, 1859.

New Year's Ball.

THE Public are respectfully invited to attend a New Year's Ball to be given at the

YOUNG'S HOTEL.

Diamond Springs. Monday Evening, January 2d. 1860. Good Music will be provided, and everything done to

NATHAN YOUNG

ANNUAL REVIVAL CONFIDENCE ENGINE COMPANY NO. 1, will be happy to see their friends, (the ladies and gentlemen of Placerville and vicinity,) at their Hall, on Monday, January 24, 185, from 1 until 4 o'clock, p. M., to partake of their hospitality.

W. M. DORARD, See'r.

W. M. DONABCE, Sec'y. FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC Wines, Liquors, Cigars,

Playing Cards, etc.. etc. A splendid assertment of the above articles can be had

W. M. DONAHUE'S, Plara, Main street, Placere

To saloon keepers, hotel keepers, families and others .-Your attention is respectfully solicited to a fine selection ft'e above articles W.M. DONAHUE.

Hall's Sarsaparil's Yellow Dock and Iodide of Potass is prepared from the finest Red Jamaica Sarsaparilla and English Iodide of Potass-Admirable as a restorative and purifier of the blood-it cleaners the system of all mort d and impure matter-removing pimples, boils and kinds. All who can afford should use it as it tends to give strength and prolong life. Sold by Druggists generally at \$1.00 per bottie.

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Dr. Baker's Pain Panace.

My Pain Panacae a composed entirely of healing gume and vegetable oils and herbs. It is perfectly safe for the most delicate to use I can most sincerely say, that I have never known any, however delicate, to be injured by it in P. S. - I at es and gentlemen will please call and exam- | not used it, to try it for the following diseases. If they are not satisfied with its healing properties, the money will be cheerfully refunded by the agent where the medicine in for

> I' you have point in the Stomach or Boscele, try a doe of Pain Panace internally, bathe externally over the part affected and you will at once restore the proper actions and relieve the pain If you have a Burn, keep the parts covered with cot

wet with Pain Panace This will, in a few minutes draw out the fire, and cure the pain. How have a Bruise or Wound, bathe it well with the Pain l'anacae four times a day. It will relieve the pain on be levied on the assessed value of property in said in order to realize such sum is live-eighths of one and take out all the poison, and healthe wound in a short

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n'y the Pain Panacae to the effected parts, and gargle the mouth or threat three or four times a day towels, take a few doses of Pain Panacae, and they will soon be restored. If you have a painful swelling, bathe

P. REFLY is authorized to Scaland Inspect We glit, ashe apply the Pain Panacae on a piece of cotton, and Dorado W. F. 120N.

ashe apply the Pain Panacae on a piece of cotton, and that the gum at the same time; it will stop the poin it stantly stantly. If you have been Bitten by a Spider, or any other in-

sect, or stung by Bees, take fine sait, mix it with the Palm Panacae, and apply to the parts. I' you here a Pain in the Breast Side Back or Side neve, bathe the parts afferted morning and night; at the same time take a dose of the Panacae internally. If a mother have a Caked Breast, apply the Pala Pan

acae as hot se it can be borne. If you feel Chilly or Cold, as though you were going to have a fever take a dose of Panacae. L'you have a Wound, Cut, or Galle on your Bose, at a ply the Pain Panacae; it will take out ail the inflamation, and heat the sore in a short time.

Sold by all the principal druggists, and by PARK & WILLTE Access 135 Washington street, San Francisco. PETTIT & CHOATE, Agents, Placerville.

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FOR THE CURE OF

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Cough, Difficulty of Breathing, Colds,

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It centains no Opium Calomel, or Mineral Poison! And is safe for the most Delicate Child. Testimony of a Highly Respectable

Druggiet. MESSES O. R. BARRS & Co.-GERTS: Your medicine, Messas O. R. Barra & Co.—Gerrs: Your medicine, Br. Hall's lialsam, is doing wonders here, and I might get many certificates of important cures, but I think it not necessary; the Balsam will stand upon its own merits.—

It has given more satisfaction in lung complaints than any other medicine that has ever been sold. Out of all the large number of bottles that I have sold, there has been tut about two bottles returned, although I always sold it with the privilege of returning it if entire satisfaction was not given, (according to your instructions.) I have known if to cure, in 24 hours, some of the most screen attacks or lung diseases. In some cases, the patients experience an almost alarming smothering or suffaciating sensation about the lungs; but almost instandaments relief teas given by the use of your Releam. The sale of the Balsam, as you are aware, with me, has been quite extensive, so much so that I have sold but little of any other kind, although I have a supply of almost all the popular medicines used for lung diseases.

Respectfully Your, G. E. CONWELL.

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Largest Arrival of the Season!

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MARK LEVISON'S,

Opposite the Reokuk Hotel.

The mails for the Atlantic States, Europe, Oregon and Washington Territory close about the 3rd and 18th of each month, (except when those days come on Faturday, and then they will close the day previous.) at 10 o'clock P. M.

The Mails. Overland via. Los Angelos. close at this office semi-weekly, on Wednesdays and Fridays at 9 o'clock P. M.

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The Mails Overland via. Los Angelos. close at this office semi-weekly, on Wednesdays and Fridays and Fridays morning at 6 o'clock.

The Mails for Revealed to go by this route must be marked of San Francisco. His stock consists of fine Beaver, Pilot, Petersham, Silkmized Business Coats, Raglans. Overcoats and Monkey Jackets; fine Casimere and Deeskin Pants; Silk Velvet, Cloth, Satin and Silk Vests; Gent's Silk, Wood, and Shaker Flannel Undershirts, Drawers and Half-Hose Davis & Jones' White and Colored Shirts, a large assortment of all kinds of French, black and colored hats; quitted, pump-sole, square-toed and cork sole as we hoots; Godfrey's. Hunt's, Clark's, and everybody elses fine and heavy pegged and nailed boots; Gent's swed bootees and slips for dancing; red, blue and white blankets and comforts; Inoian tanned buckskin gloves, well sole of the first of the property of the Mails of the Atlantic States, Europe, Organ and Priday morning at 5 o'clock.

The Mails for Newtown Cedarville and Indian Diggings close at 6 o'clock, A. M., on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays and Fridays.

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PETTIT & CHOATE have just received a full stock Drugs, Paints, Perfumery, Fancy Goods and Toilet Articles, which they are selling at greatly reduced prices. They have on consignment a few of Wheeler & Wil

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To the Fireproof House, on Main st., opposite the OLD All persons owing the firm on bills made prior the 6th

instant, are requested to pay the same before the lat day of January next, or their accounts will be placed in the hands of an officer for collection.

" Paid Treasurer's Commission, er certificate will be admitted. .\$12,883 62

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Post Office Department,
December 1, 1659. NOTICE.

Placerville, January 7th, 186)

PERUVIAN AND FRENCH OFFER HATS RECEIVED MARK LEVISON'S.

A FEW DOZENE of the Best MOGUL BRAND, for sale

DRY GOODS AND CLOTHING