

PUBLIC SCHOOL EXERCISES.

HOW THE PUPILS WILL HONOR
THANKSGIVING DAY.Programs Announced for the
Grammar Schools and Capital
Primary.

To-morrow being Thanksgiving Day there will of course be no session of the public schools. In many of them Thanksgiving exercises will be held to-day, and the following programs have been received for publication:

CAPITAL PRIMARY.
Song, "Red, White and Blue," school.
"Pumpkin Pie," Mack Kunz; "History of a Seed," Adell Reeves, Helen Clark, Adelaide Greer and Freda Anderson; "Thanksgiving Dinner," Albert E. Ligne; song, "The Garden Bed," school; "The Little Pilgrim," Lorraine Miller; "The Magic Vine," Samuel Thorpe; "Thanksgiving," Ruth Mills, Barbara Green, Anita Dittmar, Laura Wheeler, Irene Ryan, Beth Johnson, Ruth Pond, Hattie Hill, Lola Norris, Darous, Bessie Harcourt, Norma Brown, Gertrude Hoff and Lella Little; "Good Things to Eat," Bernice Henley; song, "Thanksgiving Customs," school; "Grandma's Pies," Walter Stott; "The Doll from Paris," Agatha Shuler; "The Pumpkins," Raymond Wood, Frank White, George Darsen and Marjorie Lane; "The Very Best Way," Ruth Wiseman; song, "What Little Folks Can Do," First Grade; "A Boy's Opinion," Paul Terry; "Not Going to Grandma's," Anita Dittmar; song, "Piggy-Wig," school; "An Heroic Bird," Lynn Moynihan; "We Thank Thee," Myrtle Wood; "Story of Pilgrimage," Helen Asselton, Lena Eck, Clarence Messier, Alma Gleis, Thomas Allender, Mamie King, Mervyn Hagerty, Gladys White, Elwood Klackfere, Hazel Laws, Frank Maher, Emma Flax, Paul Rogers, Ida Roche, John Cuthbert, Hattie Mehlhar, Emil Chapman, Ethel Stober, Roy Muir and Alice Bastian; song, "America," school.

SUTTER GRAMMAR.
Commencing at 1 p. m.—"America," school; reading of the President's proclamation, George Baxter; "Thanksgiving," Zanita Drake, Edna Weisler and Mary Lichard; "The Farmer's Wife," Della Williamson; "The Sweet Home," school; "The Landing of the Pilgrim Fathers," Glenn Kirkpatrick; composition, "The Pilgrims," William Spangler; piano duet, Louise Jurgens and Estelle Burns; saluting the flag, school; "The Folk of the Home," school; "The Festival Praise," John McGinnis; composition, "The First Thanksgiving," Myrtle Ayer; "When the Frost is on the Pumpkin," Belle Muddox; "Columbia, My Country," school.

HARKNESS GRAMMAR.
Commencing at 1 o'clock p. m.—March, Minnie Vogel; "Thanksgiving Hymn," school; reading, "History of Thanksgiving," Leona Giffen; declamation, "Thanksgiving Day," George Newbourg; piano duet, "Threshen Walzner," Edna Elworthy and Ethel Reid; declamation, "The First Thanksgiving Day," Willie Keating; zither solo, Edith Hunt; class exercise, "Thanksgiving Day," Alice Pollard, Edna Fraser, Henry Blewener, Geoffrey Hall, Della Boitano, Charlotte Schuckler, Elma Eck, Clarence Messier, Agular, Blanche Guild; singing by pupils of the Ninth Grade; reading of President McKinley's proclamation, Thomas Kirk; violin solo, "The Flower Song," Rita Carlrow; recitation, "Thanksgiving in Ye Olden Time," Alice Banks; song, "The Old Ship," school.

SACRAMENTO GRAMMAR.
Afternoon—Song by the school, "The Merry Farmer Boy"; recitation, "A June Thanksgiving," Belle Weyant; declamation, "The First Thanksgiving," Clyde Brand; piano solo, Vera McKim; recitation, "Mr. Thankful," Edith Lawson; recitation, "Thanksgiving Day," Fannie Ross, Mary Milligan, Valentine McClatchey, Helen Asselton, Helen Pierce, Celia Dahring, Zelma Wilson, Muriel Gibson, Miriam Pittip; song by the school, "The Stars and Stripes"; declamation, "A Thankful Father," Kate Turner; the President's proclamation, George McManus; recitation, "Life's Blessings," Eva Chandler; song by the school, "The Star-Spangled Banner."

FAIR OAKS LAND.

A Purchaser's Difficulty in Securing a Deed.

Samuel O'Neill has filed his complaint in an action against the Howard-Wilson Publishing Company, Fred Cox, C. W. Clarke and the Central Building and Loan Association to have the Superior Court determine whether claim the defendants may have against Miss Mary O'Neill on account of the purchase of forty-three and one-half acres of land at Fair Oaks.

The purchase was made in February, 1894. The complaint alleges that Miss O'Neill paid \$1,433.33 down and gave three notes of \$971.65 each for the remainder of the purchase price, payable at the Howard & Wilson office in Chicago. The first of these notes was paid on in January, 1897. In November, 1898, Miss O'Neill assigned her agreement, etc., to the plaintiff.

The complaint alleges that in January, 1898, Miss O'Neill paid the amount of the second note; that in December, 1898, tendered the money for the third note, and demanded a deed to the property; that defendant, Wilson, refused to receive the money and execute a deed as demanded.

Cox & Clarke claim to be the owners

NUTS All New

Mixed, per pound.....10c
Almonds, per pound.....10c
Walnuts, per pound.....10c
Brazil, per pound.....10c
Filberts, per pound.....15c
Fancy Pecans, per pound.....15c

Seedless Sultana Raisins, 3 lbs. for 25 cents.
Seedless Raisins, 1-pound cartons, 10 cents.
Soft raw Brown Sugar and Boiled Cider for mince meat.
20 pounds fine Dry Granulated Sugar for \$1.

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Cor. Eighth and K Sts.

of the property, and that Wilson cannot execute a deed thereto until they are paid. The sum due on the last note was then tendered to them, but they declined to accept it. The Occidental Building and Loan Association claims to be the owner of the note by virtue of an assignment and delivery thereto by Edwin K. Alsip, and demands that the money be paid to the association, though it cannot execute a deed to the property.

It is for the purpose of having the court straighten out the matter that the action is brought.

PERSISTENT BEGGAR.

A complaint is made that a professional beggar is going around town soliciting money from people, especially Germans. His name is Von Hartung. He is about 45 years of age, wears a moustache and goatee, gray coat and black trousers. He claims to be a teacher, but sometimes says he is a preacher. He says he wants to establish a school to teach German. He gets money by exciting sympathy.

The man came here from Reno about a year ago, lay around for some weeks and then disappeared. He abuses those who have aided him and refuse to "repay," and goes about reviling them. He is well and able to work but has not sought it, preferring to beg for money. He has no particular tale of woe, but manages to enlist sympathy, and thus get money which he spends for whisky.

Several days ago Special Officer Carroll arrested him, but as there was no charge laid against him he was released.

THE NEW RAILROAD.

Los Angeles Company Files Articles of Incorporation.
The Sacramento and San Joaquin Valley Railroad Company has filed its articles of incorporation in this county. They state that it is the purpose of the company to construct and operate a railroad between Sacramento and Stockton, touching at New Hope, and with a branch from the town of Franklin to the Stockton River.

The directors named are John Cross, Arthur Newton, Warren Gillespie, A. C. Cross, J. E. Loomis, N. P. Conrey and John A. Payne, all of Los Angeles; J. S. Hanford of St. Louis, Mo., and Arthur Thornton of New Hope, San Joaquin County.

The capital stock is \$500,000, and the principal place of business is Los Angeles.

AMATEUR BALL.

High School and Western Teams to Play To-Morrow.

The weather permitting there will be a good game of baseball between the High School team and the Westerns at Fourteenth and R streets to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock. Following is the line-up of both teams:

High School: Catcher.....Burke
Belmer.....Pitcher.....Miller
Ossoud.....1st base.....Sta key
Blewener.....2d base.....Silva
Michel.....3d base.....Bauer
J. Fitzgerald.....shortstop.....Clifton
Miller.....left field.....Sprague
E. Fitzgerald.....center field.....Neilson
Causley.....right field.....Futeler

SENTENCED FOR VAGRANCY.

William and Anita Will Spend Their Christmas in Jail.

William Sperry, who was arrested by Officer Bagley for shooting at Anita Sequard on L street, was yesterday sentenced by Justice Anderson to six months in the County Jail for vagrancy, the woman denying that he had shot at her.

Anita was sentenced to the County Jail for 100 days for vagrancy.

Joseph Kelly was sentenced to sixty days for the same offense and the case of Ah Tom, charged with vagrancy, was taken under advisement.

Land Patents.

Governor Gage has signed land patents for sixteenth and thirty-sixth sections as follows: J. L. Murphy, 319.93 acres in Los Angeles County; Guillaume Etchecon, 640 acres in Fresno County; C. E. Glover, 500 acres in Ventura County; James J. Doyle, 160 acres in San Bernardino County; Frank R. Whitcomb, 320 acres and Norman L. Palmer, 640 acres in Fresno County; Union National Bank, 640 acres in Tuolumne County; John Lowe, 40 acres in Lassen County; Miss C. E. Glover, 80 acres in Alpine County; James M. Cox, 25.00 acres in San Luis Obispo County; J. Leroy Nickel, 136.33 acres and Kern County Land Company, 200 acres in Kern County; El Dorado Wood and Plume Company, 1,753.84 acres in El Dorado County.

Grant of 500,000 acres—William Middleton, 160 acres in Siskiyou County; Jesse F. McDowell, 320 acres in San Joaquin County.

Swamp and Overflowed Lands—C. W. Clark, 600 acres in Tuolumne County; John Iribarne, Jones and Iribarne and Juanita Iribarne, 120 acres in Kern County; Charles H. Crocker, 50.07 acres in San Bernardino County.

Y. W. C. A. Notes.

To-morrow evening there will be a social gathering at the rooms of the Young Women's Christian Association, and a cordial invitation is extended the members and friends of the association.

At 1 o'clock there will be a Thanksgiving dinner served, and all young women away from home will have an opportunity to eat a home-cooked meal. The sewing class will meet Saturday evening as usual.

A Boys' Ball Game.

The new Brooklyn ball team took another game from the Little Gilt Edges yesterday by a score of 13 to 6. It was fixed so that the teams will again meet on Friday and Saturday to decide which shall have the pennant. The battery for the winners were H. Politz, P. Bowers and D. Hagerty, and for the losers L. Well and Rodgers.

Notaries Public.

Governor Gage has appointed the following Notaries Public: John J. Knox of Visalia, James Garrity of Pinole.

All druggists sell the famous old Jesse Moore AA Whisky—the pure and best.

Commissioner of Deeds.

Governor Gage has appointed Thomas J. Hunt as Commissioner of Deeds for California, to reside at Philadelphia.

THE EXCITEMENT NOT OVER.

The rush at the drug store still continues, and daily scores of people call for Little's Lung Cure for Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption. Kemp's Balsam, the standard family remedy, is sold on a guarantee and never fails to give entire satisfaction. Price, 25c and 50c.

TWO OF THE CAR LOOTERS.

WILLIAM BARRY IS HELD TO ANSWER.

His Younger Brother Arrested Last Night—Two Others Still at Large.

The examination of William Barry, charged with burglary in tearing out the brass from a railroad car on the north levee, was held before Justice Anderson yesterday.

From the evidence of Victor Lemay and Officer Max P. Fisher, it appeared that while the damage done the car amounted to about \$1,500, the value of the particular lot of brass taken by Barry and his companions amounted to \$1,500. It was contained in the sacks and weighed about fifty pounds and the junk dealer paid the boys \$3.50 for one sack and \$1.35 for the other. Officer Fisher says that Barry stated when he was arrested, that they broke up and burned the brass because the junk dealers would not accept it unless they did so, giving it the appearance of old brass that had been picked up.

Barry's signed confession was read in court as follows:

"Mr. Fisher arrested me this morning in a coach on the north levee. He told me that what I would say would be used against me at trial and that if I pleaded guilty I would be sent to the State Prison. I want to tell you on my own free will and without any promises of any kind that Mr. Fisher or anyone else that about two and one-half weeks ago, I and three other young men went to get some brass from the railroad on the north levee. We went into a coach to get brass but there was Peg-legged Leavy in the e and we four went into the Plaza about noon.

"I told the others that we had better go back and try it again, and we went back to the coach—a compartment coach—and I took eight brass hat racks from the car, pulled them off, and two brass lamps. Myself and the other man pulled them off and threw them out of the window. Then all four of us carried the brass into the brush and built a fire, heated the brass and broke it up and afterwards sold it to Mr. Hawes. The brass hat racks and lamps made about fifty pounds of brass after it was broken and burned.

"Mr. Fisher has told me what burglary is, and what grand larceny is, and that these are State Prison offenses, and that if I plead guilty to either of the two I must go to the State Prison, and that I would get from one to ten years for grand larceny, or from one to five years for burglary in the day time. I know I have done wrong myself and more so for leading the others on, and I am willing to plead guilty and take whatever the court will give me. I hope that the Judge will be easy on me. (Signed), William Barry."

The court held him to answer for burglary, with bail fixed at \$2,000.

Last night Officers Douglas and Max P. Fisher, assisted by Constable Jerry Barry, the sixteen-year-old brother of William Barry, who admits being one of the four young men who looted the passenger coach.

The parents of these youths are very worthy people residing at Oak Park, but have been unable to properly restrain their boys. Several months ago Robert Barry was convicted in Justice Allen's court at Oak Park for stealing a quantity of copper transmission wire from the Sacramento Electric Light and Power Company, but judgment was suspended, pending good behavior. Since then young Barry has run away from home several times, beating his way on trains and falling in with bad characters.

The officers do not desire to send the younger Barry to jail for theft, but will endeavor to have him committed to the Industrial School at Ione, and the boy's parents are anxious that this should be done, as he has grown beyond their control.

SOCIAL EVENTS.

A very pleasant party was given Lillian Hall and John Fisher on the 14th, the occasion being their birthday anniversary. The house was tastefully decorated with crepe paper and chrysanthemums, the prevailing colors in the parlor being green and white, while in the dining-room yellow predominated. At 11 o'clock all repaired to the dining-room, where dainty refreshments were served. Shortly before midnight the guests began to depart, each declaring that a most enjoyable evening had been spent. Those present were: Misses Rose Adams, Lydia Price, May Price, Ada Nield, Susie Van Horn, Muriel Gibson, Elsie Elbery, Mildred Hall, Florence Hall and Lillian Hall; Messrs. Simms, Hayes, Adams, Lawrence, Fairhead, Ho Fisher and John Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. M. Fisher and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hall.

BEAUTIES OF ALASKA.

Lecture of Rev. H. H. Rice on the Subject Last Night.

The Westminster Presbyterian Church was filled last night by an attentive and well pleased audience, which assembled to listen to the lecture of Rev. H. H. Rice on "Alaska."

The lecture was a most interesting one, despite all that has been said and written on the subject, the graphic word painting and fine stereopticon views bringing vividly before the hearers the beauty and picturesqueness of the various scenes presented. The lecturer carried his audience with him step by step on the journey from Victoria up the coast, past the line of "fifty-four forty," the disputed boundary over which it was expected war with England might ensue, but which was settled without it, British diplomacy and astuteness gaining a victory over our negotiators. He gave them a view of the boundary line now in dispute between Alaska and the Dominion of Canada, and recited the language of the treaty between Russia and England, showing the justice of the United States' position and the fallacy of that of England.

The Indians, their picturesque costumes, villages and totem poles, all passed in review. The approach to the glacial region, Juneau, the great Treadwell gold mine, the Davidson and other glaciers, Chilkoot and Chilkoot inlets, with their borders of snow-capped peaks, Mount St. Elias, with its hoary head, looking like anything but a volcano, and the rugged cliffs of ice. Then came Dyea Canyon, with its hundreds of prospectors on the trail; Sheep Camp, where 3,000 people wintered two years ago; the chain of lakes and canyons, and, finally, a series of fine views

on the great Yukon River, Dawson City, Forty Mile Creek and Circle City. Then they followed him into Glacier Bay and looked on Mount Fairweather and the great Muir Glacier, with the floating ice and the great icebergs breaking from it to float down the Arctic current until warmer latitudes dissolved them. The cabin where John Muir studied the stupendous forces of nature, the top of the great glacier, with its crevices and icy peaks; the seven streams and 200 small glaciers that join to make it its greatest front fifty miles in length, presenting a series of the grandest views imaginable. All were shown before his hearers returned home with him, delighted with their journey.

River Ranch at Auction.

On Tuesday, December 5th, D. J. Simmons & Co. will sell at auction, at 11 a. m., the Grondoni ranch, one mile south of the city and on the bank of the river. All the stock and other personal property on the place will also be sold, in order to close the estate.

Now displayed in our show window an elegant variety of ladies' trimmed hats. See the cut in prices. Also a variety of colors in children's and misses' golf felt hats at the low price of 25c. Sacramento Home Supply Co., J. 7th & 8th.

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December "Ladies' Home Journal"

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DIED.

JATUNN—In this city, November 28th, James Franklin, husband of Mrs. J. A. Jatunn, father of Mrs. L. D. Baxter, of Applegate, Mrs. Magdalen, Belle, May, Jane, Rhoda, Ethel, Gladys and Franklin Jatunn, a native of Missouri, aged 74 years.

Funeral notice hereafter.

ELLIOTT—On the Riverside road, November 28th, Alvira S. wife of Edward J. Elliott, mother of William A. Frank and Lucila A. Stack, a native of New York, aged 47 years.

Funeral notice hereafter.

MORAN—In this city, November 27th, Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral to-day (Wednesday), at 2:30 p. m., from the parlors of the Interment Helvetia Cemetery.

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