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WAGGISH .- A few days since the Alta published an article with the somewhat paradoxical caption of "Heads of the Headless." On Sunday morning the venerable old "Legiti-On Sunday morning the venerable of Argui-mate" Typographical Midwife delivered Fitz Smythe of a Lusus Natura called the "Tale of the Tailless," the subject of which is a young "purp" which it appears came into this healthy world "scarce half made up," having no tail where the tail ought to be, whereupon no tail where the tail ought to be, whereupon Fitz Smythe bemoans the fate of the dog most feelingly, inasmuch as the dog has no tail to wag. "A fellow-fellow makes us wondrous wag. "A fellow-fellow makes us wondrous kind;" no tail to wag! A dog without a wag! only think! The Alla without Fitz (for isn't Fitz the Alla's wag!) Let the dog learn to follow Fitz, and he'll have wag enough for a whole litter.

TWELFIH DISTRICT COURT .- In the Twelfth District Court yesterday business was disposed of as follows: Philip Bill vs. City and County of San Francisco—Report of Court Commissioner filed and cause submitted. Felix J. Meete vs. Silver City Quartz Mill Company—Dismissed for want of prosecution. J. H. Wayman vs. J. F. Long et al.—Dismissed on motion of plaintiff. H. A. Deplerris vs. John F. Conlinet al.—Dismissed for want of prosecution. C. W. Brooks et al. vs. John S. Ellis—Dismissed on motion of plaintiff. Edward Eraphlin vs. on motion of plaintiff. Edward Franklin vs. E. Merida et al.—Continued till February 11th H. C. Partridge vs. C. K. Sampson et al.—Decree of judgment and lien for plaintiff for \$558 73 and costs. W. Welker et ux. vs. Michael Cabill et al.—Placed at foot of calendar. Mary F. Gough vs. H. R. Covey—Same order. Chambers vs. The City, and Johnson vs. The City—Same order.

THE ALTA MUSEUM .- We understand that the Alta intends starting a museum which shall contain all the curious specimens of natural objects sent to her by her host of patrons and admirers on the Pacific coast during her protracted career, embracing quartz-sulphurets, region; tall oats, double-headed wheat, big pumpkins and apple-blossoms of the third group; to say nothing of the rich nuggets of gold and silver gathered by "our traveling correspondent" to place in the Alia Cabinet, to be respondent" to place in the Alda Cabinet, to be noticed in the paper, etc. And among the curiosities will appear the "Heads of the Headless," which she mentioned the other day, and a few fossil jokes of Joe Miller, re-vamped for the occasion. The museum will eclipse the "Anatomical" and "What Cheer" collection, and will be a credit to the city.

VELOCIPEDES .-- For several weeks past there have been a number of gentlemen seen occasionally exercising and experimenting upon velocipedes on First street, between Folsom and Market; and on Sunday a party of eight, mounted upon these novel "wheel-horses," were seen dashing along the Cliff House road. Some of the party were very expert in the management of their machines; but we would suggest that in order to avoid accidents from passing values and possible supplementations. ing vehicles and possible runaways, it would be well for the velocipedists to observe the same rule laid down for carriage-drivers, and "Keep to the right, as the law directs." Yesterday they disregarded the rule, and came near frightening the horses of passing vehicles THE BARK BRIGNARDELLO.-Some months

ago the Italian bark Brignardello, while entering the harbor, went ashore near the Cliff House, and, although a portion of her cargo was saved in a damaged condition, it was found impossible to get the vessel off, and she was sold as she stood. The purchaser, Mr. Bruce, in order to save all that is possible of her timbers, bolts, copper fastenings, etc., proposes to blow up the wreck on some day (at high tide) during the present week with torpedoes. FOURTH DISTRICT COURT.-The business of

the Fourth District Court was disposed of yesterday as follows: J. F. Harris, administrator, vs. San Francisco Sugar Refinery—Motion of vs. San Francisco Sigar Lemery—Auton of plaintiff to strike out certain papers, denied. Pauline Masson vs. A. Hollub—Motion to dismiss complaint argued and submitted; jury waived, testimony taken and cause submitted on briefs. A. Hendersen vs. Caleb Coates—Continued for the term. H. Tubbs et al. vs. J. S. Emery—Trial continued until to-morrow. DOUGLAS SHAVER MINING COMPANY .- The or

ticles of incorporation of the Douglas Silver Mining Company were filed in the Clerk's office yesterday. 'The company is formed to carry on mining in the White Pine district, in the State of Nevada. The capital stock of the company is \$329,000, in shares of \$100 each. Term of duration, fifty years; place of business, San Francisco: Trustees—J. L. Blakie, E. H. Shaw, Charles E. Convis, S. W. Backus, Installation.-At a regular meeting of Pa-

cific Lodge, No. 48, I. O. O. B., held January 7th, the following officers were duly installed to serve for the ensuing term : President, J. W. Chovnski : Vice President, L. Flatau ; Rew. Choynest; vice President, L. Flatau; Re-cording Secretary, A. Kaplan; Financial Sec-retary, M. Hewfield; Treasurer, D. Plato; As-sistant Monitor, E. Marks; Warden, Isalah Choynesh; Guurdian, J. Rosenthal; Trustees— Philip Schwartz, S. Feder and G. D. Plato.

HEBREW BENEVOLENT SOCIETY .- At the annual meeting of this society the following named gentlemen were elected officers for the ensuing year: C. Meyer, President; J. Naph-taly, Vice President; P. Berwin, Treasurer, and B. Isaacs, Secretary. These were all re-elected. The following named gentlemen were also re-elected Trustees: John Alexander, Samuel Marks and J. P. Newmark. M. Brown and F. Toplitz were likewise elected Trustees.

RECOVERING. - John Wilson, the veteran circus manager, who has been confined to his bed for some weeks by a severe attack of pneu-monia, and whose death was rumored upon one or two occasions, is so far recovered as to be out upon the street again. On Saturday after-noon he attended the circus, on the corner of Post and Stockton streets, which Mr. Cooke, his partner, has established and been running successfully during his illness.

PACIFIC COAST PATENTS .- The Mining and Scientific Press reports the following list of patents as having issued to inventors on the Pacific Coast for the week ending December 22d: To D. F. McKim, of Austin (Nev.), for improvement in feed water heaters for steam generators; to Anson C. Stowe, of San Jose, for improvement in carriage springs: to Eskridge J. Wilson, of Fair Play (Cal.), for improved machine for crushing rock.

FIFTEENTH DISTRICT COURT.-In the Fifteenth District Court yesterday, in the case of A. J. Harper vs. A. F. Black, it was ordered that property heretofore attached be released. The case of Vandewater vs. Van Tassell was continued until to-day. In the case of R. B. Armstrong et al. vs. C. W. David, a jury was impaneled, the testimony partially submitted and cause continued until to-day.

A FINE PAINTING SOLD .- The oil painting called "Affection's Last Offering," painted by Toby Rosenthal, a San Francisco artist, during his residence at Munich, and which was re ently exhibited at the Fairs of the Mechanics

cently exhibited at the Fairs of the incommunity Institute and Mercantile Library, has been sold to Charles Kohler for \$1,000. SALE OF PEWS IN DR. STEBBINS' CHURCH .-

The annual sale of pows in the Rev. Dr. Steb-

bins' Church (Unitarian), on Geary street, took place last night. The attendance was large and the bidding spirited. The first choice of the pews sold for \$250 premium, and the total of premiums amounted to \$3,660. YERBA BUENA LODGE, No. 15, I. O. O. F .-

At a regular meeting of this Lodge the following officers were installed for the ensuing term I. D. Barnard, N. G.; L. M. Manzer, V. G. Joseph Bowden, Recording Secretary; H. C. INDEPENDENT ORDER OF RED MEN.-The

following gentlemen have been installed by the Great Council as officers of the Iratabs Tribe, No. 6, L.O. R. M., for the ensuing term: I. Lippman, Sachem; B. V. Raye, Senior Saga-amore; S. Gumbinner, Junior Sagamore.

LABOR Exchange.—The engagements at the Labor Exchange yesterday were numerous, one hundred and eighty-six men and eighteen female servants being engaged. All the men except ten went to Nevada to work on the Cen-

tral Pacific Railroad. EXEMPT FINEMEN'S ELECTION.—The annual election of officers of the Exempt Fire Company will take place this evening at the Exempts' Hall on Brenham place. Polls will be open from three to nine o'clock P. M.

GRAND COUNCIL OF THE RED MEN. They Meet to Consider the Subject of Providing a Small-Pox Hospital for Members of the Order-Appointment of a Committee of Conference-How the Tribes Have Been Affected by the Epidemie, Etc., Etc.

Porsuant to a call of the Great Sachem of the Order, Adam Smith, a Grand Council was held at the hall, corner of Bush and Kearny streets, on Sunday, to take into consideration the proposition to provide a private hospital for the sick members of the Order. The meeting was called to order by J. A. Woodson, Great Chief of Records, who read a communication from the Great Sachem setting forth at length the reasons and necessity for the matter under consideration, and regretting that duties connected with the inauguration of

that duties connected with the inauguration of a new tribe of the Order imperatively prevented his presence.

The meeting was organized by the election of J. P. H. Wentworth, President; J. M. De Pass, Doctor J. A. Albertson and William P. Scott, Vice Presidents; H. Dorsey Gough and J. A. Woodson, Secretaries; J. C. Pennie, Treasurer.

Treasurer.

There were remarks made by several persons in regard to the best method of going to work in the premises. After considerable discussion, a resolution was adopted for the appointing of a Committee, one from each tribe in the city, to whom the whole matter should be referred. The following gentlemen were selected to act as such Committee: Tribe No. 1, E. L. Schultz; No. 3, J. B. Pilkington, M. D.; No. 4, J. A. Albertson, M. D.; No. 5, W. T. Reiley; No. 6, Charles De Lacy; No. 7, Wm. Friel; No. 8, R. Neunschwander; No. 9, F. E. Thomas; No. 10, R. J. Perrin, M. D.; No. 11, William P. Scott; No. 12, J. Silver; No. 13, T. C. Owens; Degree Council, H. C. McDongall. The Committee organized by the election of T. The Committee organized by the election of T. C. Owens as Chairman, and H. C. McDougall

Dann, was unanimously adopted : Resolved, That the committee appointed by this meeting be instructed to report at an adjourned meeting, concerning the ravages of the small pox among members of the Order and their families, and whether any arrangements can be made whereby we may co-operate with any other Order in the building of a hospital; and that each member of the committee be requested to bring the subject matter before his Tribe for consideration and ascertain the wishes of the same concerning it. certain the wishes of the same concerning it.
Subsequently, the roll of the committee was
called, and each of the members gave, to the best
of his knowledge, the number of cases of small
pox which had occurred among the members
and families of his Tribe. Following is the
aggregate: Whole number of cases, 28; of
whom 12died and 16 are sick, convalescent, or
entirely recovered. Of the thirteen organizations represented it may be well to state the tions represented, it may be well to state that six of them have been formed since July. This, in a measure, accounts for there being no cases in some Tribes, while in others there have been three or four deaths. The meeting adjourned to meet again at the same hall on Sunday, January 17th, at 2 o'clock

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF.

The Mint will receive deposits of refined bullion until Friday next. The Chamber of Commerce will hold their quarterly meeting this evening.

The demands for Custom House duties since the 1st of January amount to \$108,695 70. W. Lear and T. Greeley were yesterday sent to the Industrial School by Judge Provines.

The new steam propeller Kolorama, arrived in port yesterday, having come around the Horn. A boy named Heartman was yesterday sentenced by Judge McKinstry to the Industrial

A painter, who was engaged at the City Hall, fell some fifteen or twenty feet, yesterday, and was severely injured. No business was transacted by the Chollar-Potosi Mining Company yesterday, for want of

a quorum. The ship Fearless, which arrived yesterday from New York, brings a full cargo of railroad

The receipts of the Crown Point Mining The Union-street branch of the Sutter-street

Railrond is now in running order and making regular trips. Felix O'Neil, a native of Ireland, was yes erday admitted to citizenship by the Fourth District Court

"Ned Buntline" will leave to-day overland for the East. He intends to lecture at various localities along the route.

The divorce case of Upham vs. Upham was yesterday, in the Twelfth District Court, referred to the Court Commissioner. Williston A. Lossing commenced suit yester-day, in the Fifteenth District Court, against T. M. Harris for \$800 and foreclosure, alleged

to be due on a promissory note and mortgage J. F. Atwell commenced suit yesterday, in the Twelfth District Court, against R. E. Rai-mond et al., to quiet title to lots 1 and 6 in block 165, Western Addition.

The Pacific Methodist Church filed yesterday with the Fourth District Court an application for authority to mortgage the church property on Minna street, near Fourth, for \$5,500. In the case of Laura B. Gaskill vs. Edward

Pugh, in the County Court, judgment was yes-terday rendered for plaintiff for restitution of premises and for \$90 damages. W. Braun, who was yesterday pronounced usane, is said to have traveled on foot from Cureka to this city. When officer Lindheimer

insane, is said to have traveled on foot from Eureka to this city. When officer Lindheimer took charge of him he appeared to be almost starved. Margaret Speller, wife of Frederick Speller,

filed an application yesterday in the Fifteenth District Court, for authority to engage as sole trader in the business of keeping a lodging-house.

A. Himmelman commenced suits yesterday in the Fourth District Court against F. Scherr for \$247 02, and against A. C. Whitcomb for \$606 17, for work done in grading Stevenson street, between Sixth and Seventh.

Attachments were yesterday ordered to issue from the Twelfth District Court for the following named defaulting jurors: John Allan, Frederick Hausler, E. T. King, Deidrich Segel-ken, John Benson, and W. S. Byrne.

The will of Maria Tayoc was filed in probate yesterday. The testator bequeaths to her eight children \$10 each, and the balance of her proprty to her husband, Francoise Lucien Tayou, who is appointed executor of the estate.

John A. Cardinall commenced suit yesterday, in the Fourth District Court, against George Atkinson and the steamer Fanny Ann. Plaintiff avers that defendant is indebted to him in the sum of \$2,500, for which amount he holds a mortgage on the steamer.

William Braun, a native of Prussia, aged forty-five years, was examined yesterday and pronounced insane. He is a silk-dyer by occupation, and came to California from New York bout two and a half years ago. He imagines that people wish to kill him

At a regular meeting of the Pacific Social Club, held on Saturday evening, the following officers were elected: Thomas S. Glynn, President ident : William H. Wheaton. Vice President George A. La Rose, Secretary, and G. F. Pohlman, Treasurer (re-elected).

The steamer Kalorama, which left New York on the 5th of last August, arrived yesterday. She came through the Straits of Le Maire and encountered heavy weather off Cape Horn. She made the entire passage in 134 days from New York.

The annual meeting of the Gold Hill Quartz The annual meeting of the Gold Hill Quartz Mill and Mining Company occurred yesterday, when the following gentlemen were elected as Trustees for the ensuing year: O. Gori, P. G. Vernard, H. W. Fortune, M. J. McDonald and A. Hemme. Subsequently O. Gori was chosen President; R. Wegener, Secretary; and H. Huget, Superintendent.

An election for officers of the San Francisco Stock and Exchange Board for the ensuing year was held yesterday, and resulted in the re-election of all the former officers, viz: J. B. E. Cavalier, President; George W. Smiley, Vice President; Franklin Lawton, Secretary; Henry Schmiedell, Treasurer.

The ship Aurora, Captain Geit, cleared yesterday for New York with a cargo embracing 1,000 barrels of flour, 7,610 hides, 8 tons of mustard seed, 110,600 gallons of whate oil, 500 flasks of quicksilver, 13,000 gallons of Califor nia wine and brandy, 20,837 centals of wheat,

The election of trustees of the Sierra Nevada Mining Company took place, yesterday, with the following result: L. F. Loveland, William H. Sharp, A. Hemme, M. J. McDonald and G. W. Beaver. The Board subsequently appointed Jasper M. McDonald President, and John Ferrie Secretary. At a regular meeting of the Hebrew Youths'

At a regular meeting of the Referey Futures.

Literary Association, held Sunday, January 10th, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: President, Jacob Lewison (re-elected); Vice President, Samuel Greenburg (re-elected); Treasurer, Samuel Sachs; Recording Secretary, Emanuel Epstein; Finan-cial Secretary, Abraham Lengfeld; Librarian, A. D. Simpson. VERDICT SET ASIDE. - In the case of Thomas

McManus, who was recently convicted on a charge of robbery, a motion in arrest of judgment was yesterday granted by Judge Mckin-stry. The indictment failed to set forth the e of the owner of the stolen property.

CHURCH. the Church from Debt.

SALE OF PEWS IN DR. SCHDDER'S

Amount of Premiums Sufficient to Free The annual sale of pews in the Rev. Dr.

Scudder's church (the Howard Presbyterian Church), on Mission street, took place last evening. There was a large attendance. Mr. Eldridge acted as auctioneer. There are 184 pews in the church, of which 62 were sold at a premium. The first choice was sold to Mr. Palmer for \$550 premium, the rent being \$18 per quarter; second choice to Mr. Lambert, per quarter; second choice to Mr. Lambert, \$509 premium, rent \$30 per quarter; third choice to Mr. Davis, \$500 premium, rent \$30; fourth choice, Judge Beaver, \$500 premium, rent \$30; fifth choice, Mr. Lux, \$500—rent \$30; sixth choice, Mr. Armes, \$500—rent \$30; seventh choice, Dr. Hardy, \$250; eighth, Mr. Knowlton, \$200; ninth, Mr. Barstow, \$125. The following gentlemen paid \$100 premium each: Messrs. Harmon, Sweet, Mann, Corbell, Hawley, Luty, Palmer, Knox, Page and Lyon. The following paid \$50 each: Messrs. Meeker, Norton and Piercy. The following paid \$25 each: Messrs. Horn, Nelson, Fields, Mitchell, Scott, Wiggin, Blake, Piper, Lake, Morton, each: Messrs. Horn, Nelson, Fields, Mitchell, Scott, Wiggin, Blake, Piper, Lake, Morton, Hastings, Kitteridge, Bowman, Burling, Mc-Call, Chapman, Hook. Haun and Gordon, \$20; Tott, \$15; Robinson, \$15; Riddle, \$15. The remainder were sold at a premium of \$5 each. The total amount of premiums for the 62 pews is \$5,550, being more than sufficient to pay off the entire liabilities of the church.

CHINESE SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

A Sensible Missionary Movement.

Some time ago a Chinese Sunday School was started in the Sunday School of Rev. Dr. Cox's Church; it advanced slowly at first, but the scholars being anxious to learn and quick of apprehension are now making rapid and satisfactory progress. On Sunday last another Chinese Sunday School was organized in the Howard Presbyterian (Dr. Scudder's) Church. The class opened with eight pupils and seven teachers. One of the pupils succeeded in learning the alphabet at the first sitting of the school. The pastor spoke carnestly in favor of the effort to educate and Christianize the of the effort to educate and Christianize the heathen who had come to our country. Large sums of money were expended yearly in sending missionaries to China and establishing schools and churches there, to Christianize and civilize the Chinese, while here on our own soil there dwelt tens of thousands of Chinese who needed educating and Christianizing equally as much as those in China, and who, if proper steps were taken to convert them, might become in their ture active and efficient might become in their turn active and efficient missionaries, to convert their own people on their return to China. Here was an oppor-tunity of laboring in the missionary field without the isolation from friends and society, and a residence in an unhealthy and ungenial clime. And the Rev. Doctor urged his congregation to interest themselves actively in the organization of additional classes of Chinese. urged such as employed Chinese servants to encourage their attendance; not merely send them, but accompany them and prove their interest in the matter by encouraging them with their presence.

A SERENADING NUISANCE. Brass Bands and Eig Drums.

On Wednesday night, the 6th inst., a party of musical geniuses belonging to the class of devout mortals who would be sure to have patches on the knees of their breeches if the Golden Calf were set up for idolatrous worship, serenaded a distinguished member of the

Wheat Ring" at his residence on Bryant street. The serenading force included a full brass band, with a big drum accompaniment; and the blowers of the brass instruments being blessed with leather lungs and a mighty sup-ply of wind, while the man who belabored the big drum was endowed by nature with a pro-digious development of muscle, the music was of a particularly powerful and robustious description; consequently the people living in the neighborhood who were not musical in the neighborhood who were not musical in their tustes, considered the performance a terrible nuisance, and one of these imappreciative persons wrote a communication to the Bulletin complaining of the affair as a nuisance. The complaining of the affair as a nuisance. The complaining, who signs himself "Silver Street," evidently "has no music in his soul." He says that the big grain speculators' screnade kept "a thousand sufferers awake until two or three o'clock in the morning;" also that "many sick and convalescent persons were tortured by the noise of that big drum." How on earth did the Bulletin come to publish this irreverent and scandalous communication? If that paper had been aware who the party serenaded was, "Silver Streets" complaint would never have seen the light in the plaint would never have seen the light in the columns of our "legitimate" evening contem-

A POINTLESS JOKE. Yesterday, while sitting at the local desk of the Chronicle, turning over the morning papers and trying to read that nightmare story of the control of the c the Chronicle, turning over the morning papers and trying to read that nightmare story of Mother Alla about the fool ghost that "turns on water" and don't take gin (a pleasant and improving article for family Sunday reading). our attention was called by a gentle rap on the door, and to our summons to "come in," a well dressed, plain-looking man presented himself and said; "Excuse me, sir; but is this the place where there is a self-generating gas machine?" We, for a local cuss, can stand a joke pretty well, but to be called a self-generating gas machine was rather heavy. We had whipped our man in the last fight, and felt as if it would be dangerous to trifle with us. So we scowled fiercely at this visitor, and demanded his meaning, telling him at the same time that if he was looking for a self-generatmanded his meaning, telling him at the same time that if he was looking for a self-generating gas machine, we were only the local and didn't see the point of the joke. The man looked puzzled for a moment, and then apologized by saying, "Why, sir, I don't mean to insult you, but I saw an item in the Times the other day, that stated there was a fire here in this building 'in a room used by the operators of a self-generating gas machine,' and they told me this was the room. You see I have been trying to invent a self-generating gas machine for years past, and never quite succeeded, and when I read that item in the Times I thought I'd just step in and have a look at your machine." After laughing heartily with the stranger, we told him that the machine was not in (our chief being out), and furthermore he had mistaken the item in the Times entirely—it was intended as a feeble fling back of where we told how the different papers burned. We showed the man the item of the fire and the Times' "scratch where the place itched;" he read them both carefully, and bursting into a laugh, he said, "Well, I never should have thought that Times' term was a joke if you hadn't told me: why don't they print "This is thought that Times item was a joke if you hadn't told me; why don't they print This is a joke if fifther items, and then people might know what they meant? Let's take a drink," and we did. So we owe the Times :

drink.

LOSS OF THE SCHOONER "A. CROSBY." B. F. Lee and D. Beadle, of this city, owners of the schooner A. Crosby, received a dispatch on Saturday from Santa Cruz announcing the entire loss of the schooner at Williams Landing, an embarcadero on the open ocean coast about eight miles south of Pigcon Point, where ing, an embarcadero on the open ocean coast about eight miles south of Piccon Point, where the Hellespont was lost in October last, and about ten miles north of the town of Santa Cruz, where vessels in the lime trade haul in along-side a rock precipice one hundred feet in height and receive their cargo, which is let down by tackle from above. The dispatch says: "She had hauled in last evening with the intention of loading, but the sea being rough she anchored out some distance from the landling. This morning persons on shore discovered her small boat floating empty. One of her crew was seen floating, drowned in the surf, but not recovered. Her crew of five men were all lost. The schooner is reported a total wreck." She was commanded by Captain Orrin W. Brewer, a native of Massachusetis, aged about thirtyone years. Charles Fisher, a German, about the same age, was the mate. There were three sailors employed upon the schooner, whose names we did not learn, all of whom were lost. The vessel was valued at \$3,000 and only partially insured.

PACIFIC PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION .- We have received the prospectus of the above association. The object of its organization is briefly tion. The object of its organization is briefly for the purpose of securing to the heirs and assigns of each of its members a cash payment of as many dollars as there are subscribers to the fund upon the death of such member. These payments are payable within a term of sixty days after the decease, and as the initial fee is only ten dollars, while the successive payments are contingent upon the death of members and do not then exceed one dollar, the association is likely to have numerous recruits. association is likely to have numerous recruits.

SUIT TO SET ASIDE CONVEYANCE.-Michael Maher commenced suit yesterday, in the Fifteenth District Court, against Thomas Casey and M. C. Owens. Plaintiff avers that he conveyed to defendant, by a deed of trust, certain real estate at Eighth and Clementina streets, and that the conditions of said deed required defendant to reconvey to him on demand. He has, however, deeded the property to Owens, On account of this defect the verdict was set aside and the case referred to the next Grand Jury. A similar motion was made in the case of Boyle, which will be argued to-day. BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

A regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors was held last evening. Present—a full

In the absence of Mayor McCoppin, Super-visor Ashbury was called to the chair. The minutes of the last two meetings were read and approved. A number of petitions were presented and

A number of petitions were presented and appropriately referred.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Stanyan, from the Outside Land Committee, reported that the claim of Charles Lux for certain outside lands, had been examined, and the Committee reported favorably thereon.

The report of the Finance Committee approxime sundry claims, amounting in the against the committee approxime sundry claims, amounting in the against the committee approxime sundry claims, amounting in the against the committee approxime sundry claims, amounting in the against the committee against the claims amounting in the against the committee against the claims amounting in the against the claims amounting in the against the claims amounting in the against the claims amounting the claims amounting the claims amounting the claims amounting the claim of the cl

proving sundry claims, amounting in the ag regate to \$12,802, was read and accounts al A communication was received from City Attorney Nougues sustaining the validity of the assessment for street improvements at Union and Front streets, from which A. H.

Houston had appealed.

VETO OF THE PLANING MILL BILL.

The following communication from the Mayor was read:
To the Board of Supervisors—Gentlemen I herewith return without my approval, Order No. 850, allowing a portion of the roadway and sidewalks on certain streets to be used for receiving and delivering lumber, for the fol-

lowing reasons: The first section provides that one third of the width of the side walk next to the inner or outer line thereof and or seighth of the roadway next to the sidewalk in front of any planing or saw-nill fronting on the southerly line of Market street easterly the southerly line of Market street easterly from First street, for onany street south of Market street and east of First, may be used and occupied for the purpose of receiving and delivering lumber or material at such mill. If the Board of Supervisors in their legislative capacity have power to close in part those streets east of First street and south of Market street by granting the mill owners permission to use and occupy a certain portion of the sidewalk and roadway in front of their premises it must follow that they portion of the sidewalk and roadway in front of their premises, it must follow that they have power to close all the public streets, lanes or alleys in this city dedicated to public use and which have been declared by the Legislature to be open public streets, lanes or alleys. (See Statutes of California, 1862, p. —.) The powers of the Board of Supervisors are these granted by the Legislature and they are prohibited to exercise any other. (See Sec. 67 of the Constitution Act.) It is evident to every mind that it is not competent for the Board to pass such an ordinance as the one under consideration.

A report was received from Dr. Rowell, Health Officer, stating that the number of small-pox cases reported for last week was 61 number of deaths in the city, 31; number of deaths at the Small-pox Hospital, 5.

Dr. Cole stated that there was a mistake in the report—that the number of deaths at the Small-pox Hospital was 13 instead of 5. He knew this to be the case; the undertaker had made a mistake.

FRANK McCoppin, Mayor, etc.

[Signed]

A large number of contracts for street grading, paving and macadamizing, and for laying down sidewalks, constructing sewers, etc., down sidewaits, constructing sewers, etc., were awarded.

The contract for cleaning vaults was awarded to W. Richards.

Three or four bids for burying the indigent dead were received and referred to the Committee on Health and Police.

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APPEAL CASES.

The Dennis appeal case was, on motion of Mr. Nunan, continued for one week.

The Tallant appeal case was continued until the same date.

the same date.

The matter of the Houston appeal case was referred to the Superintendent of Streets with instructions that he comply with the suggestions of the City Attorney. SLAUGHTER-HOUSES AND HOG RANCHES

A resolution was presented requiring all proprietors of slaughter-houses and hog ranches to remove within thirty days to the locality provided by law for that purpose. The resolu-tion, after discussion, amended so as to give tion, after discussion, amended so as to give forty days time, and passed.

8ANG SHANG TUNG.

A resolution was presented and adopted requiring the proprietors of the Sang Shang Tung theater, on Dupont street, to close their establishment at twelve o'clock each night, and prevent them from re-opening it before sunvise in the morning.

sunrise in the morning. CLEANING THE STREETS.

A resolution was offered providing for the transfer of \$6,000 from the General Fund to the Street Fund, for the purpose of cleaning

the streets.

The resolution was discussed by Supervisors Stanyan, Canavan, Ashbury, Nunan, Cole and

Stanyan, Canavan, Ashbury, Nunan, Cole and others.

The adoption of the resolution was urged on the one hand as a sanitary measure, and opposed on the other as improper, because the work already done in street cleaning is not paid for, and the past action of the Board, contemplating payment, had been rendered nugatory by the action of the Mayor.

After a prolonged discussion the resolution was amended so as to appropriate \$6,000 out of the General Fund, direct, to pay for the cleanthe General Fund, direct, to pay for the clean ng of the streets.

RESOLUTION OF INTENTION.

A resolution of intention was adopted, con-

to Tyler street. For repaying Front street from Broadway to

For planking Jessie street 525 feet south-vesterly from Seventh street, and reconstruction of sidewalk. That the crossing of Larkin and Filbert streets be regraded and macadamized.
That California street, from Jones to Leaven-

worth street, be graded. That California street, from Davis to Drumm street, be replanked.

That the crossing of Washington and Davis streets be replanked.

That Hayes street, from Laguna to Buchanan street, be regraded. That Steiner street, from McAllister to Turk For redwood sewer at Sixth and Townsend

streets. That the crossing at Sixth and Townsend streets be graded.

For construction of sidewalk on Broadway reet, from Front to Davis street.

For the planking of the crossing of Sansome That Hyde street, from Union to Filbert That Green street, from Hyde to Larkin, be

That Sutter street, Broderick to Lyons, bo graded and macadamized. That the crossing of Taylor and Scott streets That Clay street, from Buchanan street to

Pierce, be graded and macadamized.

For sidewalk on Pacific street, from Polk to Fillmore.
That Eddy street, from Larkin to Polk, be

That Eighth street, from Folsom to Harrison street, be paved with stones or Niocison. For redwood sewer in Sherwood place. For brick sewer on Third street, opposite

That King street, from Fourth to Fifth, be That Fifth street, from King to Channel

street, be graded.

That Powell street, from Washington to Jackson street, be paved with Nicolson pavement.

For redwood sewer on Pleasant street, be teen Jones and Taylor streets. For brick sewer on Taylor street, opposite Pleasant street. That the crossing at Gough and Vallejo streets be graded and macadamized.

DICE-THROWING PROHIBITED.

The order prohibiting the throwing of dice in public places, offered at a previous meeting of the Board, was adopted by a unanimous

RESOLUTIONS.

A large number of resolutions were adopted, providing for—
The laying of gas pipe at several locations.
The laying of water pipe.
Furnishing chairs for the engine and hose

Authorizing Street Commissioner to appoint Adequity at \$125 per month.
Appointing Superintendent of Sewers.
Granting forty days extension of time to ertain contractors Appointing S. N. Roberts as Superintendent of Cisterns.

Authorizing certain alterations at the County Hosvital. Authorizing John Nugent to erect a bulletin board in front of the Herald office, etc.

Changing the name of Tiffany avenue to Valencia street. LAID ON THE TABLE.

A resolution authorizing the Hospital Com-mittee to make a new contract with John Shaw for supplying the Hospital and Alm-house with groceries, at an advanced scale of prices, was laid on the table by a vote of eight prices, was faid on the table by a vote of eight yeas to three mays.

THE EIGHT-HOUR RULE.

A resolution instructing the Street Commissioner to require of sil contractors for street work an obligation to exact but eight hours'

Inbor per day from their employees, was refer-red to the City Attorney for his legal opinion. The Board then adjourned. SUIT TO QUIET TITLE .- Johanna M. Seliz commenced suit yesterday in the Fifteenth District Court against James Mee to quiet title to certain property near Mission and Nineteenth streets. Plaintiff avers that she conveyed the deed of the property to W. Zabriskie as veyed the deed of the property to w. Zabrishess security for an attorney's fee, and that she has given a deed to a third party. She further avers that his professional services were worth but \$25. Plaintiff prays for a decree requiring defendant to deed the property to plaintiff, or directing the Court Commissioner to make and

BY TELEGRAPH.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE CHBONICLE.] Small Pox at Jacksonville, Oregen. JACKSONVILLE, Oregon, January 11th.-John Martin died of small pox this evening. Two new cases reported to-day, and several patients in a very critical condition.

AMUSEMENTS.

ALHAMBRA.-The tide of popular favor-a certain test of merit-has set steadily in the direction of this cosy "temple," as witness the crowds who throng Montgomery street nightly, en route to witness the Trip Around the World, and the thousand and one comicali-ties of the ebon troupe.

WILSON'S CINCUS.-The new amphitheater on Stockton street is so comfortable, and the performances so excellent, that visitors are always certain to be surrounded by happy faces—an abundance of them, too. METROPOLITAN THEATER. - At this place

John Collins, the Irish comedian, vocalist, jig

dancer, and what not, rendered Rory O'More last night as the initial performance of a short engagement. The play itself has nothing to recommend it, and the best acting could not enhance its merits. Rory O'More to-night. NEW CALIFORNIA THEATER.-The lessees of this new and beautiful theater announce their

initial performance for next Monday night, when Money will be presented, with a combination of dramatic talent seldom before equaled on the Pacific coast. PACIFIC MUSEUM.-The wonders of the ani mal and vegetable kingdoms, illustrated by the models at the Anatomical Museum, afford

instruction which can be gained at no other establishment. J. A. Henne played Solon Shingle at Marys-ville on the 8th.

OPERA HOUSE .- A Dangerous Game to-night.

PETITION FOR PARDON .- Henry Quanto, who was convicted several weeks ago in the County Court of the crime of burglary, was sentenced yesterday, by Judge McKinstry, to one year's imprisonment in the State Prison. The Clerk of the Court was requested by the Judge to withhold the commitment for one week. A petition signed by all the jurors who tried Quanto has been addressed to the Governor asking for his pardon. The reasons assigned are that the prisoner is young, about nineteen years old; that he has heretofore borne a good character; that his crime was not characterized by that deliberate purpose which distinguishes confirmed criminals; and that his reformation is hoped for through executive elem-

CORONER'S INQUESTS .- An inquest was held last night upon the body of Stephen A. Griffin, whose dead body was found in the room of his boarding-house on Powell street a few days since. The jury found that the deceased was a native of New York, aged fifty-five years, and that he came to his death from the effects of laudanum administered by his own hand. An inquest was also held last evening upon the body of P. Malloy, who was shot by special local officer Bachelder, on the 27th of December last, while an uttempt was being made to rescue a prisoner from the officer. Two witnesses were examined by the Coroner and the hearing con tinued until this evening.

IRISH AMERICAN MUTUAL ASSOCIATION .-- The following gentlemen have been elected officers of the above association for the enguing year : President, John Flanagan vice Daniel Sheehan; Treasurer, James G. Hayden; Secretary, Michael Farrell; Directors, John Higgins, Edward Moran, William O'Connell, A. E. Mylett, J. M. Aherne, P. O. Byrnes. DIED FROM HIS INJURIES.—Some weeks ago,

an Italian residing at or near San Miguel, in San Mateo county, was struck on the head and severely cut with a hatchet, in the course of a melee; he was brought to the Italian Hos-pital in this city, where he died on Sunday night. His body was given in charge of the Coroner for investigation. ARRESTED.-About six o'clock on Sunday

morning a man named Troy was arrested on

complaint of John Haley, who charges him with baying made an assault upon him with a pistol. Haley was "marked" pretty badly. Troy was released on \$100 bail. astonishing to figure up the increase of a cer-tain sum of money when left undisturbed and continually accumulating by compound in-terest. It is said that an old lady, having heard that a penny would pay the national debt if allowed to lie at interest two thousand years, more or less, has sent one to the Secretary of the Treasury, requesting that it be immediately invested for that purpose. Butcompound interest is nothing to the way in which certain insects and animals will increase. The reproduction power of money on interest is nothing compared to that of living creatures which populate the earth. The increase of in-sects, we know, is almost incredibly rapid; but there is a story of a gentleman in Germany who left a favorite cat at home while he went on a long journey, making his wife consent that she would kill none of its offspring. She did not fully understand the magnitude of her

promise, but she nevertheless kept it religiously. She was abundantly supplied with money and was able to keep her feline family without impoverishment. The result was that at the end of a few years her husband returned, and found himself the happy possessor of nine hundred and seventy cats, cattees and kittens. White Pine.—As some suppose that the Eberhardt is the only paying mine in the district, a list is given below, says the White Pine News of January 2d, of the names of the mines from which lots of ore have been tested

	Pounds	Rates
Name of Mine.	of ore.	per to
Aurora South	473,952	\$169 8
Robert Emmet	120.000	380 (
California	3.036	389 8
Emersly		443 (
Hudson and Logan.		601 6
Hidden Tressure		341 (
Last Chance		302 6
Montgomery		1,614
Romulus		491 (
Snow Drop		347
Stonewall		421
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in the Oasis mill :

CITY NOTICES.

WHEEL OF FORTUNE .- Miss T. Reichert. 14 Kearny street, drew No. 140, and received a \$100 Broche shawl from Hinders & Kast's Shoo Store, No. 332 Kearny street, where there still remains one of Wheeler & Wilson's Sewing Ma-chines, a valuable Gold Watch, several Silver Watches, etc., etc., to be distributed to the

A LUCKY SATURDAY NIGHT .- The \$200 Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machine at Broderick & Kast's Shoe Store, 322 Bush street, was presented to Edward B. Hall, 404 Geary street, on his drawing No. 1 from their Wheel of Fortune. There is another Machine to be drawn this work. week.

THE GREATEST BLESSING ON EARTH-A GOOD SERVANT.—The only place in the city to obtain one is at J. W. Bishop & Co.'s Pioneer Employnent office, southeast corner California and Kearny streets.

ELEGANT CLAM CHOWDERS, prepared by that epicurean caterer, George Ball, are served up every day at the Blue Wing Oyster Saloon, 526 Montgomery street.

OPERA GLASSES, telescopes, microscopes, magic lanterus, drawing instruments, at \$5. A RUSH is sure to be made for Henry Mayer's

205 Montgomery street, where you can always procure the best watches and chains. "Notice" No. 39.-Julius Loebel is the winner of General Grant's oil-painting. HOTEL ARRIVALS.

RUSS HOUSE.

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C Newell, Walla Walla L Halvies, Wash Ter A D Wass, Astoria T R Reed, San Jose L Borland. Petatuma A P Soule. Sacramto D Chase, Virginia G W Matthews, Sacto C F Wilkins, San Jose A Block, Danville J Dyer, Knight's Landg C T Kean Jr. & w. Bodega H H Knapp, Napa G W Foctor, San Jose A Block, Danville J Dyer, Knight's Landg C T Kean Jr. & w. Asta J Jonner, Stockton E J Nace, Petaluma D P Maleagh & f. S. Cob A Danell, Benicis Misses Alurray, do W L Beebee, do G Oline & w. San Cruz J H Johns 'n & f. S. Cla A Kerriat, San Jose W C Wilson, San Jose A Saunders Redwood G N Smith, Mt View J J Guthridge, Sacmto F Wadsworth, Treas Cy S W Matthews, do S W Crofton, do LICK HOUSE. LICK HOUSE. ES Beard, Mis Sn Jose C W Fox, Redwood
A R Nellus, San Joze G Gordon, Mayfield
E P Reed Lw, do R M Jessey, Gilroy
D J Wilson, Vallejo E H Lloug, Petaluma
L B Mizuer, Benicia
A W Morley, Pensacola H C Campbell, do
J G Bray, Santa Clara
R O Tripp, Woodside

COSMOPOLITAN HOTEL

COSMOPOINTAN MOTAL

Brick & w. Benicia B F Cooper, Redwood
P L Melbridge, Ptid W S Sinton, Napa
W Delard, San Jose
A Briggs, Sacramento
Atfield, Oakland
B Thayer, Sacramto
W Newland & w. do
Shackleford, Visalia Mrs Godfrey,
O Clark, Sacramento
U W Pendergast, Napa
Scott, Napa

B Scott, Napa OCCIDENTAL HOTEL W Sublette,
P C Carilla, Los Angels A Chabot,
C Wright, Victoria R Morgan, Oc G Brown, do F Pic, Vallej Morgan, Oakland Pic, Vallejo Houghten, San Jose

S Dana, do
J Leslie, do
A L Bart & w,
W McParry,
M Taner, Santa Clara
F Alvey, Oakland
S McKay, BTruman, Capt Reynolds, J Hart, San Jose B Raukin, Redwood AMERICAN EXCHANGE. S B Chick, Pleasanton J Morton, San Quentin A Miller. M Plummer, Margaret, Sacramto

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BIRTHS. RADEMAKER-In this city, Jan. 9th, the

wife of J. M. Rademaker, of a daughter. PELL—In Petaluma, Jan. 4th, the wife of James Pell, of a daughter. BOND—In Santa Rosa, Jan. 3d, the wife of W. H. Bond, of a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

DRAYEUR-KOHLER—In this city, Jan. 9th, by the Rev. J. M. Buchler, August Drayeur to Sophic Kohler.

MURRY-McCARTY—In this city, Jan. 10th, by the Rev. M. Checo Laboratory. by the Rev. Mr. Chase, John A. Murry to
Mrs. Mary Ann McCarty, of San Francisco.
VAN HORN-HARTSUPH—In Sacramento, Jan.
10th, Francis W. Van Horn, of Sacramento,
to Mary F. Hartsuph, of Placer county.
JOHNSON-EMERY—In Sacramento, Jan. 2d,
Errorson I. Johnson to Files Freeze. Emerson J. Johnson to Ellen Emery.

SOUTHWOOD-In this city, Jan. 8th, of small pox, Valentine Simmons Southwood, aged 9 pox, Valentine Simmons Southwood, aged 9 years, 10 months and 11 days.

RICE—In this city, Jan. 10th, Emilie, cldest daughter of Abraham and Bina Rice, aged 4 years, 9 months and 10 days. STAHLE—At Alameda, Jan. 10th, Abener, son of Edward and Eliza Stahle, aged 2 years and) months.

DEATHS.

9 months.
BLIN—In this city, Jan. 9th, Miss Amy Blin, anative of Maine, aged 47 years.
GILLERAN—In this city, Jan. 10th, William Henry, youngest son of Patrick and Margaret Gilleran, aged 4 months and 10 days.
McDERMOTT—In this city, Jan. 10th, Bernard McDermott, aged 45 years. COMMERCIAL

Monday, January 11th.
Gold in New York, 135%. Sterling, 109%@
110%. Legal tenders, 74 buying and 74% selling. FLOUR - In New York, \$6@\$11 25. We quote Superfine, in sacks, \$4 75@\$4 87 ½; extre, \$5 75@\$5 87 ½.

WHEAT—In New York, \$2 05@\$2 10; in Liv. erpool, 11s. 10d.@12s. Sales reported of 500 sacks fair coast, \$1 50; 1,200 sacks choice ship-

ping, to arrive, \$1.80 \(\frac{1}{2}\) 100 lbs. alongside ship.

Balley—\$2.20\(\text{s}\)2 30 for feed; and \$2.30\(\text{@}\)\$
\$2.37\(\text{s}\), for browing.

OATS—California, \$2.10\(\text{@}\)\$2.25; Oregon, \$2.15 HAY—\$11@\$20 per ton. POTATOES—Humboldt, 70c@80c; Bodega, 60c @65c; Pigeon Point, 75c@90c; Tomales, 65c@ 75c; Monterey, 70c.

SUN AND TIDE TABLE.

Computed by Thomas Tennent, Nautical Instrument Maker, 508 Battery street. H. Water L. Water H. Water L. Water (small.) (small.) (large). (large).

12.... 0.46 A, M. 5.03 A. M. 10.48 A. M. 6.13 P. M. MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

SUNDAY, January 10th. ARRIVED—Steamer Ajax, 7 days 10 hours from Portland, via Astoria 3 days. Schooners Alfred Adams, 40 hours from Santa Cruz, lime to Davis & Cowell; Joseph Wooley, 4 days from San Luis Obispo, via Santa Cruz 16 hours, merchandise to N. Pierce; Adriance I Dours from Sant Cruz lime to Davis 16 hours, merchandise to N. Pierce; Adrianna, 16 hours from Santa Cruz, lime to Davis & Cowell; Mary Ellen, 24 hours from Pigeon Point, produce to Goodall & Nelson; Caroline Mills, 14 hours from Santa Cruz, posts for Sacramento; Dashing Wave, 9 days from San Pedro, in ballast, to master; Sca Nymph, 24 hours from Pigeon Point, shinposts for Sacramento; Dashing Wave, 9 days from San Pedro, in ballast, to master; Sea Nymph, 24 hours from Pigeon Point, shingles end produce to Goodall & Nelson; Newton Booth, 48 hours from Santa Cruz, in balton Booth, 48 hours from Santa Cruz, in bal-last, to master; Fanny Gilmor, 40 hours from Santa Cruz, line to Sanuel Adams; Tolo, 48 hours from Caspar creek, lumber to J. G. Jackson; May Queen, 36 hours from Little river, lumber to Main-street Wharf Company; San Diego, 48 hours from To-males, wood to master; Louisa Morrison, 7 days from Shoalwater Bay, oysters to Mor-gan & Co.

gan & Co. SAILED—Brig Curlew, San Pedro. Schooners Caroline, Tomales; Pacific, Humboldt.

MONDAY, January 11th.

ARRIVED—Ships Fearless, 163 days from New York, railroad iron to George Howes & Co.; Escort, 163 days from New York, merchandise to George Howes & Co.; Rattler, 130 days from New York, railroad iron to—; Golden Rule, 140 days from Boston, merchandise to Williams, Blanchard & Co. Barks Aluatis 15 days from Columbia river prod. Almatia, 15 days from Columbia river, prod-nee to P. C. Dart; Architect, 4 days from Humboldt, lumber to Preston & McKinnon; Adelaide Cooper, 20 days from Port Ludlow, lumber to C. L. Dingley. Barkentine Occi-dent, 13 days from Columbia river, lumber dent, 13 days from Columbia river, lumber and produce to A. M. Simpson. Schooners Ada May, 4 hours from Half-moon Bay, in ballast, to master; San Pablo, 13 hours from Bodega, lumber to Heywood & Harmon; Wild Pigeon, 30 hours from Novarro river, lumber to Tichenor & Co. Brig Lucy Ann, 11 days from Humboldt, lumber to G. W. Prescott & Co. Steamers Gussie Telfair, 58 hours from San Luis Obispo; Kalorama, 157 days from New York, via Rio 110 days, Monte Video 8 days from the Market Market Steamers of the Steamers of the Market Market M days, coal to Moss & Beadle. (Under can-

yas only.)
DETAINED—Schooners Annie, Fannie Piper DETAINED—Schooners Annie, Fannie Piper and William L. Richardson are detained on account of southerly weather, and are anchored off Meiggs wharf.

OUTSIDE, BOUND IN—A ship 25 miles southwest; a barkentine 12 miles northwest; a ship 18 miles southwest.

CLEARED—Ships Aurora, New York; Mary Goodell, Callao. Guat. ship Clarissa, Valparaiso.

AILED-North Ger. ship Helena Donner, Rio de Janeiro. Br. ship Woosung, Liverpool. Brig Perpetua, Coos Bay. Ship David Hoadley, Port Gamble. Schooners William Mighell, Tomales; Euphemia, Bodega; Osco-

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Attention. Post 1, G. A. R.—

Comvades of this Post will assemble at their Hall, 63 Market street, TUESDAY EVEN-ING. January 12, 1859. By order P. C. jalo-3t P. A. WHALEY, Post Adj't,

Election Notice—Firem un's Fund
Tinsurance Company.—The Annual Meeting
for the election of Directors is POSTPONED
from Tuesday, January 12th, to TUESDAY, January 19, 18:9. Polls open from 12 o'clock M. till 3
o'clock P. M. Transfer Book closed on 16th inst.
Per order.
January 8, 1869. CHAS. R. BOND, Sec'y.
January 8, 1869. jailo-td jai0-td

A. P. A.—Removal No
Tice.—Members of California
Lodge, No. 1, of the American Protestant Association, will please take
notice that we have removed to the
Hall, No. 723 Montgomery street, near Jackson.
The Lodge ments every Tuesday evening, at 72
o'clock, until further notice. It is hoped every
member will be present. Sister Lodges and sojourning brethren are cordially invited.—By order
of the W. M.

THOS. GRAHAM. Rec. Sec. THOS. GRAHAM, Rec. Sec.

Savings Bank—By authorization of the Board of Directors of the Odd Fellows' Savings Bank, a dividend of TWELVE (12) per cent. per annum, free from Federal Tax for the semi-annual term ending December 31, A. D. 1858, is heroby declared, payable after the 15th instant. By order of the Financial Committee.

JAMES BENSON, Secretary. San Francisco, January 2, 1859.

TAKE NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS WHO MAY HAVE BED-ding or Clothing in their houses infected with Small Pox are hereby warned against removing the same from the room where such infectious disease has existed, either for burning or for any other purpose whatever. The utmost rigor of the law will be enforced against all who violate this order. I. ROWELL, M.D., Health Officer. hours.

MISCELLANEOUS.

PACIFIC

PLATE WORKS.

THE PACIFIC PLATE WORKS ARE NOW ready to furnish any article of

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At as reasonable prices as the imported article can be had and with the quality of the Plate quaranteed.

Purchasers about to select articles of Silvies Plate should not fail to examine the goods manufactured by the PACIFIO PLATE WORKS before works are ore purchasing.
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Ever exhibited in San Francisco can be seen as the Agency of the PACIFIO PLATE WORKS. 520 Sansonie street, where purchasers can select pattorns and have them Silver plated to snit.

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HOT WATER URNS of six different patterns both oval and round, can be had of the manufacture of the PACIFIO PLATE WORKS.

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CHIMNEYS,

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500 BBLS. BRIDGE'S LONDON STOUT, pints and quarts, a superior article. 300 BBLS. MACKIE & GLADSTONE'S IRISH PORTER, pints and quartz-the linest article in the market

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jal-3p N. 708 Sansome street.

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(Directors' Office, Boston, incorporated 1848) IS PREPARED TO MAKE LIBERAL AR-A rangements for competent men as Agenta in the larger towns and oities on this coast. Appli-cations may be made in person at the Company's Office, corner of Kearny and California streets, or by letter.

BARTLING & KIMBALL, Book-binders, Paper-rulers and Blank Book Manufacturers,

NO. 505 CLAY STREET, NORTHWEST corner of Sansome, San Francisco. ja5-la3p

FOUND DEAD! IS TO BE PREFERRED RATHER THAN I to be found with a bad-fitting Shirt. Go to SLBERSTEIN'S and your Shirts will always fit. Under-shirts, Drawers, etc., always on hand. No. 582 Kearny st., near California. ja5-3p.

ROCHESTER, NEW YORK, AUGUST 25, 1868. Messrs Bodine & Co.—Gentlemen: We have now been using the thirty-inch Wheel purchased of yon for six months, and it works to our entire satisfaction, giving us all and more power than we require for our foundry and machineshops. We consider it the best Wheel we have ever used, and would cheerfully recommend the "Bodine Jonval" to anyone wanting an economical and powerful Wheel.—Truly yours, S. COLEMAN & CO.

FULLER & CO., Solo Agents, 109 Montgomers st.

TO THE LADIES OF SAN FRANCISCO.

HAVE THE PLEASURE TO INFORM you that I have just returned from Paris with large and well selected assortment of CORSETS

And a complete assortment of LADIES' UN-DERWEAR, from the plainest to the most costly description; all of which are unequaled in this city for novelty, fashion and finish. MADAME PONS, No. 631 Sacramento st., below Kearny, one door above her fermer establishment.

KNOWLES, Newspapers, Magazines, Stationery, Cutlery, and

YANKEE NOTIONS OF ALL KINDS. Orders and subscriptions respectfully solicited. No. 621 Kearny st., cor. Commercial. ja8

NOTICE. MARKET-STREET RAILWAY COMPANY.

CHANGE OF TICKETS. ON THE FIRST DAY OF FEBRUARY, proximo, the Market-street Railway Company will adopt the use of Coupon Tickets, as at present existing on other roads. The old tickets will not be received on the cars after the 15th of February, but may be exchanged at the Ticket Office of the Company for tickets of the new issue.

Omee of the Company for detects of the new issue.

The regulations governing Conductors in the sale and collection of tickets will be the same as upon other roads, and patrons are respectfully requested to report to the Superintendent any neglect in their observance. CHAS MANYER

President of the Market-street Railway Company of San Francisco. 125-1m NEW GYMNASIUM.

DROFESSOR STEWART HAS TAKEN THE Gymnasium of the Young Men's Christian Union Association Building, between Kearny and Dupont streets, where he will teach the ART OF SELF-DEFENSE, GY MN A STIC EXERCISES and CALISTHENIOS for Ladies and Gents, Misses and Boys.

There will be a Lady Teacher in attendance during the hours appropriated for the Ladies, Hours for the Ladies from 2 to 4 P. M. every day, Sundays excepted.

Bundays excepted.

No Gentlemen will be admitted during Ladies'

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