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## POETRY.

### The Foolish Fish.

"Dear mother," said a foolish fish,  
"Pray is not that a fly?  
I'm very hungry, and I wish  
You'd let me go and try."

"Sweet innocent," the mother cried,  
"And started from her nook,  
"That horrid fly is meant to hide  
The sharpness of a hook."

Now, as I've heard this little trout  
Was young and silly too,  
And so he thought he'd venture out,  
And see what he could do.

And round about the fly he played,  
With many a longing look;  
And often to himself he said,  
"I'm sure that's not a hook."

"I can but give one little pluck  
To try, and so I will."  
So on he went, and lo, it stuck  
Quite through his little gill.

And as he faint and fainter grew,  
With hollow voice he cried,  
"Dear mother, if I minded you,  
I should not thus have died."

### SELECT STORY.

#### Dora Dee.

She was not the daughter of the celebrated Doctor, although she was an enchanting little witch that she might have come of a romantic family. Indeed she may have had ancestors connected with the black art, and been descended from a whole line of sorcerers for aught I knew; for her family history, from a very early period of her existence, was wrapped in the profoundest mystery. Dora was found in an ash-barrel; an appropriate place enough for such an offering, ashes signifying, according to Mr. Mitchell, desolation. The ash-barrel selected for the repose of Dora stood exactly in front of the residence of Mr. Pluff, sexton of the well known and fashionable Episcopal Church of the Holy Symphony. Mr. Pluff was justly proud of the reputation of his church. He could give you Sir, the very best music in the city. None of your heavy old sacred music, which it was positively sinful to play, seeing that it was composed for Romish services, but all the newest and pleasantest music that could be had for the money. Why, Sir, at the Church of the Holy Symphony they actually played the best *morceaux* from the *Trova-tore* before it had ever been produced at the Academy of Music. Then Pluff was also proud of his clergyman. Show him in the city such a clergyman as his was—what donations he received! what fashionable audiences he had! All the upper ten, Sir, crowded into the Church of the Symphony to hear the sweet rose-water sermons of the Reverend Arthur Alanthus; sermons so soft and velvety that they would not have disturbed the moral repose of a Sybarite!

Mr. Pluff was at first rather disturbed that any low person should have been misguided enough to drop a nameless child into his ash-barrel, and worthy Mrs. Pluff for a moment had her misgivings. But they were a good-natured pair, and after a midnight consultation, while the unexpected gift was slumbering in an impromptu cradle, they decided that, since Providence had sent this mortal waif to their door, they would not reject it; and accordingly the little creature was adopted by the sexton, and took the place in his household of the offspring which Heaven had denied him in the legitimate manner.

As Dora Dee grew up, she more than repaid the care of the old sexton and his wife. She had the sweetest of soprano voices, and more than one young lady who had been taught all the "extras" at Madame Canaan's fashionable academy envied the possession of that pure liquid organ whose notes floated through the nave of the Church of the Holy Symphony. Although Dora Dee—she had been christened after a deceased and beloved sister of Mrs. Pluff—did not go to Madame Canaan's, she yet received a very excellent education. She understood music tolerably well; painted a little in water colors, and possessed a quick, intelligent style of conversation. In time the sexton's adopted daughter attracted attention from his fashionable congregation, and on Sundays, I grieve to say, young men would gather on the porch of the Church of the Holy Symphony to catch a glimpse of the pretty brown haired Dora, as she passed out. It did not surprise Mr. Pluff one bit when Mrs. Trapeze, of Fifth Avenue, came to him one day, and proposed that Dora should go and live at her house as companion to her daughter, Miss Aurelia Trapeze. He was accustomed to look upon everything connected with the Church of the Holy Symphony as so far above the common run that he was prepared for what other men might have looked upon as an uncommon occurrence. Much as it grieved the worthy sexton and his wife to part even partially with their little Dora, still the advantages to be derived by a residence with Mrs. Trapeze were too obvious to be reasonably declined. The use of Miss Aurelia's

masters; good society, or least what passed for such; and after all, the separation was only for a time, and Dora was to spend every Sunday with her adopted parents.

So Dora went to live with Mrs. Trapeze.

"Dora Dee! Dora Dee! you are bright enough to be a sunbeam; why will you be nothing but a Will-o'-the-wisp?"

"I am sure I am not leading you astray, Mr. Halbert Kimball."

"Yes, but you are, though. It's not your fault, Heaven knows, for you avoid me on every occasion; but you are like the bird with talisman in the Eastern tale, and I, am like the Prince, cannot help following you."

"First you call me a Will-o'-the-wisp, then a bird; have you any more complimentary similes for me, Mr. Kimball?"

"A thousand, if you will only let me tell them to you. You are like a rose just about to blow."

"That's been done."

"You are beautiful as the morn."

"Herrick said that of a young lady years ago."

"I have no objection to his having the first of it. It answers my purpose just as well."

"But not mine, Mr. Kimball. I don't want old compliments; and to be frank with you, I don't want compliments at all."

"Why not?" said Mr. Kimball mournfully.

"You know as well as I do; but as it may impress the reasons more powerfully on you, I will recapitulate them."

"Now for a lecture," murmured Kimball, half reproachfully, and sinking back into his easy chair.

"First, you were brought here by certain high and mighty powers, in order that you might marry Miss Aurelia Trapeze, your amiable cousin."

"I don't like red hair," exclaimed Kimball, peevishly. "I should have to put an extinguisher on her head every night."

"Mr. Kimball, I am ashamed of you. Miss Trapeze deserves to be spoken of more respectfully."

"Secondly," continued Dora, dogmatically, "it would be a very good match for you. You are not very rich. Aurelia will have a hundred thousand dollars."

"I have enough for my wants."

"So every man thinks. But if you were married, you would be perfectly miserable if you could not keep your carriage and go to the opera. Don't say no, for I won't believe you."

"Have you ended?"

"No. I am now going to be selfish. You know my history, that I am a foundling; and his wife, who died last year, shortly after I came here, and whose deaths left me without a friend in the world."

"Don't weep, Dora; don't weep! You have a friend, one who will die for you."

"Well," continued Dora, suppressing her sobs, "you know on that footing I live here. It is my only home. Your attentions to me have already drawn on me the suspicions, and I fear dislike, of Mrs. Trapeze and her daughter. Heaven only knows the little persecutions I have to suffer; and I really do not know what moment I shall be told to quit the house. Now for my sake, if not for your own, cease this pursuit of an object that is not worthy of you. The Trapezes are worldly people. They long for the family connection which a marriage with you will give Aurelia; for, of course, they know that Mrs. Trapeze's marriage with Mr. Trapeze was a *mal-habance*. Do give over these romantic notions of yours; settle down into a respectable member of society, and let the poor ladies' companion shift for herself."

"Never, by Heaven!" cried Kimball, bursting suddenly into a passion, all the more violent for the effort he had been making to suppress it. "Dora, here in the face of Heaven I ask you to be my wife. I will never wed Aurelia Trapeze; let her buy a husband, if she chooses with her hundred thousand dollars. Halbert Kimball is not for sale. But you, dear girl, sweet orphan, my heart yearns to you. I am not poor; believe me, I am not poor, and with such an incentive as you by my side, I would conquer every difficulty. Dora—Dora—I love you. Give me your heart—I implore it!"

The twilight deepened suddenly in the bay window in which Dora and Kimball were sitting. Both looked up startled, and beheld Mrs. Trapeze in black velvet, looming behind them like a hundred and twenty gun frigate with every cannon shot.

"Get up Mr. Kimball," she said, in a tone of suppressed rage to Halbert, who in his earnestness had knelt, "I do not permit my drawing room to be converted into a theater for domestic melo-dramas; though it must be confessed that this little adventure here is a consummate actress."

"Madam," began Dora, her face pale with indignation at this insult.

"Miss Dee, I do not intend to have any words with you. You have betrayed my confidence; you have abused my bounty. You shall leave my house this instant."

"As you please Madam," said Dora, proudly, but with a bursting heart. "Good God! Mrs. Trapeze, not to-night," cried Kimball, in a tone of consternation, "she is not to blame; you must let me explain. There are five feet of snow on the ground."

"This moment," repeated Mrs. Trapeze, coldly, "my house affords no shelter for females who sin and call it misfortune."

Kimball was for a moment stunned by this brutal speech, but only for a moment.

"Then I leave it too, Madam," he cried, "leave it forever. As for your insinuations with regard to this young lady, they are false, and unworthy of even a soul as mean as yours. Beware, Madam, how you insult a lady whom I intend to make my wife."

No one saw the white figure fitting from the room. No one heard the agonized sob that burst on the threshold of the drawing-room. No one heard the hall door close softly, or saw the delicate feet sinking in the cold snow.

"No one will prevent your departure, Mr. Halbert Kimball; but one thing I must beg of you to remember, that when you grow tired of that girl, there is no admission for you ever again."

"Come Dora!" cried Halbert not caring to trust himself to a reply. Come with me. No father ever watched over you more sacredly than I will until you give me the holiest of titles, that of husband. Come."

He turned to where she had been standing, but there was an empty space. He ran into the hall, opened the heavy oaken door and peered anxiously out into the icy night. There were small footprints in the white snow that covered the stoop. Without another word, he seized his hat and rushed into the street like a madman.

Oh! how cold it was that night. The snow had frozen on the top into a treacherous crust that broke at every step, and let the foot sink into a stratum of damp clinging flakes. A bitter wind swept through the streets until the wooden blinds of the houses seemed to shiver in the blast. There was a moon, but so obscured with dull stormy clouds that she only shone as it were by winks, looking out seemingly now and then upon the world, when, finding everything so cheerless, she wraps herself up instantly again in her fleecy vapors. The policemen were all under cover in secret places, and nothing stirred in the white, melancholy streets. The very gas-lamps seemed to feel the dreariness consequent on extreme cold, and looked through their frost-dimmed panes as if they could scarcely keep their eyes open. It was a night of bitter cold!

And yet something living still was moving in the city. Down along Washington Place something dragged feebly along, but what it was one could scarce determine in the dim light. Now it crouched, as a more than ordinary bitter blast swept down the ghastly sidewalk; now it clung feebly to the railings and dragged itself along; and again it would stop fearfully, and listen, like some animal hunted to the death, listening for the sounds of pursuit.

At last it crossed Washington Park, after a painful and laborious struggle, and entered Fifth avenue, and there, where there is a lane lined with stables, it sank apparently exhausted; sank in a dark corner, huddled and senseless, where even the moon could not see it. Ten thousand flakes of pitiless snow came down upon the wind, and as each drift flew by it flung a frozen alms to the dark mass that lay huddled in the lane.

Why, the city seemed alive that night! There was another out, not faint and weak with trailing limbs, but stout, and swift, and hot with eager hope. Down the street he came; like a hound on the trail, he ran along, "it is covering them fast. God grant that I may find her soon. She has passed here. These small prints are hers—but this cursed snow falls fast, and I will lose the trail; foolish girl—O Dora! Dora!"

And so calling, stopping to examine the path, tumbling in the snow and rising but to rush on again; went Halbert Kimball. He paused at the junction of Fifth Avenue and Washington Park.

"She paused here," he muttered; "the track is faint, but I can detect it—and—ah! I lose it here. It is covered with the snow. O God! I have lost her—she will perish—what shall I do?"

He was standing opposite the lane where the dark mass lay motionless, with the patches of freshly fallen snow mottling its outlines. The moon was hid, and Halbert looked savagely up; for the thought crossed his mind at the moment that, by the aid of her light, he might yet continue his search. I do believe

that at that moment he said in the depths of his heart, something exceedingly bad about the moon.

"Lost!" he murmured, "and through my fault. She will die—die horribly this bitter night! Mad girl that she is! Oh! what can I do to find her?"

A moan—a very—very faint moan in the lane. Halbert listened, listened so eager that he made the silence seem painful. Again the moan came, but fainter than at first; still it was enough. He ran like a deer into the dark lane calling "Dora" and in another moment he was warming the cold cheeks and wet curls of the lost one on his bosom.

How tenderly he lifted her up, and how proudly he walked through the snow while she lay in his arms with hers clasped his neck and her head was nestled in his breast! And in spite of his haste to take her to his own warm home, how often he stopped to kiss her pale cheeks!

"Dora," he murmured to her, pressing her close, as if he feared that she would again escape him, "how could you be so mad, so reckless, so cruel, as to rush out in this wild night?"

"I was mad," she said, faintly. "Did you not hear what she called me? It seemed to me as if all the world had turned against me, and I wanted to die."

"But you will not die. You will live for me, Dora, will you not?"

Her head nestled in closer to his bosom and she said nothing; but her heart was so near his in that moment that I have no doubt it told him all he wished for.

Need I tell how wonderfully Halbert illuminated his bachelor home that night? what splendid wax candles he lit, what a roaring fire he made, and how he produced his most tempting stores in order to tempt little Dora Dee to eat? How he made wonderful coffee for her in a magical self-acting coffee pot, and how, when she grew wearied out, he retired discreetly to a neighboring hotel, which he left at six o'clock the next morning, in order to have an interview with a clergyman? I know I need not describe all this. Your kindly imagination will supply all those thousand details which crowd around every such domestic romance as that which I relate.

There is one fact, however, which it is important that you should know. Important, because such events are generally supposed to be the end of romance and the beginning of reality; and as I never wish to trespass much on the domains of the latter, I like to finish off the first with a flourish.

In the morning they were married!

**CULTIVATE ENERGY.**—Many of the physical evils—the want of vigor, the inaction of the system, languor, and hysterical affections—which are so prevalent among the delicate young women of the present day, may be traced to a want of well-trained mental power and well-exercised self control, and to an absence of fixed habits of employment. Real cultivation of the intellect, earnest exercise of the moral powers, the enlargement of the mind, by the acquirement of knowledge and the strengthening of its capabilities for effort, the firmness for endurance of inevitable evils, and for energy in combating such as may be overcome, are the ends which education as to attain. Weakness, if met by indulgence, will not only remain weakness but become infirmity. The power of the mind over the body is immense. Let that power be called forth; let it be trained and exercised, and vigor, both of mind and body, will be the result. There is a homely, unpolished saying, that "it is better to wear out than to rust out;" but it tells a plain truth—rust consumes faster than use. Better, a million times better, to work hard, even to the shortening of existence, than to sleep and eat away the precious gift of life, giving no other cognizance of its possession. By work, or industry, of whatever kind it may be, we give a practical acknowledgment of the value of life, of its high intentions, of its manifold duties. Earnest, active industry is a living hymn of praise, a never-failing source of happiness; it is obedience, for it is God's great law for moral existence.

PASSING through a small village in Madison County, New York, where the Dutchmen 'most do congregate,' the mail coach made a halt for breakfast. While the meal was in course of preparation I amused myself in reading the various advertisements upon the bar-room walls, among which was the following, *verbatim et literatim*:

"dake notis.  
Dis is do giv notis dat it ish a sdray big at mi hous de oner vil bles gum an cal.

"Hans quakenbus"

"I requested the privilege from the landlord, himself a Dutchman, of taking it with me; but he good-naturedly declined, saying 'It wash de only lithary courosity he had in de housh!' so I had to content myself with a copy.

WILL is the root; knowledge the stem and leaves; feeling the flower.



**Legislative.**

The Eleventh Session of the Legislature of California has convened, barely three weeks yet, and in that short space of time it has accomplished no small amount of business. The two Houses organized by electing their several respective officers without any unnecessary delay, and proceeded to do the legitimate work before them with a dispatch truly commendable.

They have elected a United States Senator; appointed their several standing committees; introduced quite a number of Bills; the most of which are in the hands of the various committees to whom they were referred for examination. They have been favored with three general messages, from three different Governors, relating to State policy in full. Surely, with so much light on the numerous and multifarious measures, that will inevitably engage their serious attention, they will be enabled to legislate judiciously and economically. There are many laws that they might amend, so that they would be highly beneficial to the State, and foremost among these is the Attachment Laws. The old Attachment Law was much preferable in all its workings to the present one; both the civil and criminal practice acts might be materially bettered by proper amendments.

One great objection, to many of our laws, is that they are so very numerous, ambiguous and unsystematic in their several arrangements and parts that it is morally impossible for the commonalty to understand them. In fact they appear often to be too intricate for the courts, (even the highest courts of the State,) to understand fully and clearly.

It is no uncommon occurrence for the opinions of the Supreme Court of California, upon identically the same points of law, to be diametrically antagonistic in all their bearings, particularly if rendered by different members of that august tribunal.

If the laws were framed in clear, plain and explicit language that could be comprehended fully and unmistakably by any and all of common capacity, there is little or doubt but that much of the present litigations would be dispensed with.

It is a common opinion of the people, generally, throughout the State, and a very just one too, we sincerely believe, that our early law makers in California made the laws to benefit the lawyers—to the great injury of the people at large.

We do hope that the present Legislature will enact laws for the people not for "the Legal Fraternity." The lawyers have had it their own way long enough.

We also hope that the expenses of the State government will be curtailed as much as is consistent with the proper and judicious management of the same.

**Special Message.**

The following is a copy of the Message of his Excellency, sent in to the House on the 18th instant, accompanied with the Report of Adjutant-General Kibbe; than which a more clear, modest and terse State paper, it is not our lot often to peruse:

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 18th, 1860.  
To the Honorable the Assembly of California:

I herewith transmit for the consideration of your honorable body the Report of Adjutant-General Kibbe, with the documents relating to the late expedition commanded by him in suppressing Indian hostilities in Tehama and adjoining counties, the aggregate expenses of which according to the Report, amount to the sum of \$69,468 43.

While I admit the necessity which led to this expedition, and freely acknowledge the eminent services rendered by the officers and men composing the command, the expenses, so large in amount, would seem to command a rigid scrutiny.

If it be intended to pay these expenses by direct appropriation of money, a few such will bankrupt the State Treasury.

I recommend that the whole subject should be referred to a Committee, with power to send for persons and papers, with a view to a thorough investigation.

We have now a full Treasury, and are enabled to pay all immediate demands upon it in cash. If these appropriations are continued according to the precedent established at the last session of the Legislature, instead of being able to reduce taxation as recommended by one of my immediate predecessors, we will have to fall back on the old scrip basis, which proved so ruinous to the interests of the State.

Expenses of this nature are legally chargeable to the General Government, and it would seem advisable to issue bonds as evidence of indebtedness against the State, instead of making a direct appropriation of money.

JOHN G. DOWNEY,  
Governor.

THE grand melo-drama of Osawattomie Brown, being a dramatic representation of the recent occurrences at Harper's Ferry, is announced in Alexandria, Va. James Little sustains the principle part in the play.

**Telegraph Monopoly!**

The Sacramento Standard vs. the Sacramento Union and San Francisco Bulletin!

There are some things in this "little world of ours" that are strange in the extreme, "almost passed finding out;" and there are some other (things), though not very strange or marvelous in themselves; yet are exceedingly amusing and "funny;" and there are yet some other circumstances and things that would be either strange, or amusing, if it were not for their ridiculous origin, purile growth, and insignificant end.

We were led into the foregoing remarks, casually, on taking up the Democratic Standard of the 17th inst., on the second page of which, we saw an article headed "THE TELEGRAPH MONOPOLY." The readers of that delectable sheet have been, during the last several weeks, highly edified by article upon article, upon monopoly telegraphic! Now to a person unacquainted with the affairs of California it would appear, and very rationally too, that the Sacramento Union and San Francisco Evening Bulletin had actually monopolized the telegraph line between Firebaugh's Ferry and the cities of San Francisco and Sacramento, to the great ruin and detriment of California "and the rest of mankind."

In the first place, we would inquire by whom was this line built? Was it built by private or public enterprise?

It appears to have been gotten up and built to its present southern terminus, Firebaugh's Ferry, by private enterprise alone. The very basis for building the line was a contract with, and money advanced by the Bulletin and Union, without which its present terminus would be, probably, about Gilroy.

Who are injured by this telegraph line? The people at large are not, surely! For by this line they can get private dispatches some twenty-four hours sooner than by any other means. The business and interest of the State are enhanced and facilitated by it. It is true that some few of the sickly waning presses of San Francisco and Sacramento do not get their dispatches telegraphed, instanter, on the arrival of the overland mail; and why? simply because they did not, and would not get up the enterprise.

Some men would like very much to have great favors and advantages, but are too short-sighted and parsimonious to spend a dollar for them. The hue and cry raised by the Standard, we think, are very opportune! really modest! Did not, and does not the Standard have the publishing of the Supreme Court decisions to the exclusion of all the other presses in the State.

The Standard has had, also, an able and efficient reporter furnished by the Legislature. After being furnished with the publishing of the decisions of the Supreme Court, exclusively, and enjoying the unparalleled boon of Legislative Reporter, (paid by the State of California.) it is very inmodest and unfair for the Standard to cry out against monopoly or exclusive privilege.

The Standard reminds us of a spoiled child. After sucking the rich pap of the State to satiety, it cries out against any and everybody else that it happens to see enjoying themselves, regardless of the trouble which they may have gone through to reach that goal.

We are much in favor of private enterprise, and especially when it benefits all and injures no one. We always bid the originators and projectors of an enterprise God speed.

We envy no one in the proper enjoyment of the legitimate fruits of his own industry and foresight, nor do we envy that man that does.

The Sierra Democrat, in an article referring to this subject, says:

"The Sacramento Union and San Francisco Bulletin have made arrangements to have overland news telegraphed them from Firebaugh's Ferry, thus getting some days ahead of all competitors. Papers which had not the enterprise to make such an arrangement for themselves cry 'Monopoly!' and propose taking the charter from the Telegraph Company; albeit, by this arrangement they themselves get the news earlier than before. Other papers, whose earliest overland news has always been gleaned from the Union's telegraphs, cry 'Monopoly!' and talk about exclusion and about legislative action to nip monopoly. It is ridiculous."

RESOLUTIONS.—All the employees of Wells, Fargo & Co., at San Francisco, on Saturday last, passed a series of resolutions, expressive of their regard for, and regret at the untimely death of their companion, D. W. Barry, the express messenger lost on the steamer Northerner, and sympathizing with the relatives of the deceased.

THE price of passage in the steamer Cortes which left yesterday was \$107 00 in the cabin, and \$47 50 in the steerage.

**Hints to Farmers.**

ONE of the first principles of success in agriculture, as in every other business, is the adoption of a regular system. Let everything be done in a systematic manner. The operations of the farm should be carried on in obedience to strict business rules and regulations; as much so as those of the counting room of a mercantile or manufacturing establishment. A record of every transaction, whether it is buying or selling, receiving or disbursing, plowing, sowing or harvesting, should be entered in a memorandum book as a matter likely to be useful for future reference.

In the prosecution of every species of farm labor, let it be rigidly inculcated and enforced upon all who are intrusted with their execution, that every thing must be thoroughly done. Whatever is worth doing at all, is worth doing well. The system of half doing their work on the farm has been the parent of immense mischief to the farmers, as all half-way work has been in a thousand other pursuits. Get rid of this surface method of cultivating the soil, and learn to dig deep where the richest deposits of wealth are found.

The farm should be recognized as your regular banking house. Let your bank account be kept with rigid exactness. Never overdraw your account, nor fail to have a goodly sum standing to your credit on the books. This will be the case if you make it an invariable rule to leave your land in good heart. All the available means of fertility upon the farm should be carefully husbanded, and kept in readiness to be fed to the soil after the removal of the crops, or at the most suitable period for it to be administered, to keep the land in a good, healthy condition.

Physical energy, to wield the spade or hold the plow, is not all that is necessary to ensure success. The culture of the mind, storing it with the knowledge of scientific facts and useful information upon agricultural subjects, is highly essential, and should engross a certain degree of every farmer's earnest attention. Good books and reliable agricultural papers are important helps in the acquisition of a comprehensive knowledge of the best methods of farming; the practical experience of the most successful tillers of the soil being therein embodied for the instruction and improvement of all. Great advantages at a small cost are thus placed within the reach of every one.

Having adopted farming as the business of life, be steadfast in your resolution to abide therein. Let no visions of commercial prosperity decoy you from the calling of your first choice. The fancied pleasures of a city life are unreal, empty and hollow, and are totally unworthy to be compared with the quiet, the repose, and the substantial comforts which are ever at command within the peaceful precincts of a rural home.

STUMP BURNING.—The process is to dig under them, filling the cavity with combustible materials, and after firing the heap to cover the stump with turf, in the same manner that is observed in the covering of coal pits. The fire will speedily destroy the stumps—even the long lateral roots—unless in very wet soil, in which case the burning should be accomplished during the dry season. The dirt should be excavated a few weeks before the burning is undertaken, as in that case the operation will be much more readily successful. The ashes produced by this method will be found to be an excellent stimulus for the soil, and should be carefully saved for that purpose and applied as soon as practicable.

**Attempted Highway Robbery near San Andreas.**

A desperate attempt was made to rob the stage between Angels' Camp and San Andreas, about two miles from the former place. Officers Gay and O'Neil had been apprised of the contemplated attack, and the treasure was all removed from Wells, Fargo & Co.'s box, at Angels' Camp, and two bags of shot substituted. The passengers got out at the Cherokee House, and followed the stage on foot, and the officers concealed themselves in the trunk rack behind the stage. After traveling about half a mile, a shot was fired from the roadside, and two men appeared and commanded the driver to stop, when the officers immediately jumped from behind the stage and fired upon them. At this moment a number of other robbers came to the relief of their companions, when a general fight ensued, which resulted in the defeat and flight of the highwaymen. The officers pursued them, while the passengers got in the stage and proceeded on their way. Some twenty or thirty shots were fired on both sides.

**Wreck of the Steamer Northerner.**

The steamer Northerner, Capt. W. L. Dall, left San Francisco for Portland, Oregon, on the 4th inst., and on the 5th, although on her usual track, she struck a sunken rock off Cape Mendocino.

**FURTHER PARTICULARS.**

Messrs. Forbes & Babcock, agents of the steamer Northerner, have received a letter from Capt. Wm. L. Dall, relating to the circumstances of the sad disaster. The letter is dated Humboldt Bay, Jan. 8th, 1860.

The steamer made a rapid run up the coast, until within ten miles of Cape Mendocino, when she struck. Capt. Dall and Mr. French were standing forward of the wheel house. The latter had just remarked that the vessel must be making twelve miles an hour, when, as she settled in the sea, they felt a slight shock, and he exclaimed, "Is that a whale?" The Captain replied that it was a rock, it was a new one. Ten minutes after striking, the vessel passed Cape Mendocino and was headed for the beach below Humboldt Bay. While running for the beach all the boats were swung out and every preparation made for landing the passengers. Three minutes before the water reached the fires the helm was put up and the vessel beached. The engine made about twenty revolutions after she struck the rock.

Captain Dall gives a very particular account of the landing of the passengers and the circumstance that occasioned the loss of life. He says: At one A. M. there were about sixteen still remaining on the wreck, and I then sent the Purser and Steward. I entreated the rest of the passengers to go on the line, but they would not go, unless I would go ahead, and seeing I was only going them harm by staying, I went myself. I know you will believe I did all in my power to save my passengers and crew, and did not leave the ship until there was no chance of my getting another soul off before me. I told those remaining that I was going, and asked who wanted to go ahead of me; and all said they would follow me. A better set of officers and crew no ship ever had. There was no noise or confusion, and the six boats lay ready at the davits. Not a man went into them, or attempted it, who was not called by name. The passengers were cool, and obeyed all orders cheerfully and promptly. When Mr. French left the beach, some of the people told him he would certainly be drowned, as it was madness to attempt to reach the steamer. He said he had as much to live for as any man, but that his life belonged to the people on that steamer, and he was going to stay by the Captain. I was utterly exhausted when I reached the beach, and was caught by some men, who dragged me out and took me to a house half a mile off. As soon as I collected my senses, I went back to the beach; but in a short half hour the ship had gone to pieces. I staid on the beach all night with Messrs. Birch, O'Neal and some of the crew, and we were unable to find any more people. At daylight, we collected twelve dead bodies, and in all have found fourteen. The people of the country rendered every assistance in their power to save life, and to make those saved comfortable. The ship is an entire—a total wreck, with nothing at all belonging to her saved—everything broken as fine as kindling wood. The cargo and baggage were all broken up, and we have picked up a few things. No one saved anything but what he had on. We have picked up about forty-five bags of mail matter, and I think there were fifty-eight on board.

Captain Dall gives the following list of passengers lost:

Cabin.—Mr. Bloomfield, England; Mr. Haas, Portland; Mr. Perkins, Steilacoom; Mr. Barry, Wells Fargo & Co.'s Messenger; Mr. Delschneider, Portland; Mr. Sweitzer, Oregon City; Mr. Meeker, Steilacoom.

Steerage.—Samuel and sister, C. Thomas, Mr. Taylor, Mr. Daly, Mr. His-sim, E. Rainey, A. Hunter, Mr. Tropsy, Mr. Greenshield. Total passengers lost, 17.

Crew Lost.—A. French, first officer; H. Mayhood, third officer; R. A. Nation, first assistant engineer; H. Doyle, fireman; L. Howes, coal passer; John Densoyer, carpenter; Mike Darney, seaman; Thomas Leonard, seaman; W. G. Clark, seaman; Fred Mass, seaman; John Grant, messroom boy; Joseph Webster, porter; J. D. Turner, Thomas Connelly, Manuel Saurez, John Hedden, waiters; Louis Volstad, first cook; Herman Renkin; second cook; H. Wellington, third cook; The barber, colored man; Thon as Gladwell, pilot. Total crew lost, 21.

Caution.

THE undersigned warns all persons against buying or trading for a Note given by me to E. P. Empire, on the 29th day of July 1859, for the sum of Seven Hundred dollars. Said Note being made payable to him alone. I am willing to settle said note whenever he calls.

SEBASTIAN MUNCH.  
Knight's Landing, Jan. 20, 1860.

The following is a copy of the Note.

Due E. P. Empire the sum of Seven Hundred dollars, to be paid on or before the First day of February next, Provided if it should happen that the said E. P. Empire should see fit to take or Purchase any Butter, Eggs or any other merchantable commodity I may chance to have on hand at a price agreeable to both, or desires that any Notes or Accounts be turned out to him, then in that case the same to be credited on this Note.

Given under my hand this 29th day of July, 1859.  
(Signed,) SEBASTIAN MUNCH.  
Jan 21-2t\*

**Excitement in Napa.**

THE ST. HELENS' SILVER MINES.

Napa County is just now in a perfect fever of excitement about the silver mines supposed to have been recently discovered near Mt. St. Helens, distant from Napa City about 25 miles, and from the White Sulphur Springs some seven miles. Kern River and Frazer River never stirred up the people more effectually than they now are, and nothing but the silver mines is spoken of in Napa. Every conversation begins and ends with "the mines." Over a thousand men are said to be there prospecting on and about the Mountains. Hundreds are flocking thither daily. Provisions are reported to be very scarce.

We learn that a town has already been laid out, and several buildings are in course of erection near the mines. Excavations are going on in several places for the purpose of testing the value of the supposed discoveries.

Thus much only is known definitely: That there is Silver in the St. Helens Mt. is a fixed fact, determined by accurate analysis of some of the ore discovered.

One specimen gave \$50 to the ton, and another \$75, with a considerable percentage of gold mixed with the silver. The certificate to this effect bears the signature of the Assayer of the U. S. Mint, so there can be no mistake about it. The specimens assayed are from the surface of the rock, and that the ore will prove richer below is to be expected. Whether the ore already discovered is rich enough to pay for working, we are not able to ascertain. Some say not. Others think that it can be reduced for \$10 per ton. All is uncertainty, and must remain so, until further explorations and analysis on a more extensive scale shall have been made by competent parties.

SUDDEN DEATH.—On Sunday morning last, in San Francisco, Mrs. David Cronan was found dead in her bed.

**MARRIED.**

In Sacramento, January 16, by the Rev. Mr. Kelsey, L. C. Goodman, member of Assembly to Mrs. E. M. C. Babcock, both of Alabama Township, Sacramento county.

In Sacramento, January 16, John C. Scott, to Annetta Burk.

In Solano county, January, A. S. McWilliams to Sallie M. Huston.

In Sausal, Napa county, January 8, Robert Sheby to Margaret Tormy.

**BIRTHS.**

In San Francisco, January 16th, the wife of G. Broad, of a son.

In Marysville, January 15th, the wife of P. Gorr, of a daughter.

In Marysville, January 14th, the wife of P. Schwoerer, of a daughter.

**DEATHS.**

In San Francisco, January 16th, John Nugent, aged 36 years.

In Sacramento, January 14th, Rev. F. W. Hatch, aged 70 years.

In Sacramento, January 16th, Mrs. Thomas Penney, aged 39 years.

In Sacramento, January 13th, Abby S. wife of Enoch Jacobs, aged 34 years.

**New Goods by Every Steamer.**

LOUIS ELKUS,

IMPORTER AND DEALER IN

Gentlemen's

CLOTHING

and

FURNISHING GOODS,

No. 50 J street, bet. Second and Third, sts., Sacramento.

Gentlemen's Garments made to order of the Best materials, Latest Styles, at the Lowest Price and GUARANTEED TO FIT.  
Jan 1-2dp-4f

**Hats for the Holidays.**

Just Received, a large and varied assortment of HATS and CAPS, of the new styles for the Winter of

1859 and 1860.

IF YOU WANT a fine Dress Hat,  
IF YOU WANT a genuine Peruvian Hat,  
IF YOU WANT a fashionable Cassimere Hat,  
IF YOU WANT a fine Beaver Hat,  
IF YOU WANT any sort of a Business Hat,  
IF YOU WANT a genuine Otter Hat,  
IF YOU WANT any style of a Cap,  
IF YOU WANT a Scott Hat,  
IF YOU WOULD like to see a fine lot of Children's Hats and Caps, of elegant design,  
IF YOU WANT an Elegant Tie,  
IF YOU WANT a set genuine Furs for Ladies  
IF YOU WANT the genuine California Hat,  
IF YOU WANT a nice Buggy Robe, GO TO

LAMOTT & COLLINS,

Corner of Second and J Street, Sacramento.

For all of the above, and you will see that they have been preparing for the Holidays; and as they are bound not to be undersold, it is the place to make your purchases, gentlemen!

Jan 7-2dp-1f



AGENTS.

T. A. TALBERT, No. 16, Read's Block, corner Third and J streets, Sacramento, is the authorized Agent to attend to business connected with this office.

THOMAS BOYCE, N. E. corner Washington and Montgomery streets, is our authorized Agent for San Francisco.

A. GRIFFITH, Cacheville. DR. FRED. MORSE, Fremont. A. P. McCARTY, Cottonwood, Buckeye. RANDAL & CO., Marysville, JOHN BOGGS, Colusa.

All Communications written with the view of publication, must be handed in on Monday's and Thursday's.

PUTAH GOLD MINES.—The party that left last week for the Putah gold mines, have returned; they did not meet with much, if any, encouragement; they report that the most any are making is not more than \$1 50 or \$2 00 per day, per hand. They say the great drawback to the successful working of the mines is the extreme scarcity of water.

THE Second Quarterly meeting of the M. E. Church, South, will be held at Knight's Landing, on Saturday next, January 28th, 1860. Services to commence at 11 o'clock A. M., by the Rev. B. R. Johnson, P. E.

LETTERS FOR THE EAST.—Hereafter, unless letters destined for the East are superseded "Via Panama," they will be forwarded by the Overland route, pursuant to orders from the Postmaster General received by the last mail.

OVERLAND MAILS.—The Overland Mail brought through to San Francisco, on Saturday last 8260 letters. On Monday there were forwarded by this conveyance, 8673 through and 431 way letters. Total number, 9094.

VALUE OF PROPERTY IN THE STATE.—The Assessors' reports for 1859 show that the total value of property in this State is \$131,060,279 49.

MURDER IN SACRAMENTO.—On Wednesday night last, about 9 o'clock, one of the most cold blooded murders was perpetrated on the body of a young man named J. P. Reitch, aged about 32 years, who has been in the employ of Baker & Hamilton for the last three years, the particulars of which we copy from the Union: J. P. Reitch, porter in the store of Baker & Hamilton, visited the residence of a friend named Wilson, on Water street, near the Pioneer Mill. While there the house dog barked, and Wilson thought he heard some one in the yard. Reitch left the house above mentioned, and presently two pistol shots were heard. The neighbors ran immediately to their doors, and perceived a man (doubtless the assassin) running. On examination the deceased was found lying in the middle of the street, shot in two places—both in the right and left side, near the nipples. When found he was still alive, but speechless, and death immediately ensued. Two men ran forthwith to the Station House and gave information of the circumstance. Officer Burke returned with them and had the body taken to the Station House, where it awaits the action of the Coroner. Being advised that a shoemaker named John Palm, who does business on Sixth street, between J and K streets, had threatened deceased that if he did not pay him a certain sum of money he would have his life, officers McClory and Burke proceeded to his establishment to arrest him. Upon his arrival officer McClory arrested him, Burke remaining to arrest an employee of the prisoner, named Peter Langby, which was effected about 11 o'clock, when he returned home. Upon him was found a navy revolver (No. 6, 611), apparently new, from which had been discharged three shots, two of them evidently within a few hours. We understand that Langby, a short time since, discharged one shot in front of a dance house on First street. Officer Deal and others visited the locality of the murder, and discovered there fresh boot prints, which they tracked to and upon the Sixth street levee to near G street. Langby's boots conform with the prints, were very muddy, and his under clothing saturated with perspiration, as though he had been taking violent exercise. When taken into the Station House he was led to the body, recognized it but said he did not commit the murder—that he was not in the habit of doing such things. Whether guilty or not guilty of the act remains for the Courts to decide. The deceased, we understand, owned two ranches in Yolo county—one on Putah creek and the other just beyond the tule back of Washington.

DRY GOODS, ETC.

PARIS IMPORTATIONS.

GODCHAUX BROTHERS & CO.

Are now receiving by every steamer, direct from Paris, selected by their Partner, JOSEPH GODCHAUX, Paris, a great variety of French Dress Goods, Embroideries, Genuine Valenciennes and Applique Sets, Lace and Silk Mantillas, Barege, Tissue and Organdie Flounced and Double-skirt Dress Patterns, French Flowers, Head Dresses. A great variety of

Straw Bonnets and Flats, Constantly on hand.

Carpets and Home Furnishing Goods, Of every kind.

Small checked, flounced and plain Silks, are sold cheaper than they can be bought in any other House in California!

Sheeting, Shirting and Domestic Goods Of every kind, sold at New York Prices.

The up-stairs connected with the Establishment is devoted solely

For Wholesale Trade,

Where Interior Merchants can Purchase at San Francisco Prices.

Remember the place,

Corner of Fifth and J streets, Sacramento, GODCHAUX BROS. & CO. 1 tf

CARPENTER and MACHINE SHOP.

The undersigned having erected a large and commodious shop at Knight's Landing, is now prepared to do all kinds of Carpenter's and Joiner's work at the shortest notice.

Having completed arrangements with one of the best Foundries in Sacramento, for Castings, for Threshing Machines and Reapers, is now prepared to execute and set up all kinds of work necessary for their complete running, in a durable and workmanlike manner.

Coffins of every description made at the shortest notice. SAM. R. SMITH. jan14-tf

Z. GARDNER,

LUMBER AND COMMISSION MERCHANT, Corner of Front and O streets, Sacramento.

Importer of Building Hardware, Doors, Blinds, Windows, And every variety of

BUILDING LUMBER,

Constantly on hand, and at the lowest prices.

DAVIDSON'S

California Pictorial Almanac FOR 1860

PRICE 25 CENTS,

For Sale at this Office.

J. & P. CAROLAN,

IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN SPORTING AND BLASTING POWDER, SAFETY FUSE, SHOT AND BAR LEAD,

Cordage, Rubber and Hemp Packing, Tackle Blocks and Sheaves, Wheel-Barrows, &c., General assortment of Hardware. Nos. 1 and 3 J street, Corner of Front, dec 31-3m\* SACRAMENTO.

J. B. PAINTER,

(Late O'Meara & Painter,) Dealer in Type, Presses, Printing Material, Paper, Cards, And PRINTER'S STOCK generally. 132 Clay street, near Sansone, dec17-ly San Francisco.

Shaving and Hair Cutting

Saloon. CHARLES CORNELIUS, Avails himself of the opportunity of informing his friends that he has opened the above Saloon at Knight's Landing, where he craves a Share of the public shaving. Knight's Landing, Dec. 24, 1859. tf

A. J. MORRELL,

LICENSED AUCTIONEER, 120 J Street, between 5th and 6th sts., Sacramento.

Constantly on hand Furniture, Dry Goods, Clothing and Books. All of which can be bought at Private or Auction Sale, at Forty per cent less than at regular prices. Call and judge for yourselves. dec24-tf

O. V. CHAPMAN'S

Wholesale and Retail CLOTHING AND GENTLEMEN'S Furnishing Store, Always on hand a large supply of BOOTS AND SHOES. 39 Front street, between J & K streets, Sacramento. dec17-3m\*

WHEELER & WILSON'S

FIRST PREMIUM Family Sewing Machines!

THESE MACHINES are the most simple of any made—the stitch is alike on both sides of the fabric sewed, and will not rip or ravel. The coarsest and finest fabrics are sewed with ease.

THOSE wishing to get the best machine for FAMILY USE will not fail to see

WHEELER & WILSON

before purchasing, STROBRIDGE & COLLINS, Agents, Corner Fifth and J streets, Sacramento. 1-tf

HONEY! HONEY!! BEE-HIVES!!

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS FOR SALE, AT HIS RESIDENCE, in Washington, Yolo county, Honey and Bee-hives. 1 tf J. V. HOAG.

LEGAL NOTICES.

Constable's Sale.

BY Virtue of an Execution issued out of a Justice's Court, of Cache Creek Township, and State of California, on a judgment rendered therein, on the 21st day of December, A. D. 1859, in favor of Theodor Weyand, and against A. Monea, for the sum of Thirty and 50-100 dollars debt, and Four and 75-100 dollars costs of suit, together with all accruing costs. I have this day levied upon, and seized, and will expose for sale at PUBLIC AUCTION, at KNIGHT'S LANDING, County and State aforesaid, at Two o'clock, P. M., on

Tuesday, 24th day of January, 1860, The following property, to-wit—All the right, title, interest and claim of said A. Monea, of in, and to, that certain lot, piece or parcel of Land, containing 160 acres, situated in Cache Creek Township, and bounded as follows:—

On the North by land claimed by Theodor Weyand, on the South by land claimed by Manore & Day, on the East by land claimed by F. Gershaw, on the West by land claimed by Sleiman. Said Land will be sold subject to a Mortgage, held by Lowe & McNeil, on the same, for the sum of Forty-eight and 83-100 dollars.

O. P. ALEXANDER, Constable. January, 3d, 1860. jan7-3t

Executor's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Executor of the last will and testament of E. C. Copp, deceased, late of Yolo County, in pursuance of an order of the Hon. Probate Court, in and for the County of Yolo, will on the

28th day of January, A. D. 1860, At 1 o'clock, p.m. of that day, at the Court House Door, in the town of Cacheville in said County, offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of the said E. C. Copp deceased, in and to the following described Real Estate, situate and being in the Township of Cache creek, county of Yolo, to-wit—Commencing at a stake, the same being the north-east corner of a tract of Land claimed by J. M. Spriggs and running north 3960 feet to the corner of a tract of land claimed by D. Edson, thence west to the corner of a tract of land claimed by Frierson 1320 feet, thence south one half mile, thence west one fourth mile, thence south one fourth mile, thence east one half mile to the place of beginning, containing one hundred and sixty acres, more or less, together with the buildings and improvements thereon. Terms of sale cash, when approved by the Probate Court, jan14-3t C. O. COPP, Executor,

NOTICE.

Funded Debt of 1853, Yolo County. Notice is hereby given that there are Funds in the County Treasury, for the Redemption of all Warrants issued prior to the First of January, 1853, and for the Redemption of all outstanding Bonds, issued in accordance with an Act of the Legislature, "To Fund the Debt of Yolo County, and provide for the Payment thereof." Approved, May 17th, 1853.

NOTICE.

WILLIAM N. BROOKS, County Treasurer. County Treasurer's Office, Cacheville, Yolo County, January 5th, 1860. jan7-4w

Notice.

I HAVE this day sold out my entire interest in the Butchering business at this place, and all those knowing themselves indebted to the firm of L. & A. GLASCOCK will confer a great favor by coming forward and settle up. A. H. MOREHEAD is our authorized agent to settle the business, who will receive and receipt for the same. ASA GLASCOCK. Knight's Landing, Dec. 29th, 1859. dec 31-4t

Notice.

THE Co-Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned in the Butchering business is this day dissolved by mutual consent. A. GLASCOCK having withdrawn, it will hereafter be under the head of GLASCOCK, HERSHEY & GLASCOCK, who solicit a continuance of the public patronage. L. & A. GLASCOCK. Dec. 29th, 1859. dec 31-4t

Executor's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Executors of the last will and testament of John Van Arnam deceased, late of Yolo county, in pursuance of an order of the Hon. Probate Court, in and for the County of Yolo, will, on the 23rd day of January, A. D. 1860, at 11 o'clock of that day, at the Olive Branch Hotel in the town of Washington, Yolo county, offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder all the right title and interest of the said John Van Arnam deceased, in, and to the following described real estate, situated and being in the village of Washington, Yolo county, to wit: Commencing at the corner of Ann and Second streets, in said village, thence Northerly along the line of Second street eighty feet thence Easterly to the West bank of the Sacramento river, thence Southerly eighty feet to the North side of said Ann street, thence Westerly to the place of beginning together with the buildings and improvements thereon. Terms of sale cash when approved by the Probate Court. AMOS WARING, WADSWORTH HODGDON. Executors. Dec. 17-5w

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS indebted to the Old Firm of GIBSON & PHILLIPS, are respectfully requested to call and settle immediately, on account of the dissolution of Partnership. J. PHILLIPS, Knight's Landing. December 1st, 1859. 5-tf

LAST CALL!

ALL those indebted to me either by Note or Book Account, are hereby notified to come forward and Settle for I must have money. J. BALDWIN. Knight's Landing, Jan. 7, 1860. 3t

Co-Partnership Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing under the name and style of Gibson & Phillips at Knight's Landing, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, and Jonathan Phillips is authorized to collect all debts due said firm. Knight's Landing, Yolo County, Oct. 27th 1859. J. PHILLIPS. P. GIBSON.

HARDWARE, ETC.

KNIGHT'S LANDING General Blacksmithing and JOBBING Establishment.

House, Mill and Mill-work Bolt making. Heavy work of every description: Reapers and Threshers Repaired, and all kinds of work of the above description done at moderate prices, with neatness and dispatch. Horses shod on the shortest notice.—Wagons Repaired. JOHN RENSRAW, Knight's Landing. 1 tf

Wagon & Coach Making. AT CACHEVILLE. —BY— B. O. FRANKLIN.

HAVING recently fitted up and opened his shop, he is now prepared to do work promptly and neatly and at prices to suit the times. Particular attention given to Horse Shoeing, and Machine Repairing. First door above the store of Yerby & Snodgrass. Give him a call. Aug. 23, 1859. 1 tf

TIN SHOP,

Hardware Establishment. The undersigned begs leave to thank the public for past patronage, and desires to inform his patrons that he keeps at the old stand, in CACHEVILLE, a constant supply of Tin, Copper, Sheet Iron Ware, Stoves, Nails, Pumps, Lead Pipe, Axes, Scythes, Sneaths, Hay Rakes, etc. All kinds of Jobbing, Windmill making and repairing, done at the shortest notice. As I manufacture all of my own tinware I can sell at less than Sacramento prices. CHARLES D. MORIN. Aug 23d. 1859.

Knights Landing Tin Shop. ALEXANDER MILLS, Would respectfully inform his friends that he has permanently located himself at this place, and as always on hand a large supply of TIN, COPPER and SHEET IRON WARE. All kinds of Jobbing done at the shortest notice. Orders promptly attended to. d24-tf

Plows! Plows! And other Agricultural Goods. Peoria Premium Steel Plows. Adams & Evans, Galena, Boston Clipper Steel Plows, extra Steel Points; Eagle Cast Plows, with Steel Points; Rover Steel Plows; Cincinnati Steel Plows; Prairie Clipper Steel Plows; Eagle Cast Plows; Side Hill Plows; Subsoil Plows; Lambard & Doe Cast Plows; Peckahill Cast Plows; Grain Drills; Harrows; Cultivators; Harrow Teeth; Seed Sowers; Horse Hose; Cheese Presses, Corn Shellers, Churns, Fan Mills, Ox Yokes, Road Scrapers, Straw or Feed Cutters, etc. Also, a large assortment of Plow Points, cast and steel, and many other articles for the use of Farmers. For sale by BAKER & HAMILTON, Agricultural Ware House and Seed Store, No. 9 & 11 J st., near the Levee, Sacramento. 1-tf

JAS. BOWSTEAD. JACOB WELTY. UNION IRON & BRASS FOUNDRY AND MACHINE SHOP, Front street bet. N and O, Sacramento. Steam Engines and Boilers built to order; Castings and Machinery of every description, Steamboat and Quartz Machinery constructed, fitted up or repaired. All kinds of Building Castings; Saw, Grist, Malt and Bark Mills; Horse Power and Car Wheels. All orders filled promptly, and at low rates as any establishment here or in San Francisco. 1-tf BOWSTEAD & CO.

First Premium for 3 Years. EUREKA CARRIAGE FACTORY, H. M. BERNARD, MANUFACTURER, Has constantly on hand all kinds of CARRIAGES AND WAGONS of the following style: Top Buggies; open do; Concord Buggies; Fine Rockaways for one and two Horses; Fine Family Carriages; Slide Seat, Carriages; Barouches; Sulkeys; Two and Four Horse Wagons; Express Wagons; Thorough Braced Wagons of all Kinds; This Establishment has taken the FIRST PREMIUM at the State fair in Stockton; two First Class Premiums at Marysville; First Class Premium at the Mechanics Fair San Francisco and FIVE First Class Premiums at our late Fair at Sacramento. H. M. BERNARD, Corner of 6th & L street, Sacramento.

N. B.—All kind of work done to order.—Orders from the country solicited—prompt attention paid to Repairing, Painting and Trimming done to order. Please give me a call before going elsewhere. dec 31-m H. M. BERNARD.

ARE YOU INSURED? THE NEW ENGLAND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF HARTFORD, CONN. Capital \$250,000. Will insure against Loss by Fire in the town of KNIGHT'S LANDING, on terms as low as any other good and responsible Company. Application for Insurance may be made to S. W. Raveley, who will make a survey of the premises, and forward the same to the Company's Agent at San Francisco, who will execute the Policy and forward it by return mail. All losses adjusted with CASH immediately. WM. FAULKNER, Agent for said Company, Corner of Sansone and Merchant streets, dec24-3m San Francisco.

JEWELRY, ETC.

WACHHORST & DENVER,

Manufacturers and Dealers in WATCHES, JEWELRY, &c., &c. Read's Block, No. 59 J street. SACRAMENTO.

BY arrangements made while in Europe, with the most celebrated Manufacturers and Dealers, we are in receipt by each steamer, of

THE FINEST WATCHES, Made by the most celebrated manufacturers of England France and Geneva, Also, of the richest pattern, newest style, and most fashionable.

JEWELRY, From the celebrated Emporium of Paris. As we import direct from manufacturers, we do not pay profits to second and third dealers, consequently are able to sell at less prices than any dealer in Sacramento. Call and examine is all we ask.

Watches carefully Repaired and Warranted. Particular attention paid to this branch of Business.

SILVER WARE!!! Having completed our arrangements with the most extensive Silver Ware Manufacturers in the East and Europe, we are receiving with each steamer invoices of the above goods, in the most minute variety, which we offer at Wholesale and Retail, WACHHORST & DENVER, 1 tf Opposite D. O. Mills & Co.'s Bank.

MISCELLANEOUS ADVERTISING.

Removal of Dietz' Patent Coal Oil Lamp Store. First Premium Awarded at the New York State Fair, in 1858.

WM. HADWICK, No. 121 J Street, between Fourth and Fifth, Sacramento, sole Agent for the above Unrivalled Lamps. Also, the Patent Chrystal Illuminating Coal Oil, which is non Explosive, and when burned in the Dietz' Lamp, produces the softest, cheapest and most brilliant light in the world. Buy none but Dietz's Patent, which is the only simple and reliable Lamp in use. Camphene and Burning Fluid, Oils, &c., for sale low. 1-tf

P. J. DEVINE & BRO., PREMIUM MARBLE WORKS, K STREET, BETWEEN SIXTH AND SEVENTH ST. SACRAMENTO. SCULPTURE, Busts, Statues, Monuments, Tombs and Grave Stones, Mantle-pieces, Table and Counter Tops, &c., &c., constantly on hand, or made to order at the shortest notice. Orders from the country promptly attended to. N. B.—P. J. D. & Bro. have received Diplomas and Gold Medals at the several State Fairs and from the Mechanics' Institute. 1-tf

Patronize Home Industry!!! California Marble. Having Been Awarded the First Prizes at the Two Last State Fairs for Monumental work, we would respectfully call Particular Attention to our Specimens of California Marble, and Workmanship now on hand. It is the Best Marble ever found in the United States, and is not excelled in Europe, for general purposes. It is free from flint or iron, more compact, of finer texture, and susceptible of as high a polish as the best Italian. As we quarry our own Marble, and are practical workmen in it, we can furnish anything in our line CHEAPER THAN THE CHEAPEST. And as Good as the Best! To satisfy yourselves of the fact, please call at our

Premium Pioneer Marble Works, No. 207 J street, Sacramento. A. AITKEN & CO. Sculpture and Ornamental Work done to order. 1-tf

Keep it before the People!!! That BRAGG & CO., NO. 104 J STREET, SACRAMENTO, Have for sale Coal Oil Lamps for \$1,50!

WE have the Largest and Best assortment of Coal Oil Lamps in the State. We call the attention of the public to the IMPROVED HALE'S PATENT LAMP being less complicated and less liable to get out of order than any other LAMP ever manufactured. We warrant them to give entire satisfaction or the money will be returned. The public are cautioned against throwing their money away in purchasing a Lamp that is worthless article. Call and Examine for yourselves and see if these things are not true. To those who prefer a cheap lamp, we have

Jones' & Robinson's Patent Lamps. We are continually receiving direct from the manufactory Hale's Patent Chimneys. The best quality of KEROSENE OIL, with a full assortment of goods in our line, at Wholesale and Retail. dec 31-tf

IRON RAILING, FOR Dwellings, Verandas, Cemeteries, &c. THE SUBSCRIBER—IMPORTERS—beg leave to call the attention of Builders, and all others anticipating a want of Iron Railing, Verandas, Balconies, &c., to their extensive assortment of Patterns, which are kept on file at our office, at the corner of Sansone and Merchant streets, San Francisco. Those who are expecting to build, or wish to enclose their cemetery lots with iron railing, we would say that advantageous contracts may be made with us, who are constantly furnished with all the modern patterns from New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Boston. N. B.—Those who require Railing of any particular style other than the samples which we have on exhibition, can be accommodated by forwarding to us a drawing for patterns. Further particulars, including prices for Railing, may be learned by calling on or addressing WM. FAULKNER & SON, dec17-3m San Francisco, Cal.

Atlantic Papers for sale at this OFFICE. We have perfected such arrangements below, as will enable us to furnish Atlantic Papers within twenty-four hours after the arrival of each Steamer.



THE  
**KNIGHT'S LANDING NEWS.**

**The Child's Evening Prayer.**

Ere on my bed my limbs I lay,  
God grant me grace my prayers to say;  
O God! preserve my mother dear  
In strength, and health, for many a year;  
And O preserve my father too,  
And may I pay him reverence due;  
And may I my best thoughts employ  
To be my parents' hope and joy;  
And O preserve my brothers, both  
From evil doings and from sloth;  
And may we always love each other,  
Our friends, our father and our mother,  
And still, O Lord, to me impart  
An innocent and grateful heart,  
That after my last sleep I may  
Awake to thy eternal day.

**NOTHING LOST BY KINDNESS.**—Nearly half a century ago, when a coach ran daily between Glasgow and Greenock, by Paisley, on a forenoon, when a little past Bishopston a lady in the coach noticed a boy walking bare-footed, seemingly tired and struggling, with tender feet. She desired the coachman to take him up and give him a seat and she would pay for it. When they arrived at the inn in Greenock she inquired of the boy what was his object in coming there.

He said he wished to be a sailor, and hoped some of the captains would engage him.

She gave him half a crown, wished him success, and charged him to behave well. Twenty years after this the coach was returning to Glasgow in the afternoon, on the same road. When near Bishopston, a sea Captain observed an old widow lady on the road, walking very slowly, fatigued and weary. He ordered the coachman to put her in the coach, as there was an empty seat, and he would pay for her.

Immediately after, while they were changing horses at Bishopston, the passengers were sauntering about, except the captain and old lady who remained in the coach. The lady thanked him for his kindly feelings towards her as she was now unable to pay for a seat. To which the captain replied:

"I have always sympathy for weary pedestrians, since I myself was in that state when a boy, twenty years ago, near this very place, where a tender-hearted lady ordered the coachman to take me up, and paid for my seat."

"Well do I remember that incident," said she. "I am that lady, but my lot in life is changed. I was then independent. Now I am reduced to poverty by the doings of a prodigal son."

"How happy am I," said the captain, "that I have been successful in my enterprises, and am returning home to live on my fortune; and from this day I shall bind myself and heirs to supply you with twenty-five pounds per annum until your death."

**THOUGHTS FOR QUIET MOMENTS.**—How often we have disquieted ourselves with the apprehension of evils which, after all, may never have befallen us! how often we have indulged in vain hopes and ambitious speculations, which if they have apparently been realized, have peradventure brought with them none of the happiness that we anticipated as their result. It is likewise a wholesome practice to trace back whatever good we may enjoy to something that, at the time, might appear a great trial to us, and yet actually, in the consequences connected with it, may have been indirectly, under the Divine Providence, the cause of the very good on which we are felicitating ourselves. We all are ready enough to complain of our disappointments, but we never take note of the disappointments on the other side of the question—if we were as free to acknowledge unexpected good as to murmur at an unexpected evil (if we may speak of any of the dispensations of Divine Providence by such an epithet,) we should maintain a more equal temperature of mind. The whole 179 volumes of the "Universal History" would not instruct us so much on this subject as the history of the thoughts, feelings, and projects of the humblest individual, impartially related by himself, for a single twelve month. All misfortunes appear more formidable at a distance than when we actually come to grapple with them; "for nothing is so dreadful as it seems." The clouds that are the precursors of a storm do not appear so black to us when they hand immediately over our heads as when we see them rising up at the edge of the horizon. It is better to know the worst than to dread the worst.

A YOUTH was lately leaving his aunt's house after a visit, when, finding it began to rain, he caught up an umbrella that was snugly placed in a corner, and was proceeding to open it, when the old lady, who for the first time observed his movements, sprang towards him, exclaiming, "No, no; that you never shall. I've had that umbrella twenty-three years, and it has never been wet yet, and I'm sure it shan't be wetted now!"

A YOUNG lady remarked to a fop the other day that his penknife in one respect resembled him. The ladies in the room commenced guessing what it could be. At last a smart-looking little boy, who until now sat in one corner silent, was asked to guess. After examining the knife closely, he turned round, and in a cunning manner said, "Well, I don't know, unless because it's dull."

A Texas editor named his child Kansas. Another one wickedly says he would be afraid to call a child "Kansas" for fear it never would have any constitution!

An Irish housmaid, who was sent to call a gentleman to dinner, found him using his toothbrush.

"Well, Mary, is he coming?" said the lady of the house, as the servant returned.

"Yes, ma'm, directly," was the laconic reply; "he's sharpening his teeth."

The Prince of Wales attained his eighteenth year on Nov. 9th, and is now of a legal age to take the crown of England if his mother should die.

A thought that lives in only a deed struggling into birth.

MODESTY has more charms than beauty.

**UPHOLSTERY, ETC.**  
**NOONEN & CO.**  
81 J St., between 3d and 4th, North side,  
Offer their Large and Extensive stock of  
Carpets, Paper Hangings, Oil  
CLOTHS AND UPHOLSTERY GOODS  
AT COST  
For sixty days. To make room for fresh arrivals.  
Just received a good assortment of GILT  
MOULDING, which will be sold at the lowest rates.  
A splendid assortment of LITHOGRAPHS constantly on hand. Picture and Mirror Frames made and re-gilded.  
All kinds of Upholstery Work neatly and promptly done.  
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IMPORTERS AND JOBBERS IN  
Paints, Oils, Glass,  
Varnishes, Brushes,  
Artist's Materials,  
Wall Paper, Gilt Mouldings,  
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WE import all our Goods from first hands and our motto is "Cheap for Cash."

Done at the Lowest Rates, at  
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Machine Sewing, Cellings,  
Hose, Grain Sacks, Paper Hangings,  
Wall Paper, Tents, Awnings,  
And manufacturers of all kinds of  
MATTRESSES,  
No. 170 J st., bet. 6th and 7th,  
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Houses Lined and Papered at the Shortest Notice.  
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**CHOICE  
WINES AND BRANDIES.**  
**FINE OLD PORT.**  
FINE OLD SHERRY.  
FINE OLD BRANDIES.  
We ask the attention of purchasers to our large and well selected stock, which will be sold at the very lowest market rates.  
McWilliams & Co.,  
46 and 48 K street.

**COGNAC.**  
50 EIGHTH (4) casks "Jules Duret," in double packages.  
—ALSO—  
200 eighth casks "Jules Duret," in single packages, for sale low, by  
McWilliams & Co.,  
46 and 48 K street.

**MARTEL BRANDY.**  
20 HHDS. of this celebrated brand, in bond, for sale by  
McWilliams & Co.,  
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**WINE.**  
CLARETS of the highest quality choice Old Maderia, for sale by  
McWilliams & Co.,  
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**CHAMPAGNE.**  
200 BASKETS "Piper & Co's." Heidsieck for sale by  
McWilliams & Co.,  
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**OLD RYE WHISKEY.**  
PEACH BRANDY and Apple Brandy, for sale by  
McWilliams & Co.,  
46 and 48 K street.

**OLD TOM.**  
5 Puncheons "OLD TOM," of Booth's Brand, for sale at a low figure, by  
McWilliams & Co.,  
46 and 48 K street.

**IRISH AND SCOTCH WHISKEY.**  
JAMISON Sons' Dublin Malt Whisky, Islay Malt Whisky,  
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These are Pure and Old, and finer than any heretofore in this market.  
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**RUM.**  
JAMAICA, St. Croix and New England.  
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**CALIFORNIA WINE.**  
2,000 Gallons Los Angeles Wine, for sale low.  
—ALSO—  
100 cases Sanevain's  
McWilliams & Co.

**ALE AND PORTER.**  
200 Gask's Alsop's and Barclay's bottled Ale and Porter.  
McWilliams & Co.

**COGNAC.**  
A Small Lot James Hennessy Cognac, very old and fine.  
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**KNIGHT'S LANDING FERRY.**  
Railroad Route!  
THIS FERRY IS ON THE LINE OF THE San Francisco and Marysville Railroad, and consequently the nearest route to Marysville, Nicholas, Nevada and Grass Valley. Our banks are in good order, with an easy grade, and prices as low as any Ferry on the Sacramento river.  
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Lard and Sperm Oils,  
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Surgical Instruments,  
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Patent Medicines,  
Soda Material,  
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With a complete assortment of almost every article kept in a large Wholesale Drug Store, all of which we offer as low, if not lower, than they can be bought elsewhere in this State.  
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Shoulder Braces, Silver and Gum Bou-Suspensary Bandages, Goggles and Catheters, Gum Elastic Stockings, Eye Cases & Stethoscopes, Trusses, a large variety of scopes, Pocket Medicine Cases, Pepparis and Syringes, Cupping Cases and Ambulating and Post Scarificators, Morten Cases.  
We take particular pains in selecting these articles of the latest and most approved styles, and of the best makers. We respectfully invite the attention of Physicians and Druggists to our large and well selected stock.  
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Agents for all the principal PATENT MEDICINES in the United States.  
Camphene, Lamp and Machine.  
1,000 gallons best Polar Oil;  
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500 gals pure Sperm Oil;  
50 doz Olive Oil, quarts and pints;  
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Together with a large assortment of  
**GROCERIES.**  
All of which he offers to sell at Lower Prices than Goods have ever before been sold for in Yolo County. Terms.

**CASH**  
Or such Articles of Country Produce as will command Money. In adopting the pay down system, to which I will rigidly adhere, I have consulted the public good as well as my own. And all those indebted to me, either by Note or Book Account, are most respectfully and earnestly requested to settle forthwith.

J. BALDWIN,  
Knight's Landing, Dec. 19, 1859. dec24-tf

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**JONATHAN PHILLIPS,**  
DEALER IN FANCY AND STAPLE  
Dry Goods,  
Ready-Made Clothing,  
Gents' Furnishing Goods,  
Boots, Shoes, Hats,  
Caps, Bonnets, etc.,  
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Hardware and Cutlery,  
Also, a general assortment of GROCERIES, all of which they offer at a small advance on San Francisco prices.  
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FOR SALE BY  
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THE undersigned takes this method of informing their friends and the public generally, that they have opened a  
**SALE AND LIVERY STABLE,**  
Sacramento street, between First and 2d, Where they are ready at all times both day and night, to accommodate those who may favor them with a call.  
n2 tf CRUMLEY & PEYTON, Proprietors.

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THE appointments of this establishment are the most complete of any in this city, having received a fine lot of new BUGGIES and CARRIAGES, and have added to our former stock some of the  
Most Superior Horses,  
Adapted to saddle or harness. Horses boarded and groomed by the day, week or month.  
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FIRE-PROOF BUILDING, FOURTH STREET, BETWEEN I & J, SACRAMENTO.  
SADDLE and Carriage Horses, Carriages Buggies and Sulkies, among which will be found equipages, which for elegance and style cannot be surpassed in this or any other State.  
A portion of the extensive and well ventilated premises has been set apart for private horses, which will be boarded and groomed by the day or week. Charges moderate.  
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**Butcher Shop,**  
**KNIGHT'S LANDING.**  
HAVING established ourselves in the above business at this place, we solicit the patronage of the citizens of this vicinity, and all others who may deem it proper to patronize us. Those living at a distance, and immediately upon the stage road, will find it to their advantage to send in their orders to be filled by us, as we will send Beef free of charge by the stage. Our wagon runs regularly through the various portions of the county with Beef, Mutton &c.  
All orders promptly attended to.  
GLASCOCK, HERSHEY & GLASCOCK,  
Knight's Landing, Dec. 31, 1859.

**Cacheville**  
**BUTCHER SHOP.**  
THE subscribers would inform their friends that they continue to serve their customers with Fresh Meat of the best quality, at their old stand in Cacheville. Those living at a distance can be supplied by our Wagon which runs daily through the surrounding County. Orders promptly and faithfully attended to.  
DEATHERAGE & COX,  
Cacheville, Nov., 1859. n2 tf

**HOTELS AND SALOONS.**

**YOLO HOUSE,**  
Front St., Knight's Landing.

**CAPT. J. H. UPDEGRAFF,** Proprietor of the above House wishes the public to know that he is always prepared to accommodate transient visitors and permanent boarders in the best manner.

The Table is supplied with the best market affords, while the sleeping Apartments are fitted up in the most comfortable style.

Connected with the House is also a BAR, which has in it a choice selection of the best Wines, Liquors and Segars. In the large and comfortable Saloon attached are to be found two superior BILLIARD TABLES, which are fitted up with all the latest improvements.

The patrons of this establishment may rest assured that the proprietor and his assistants will use every effort to render their stay at the "Yolo" agreeable. 1-tf

**CACHEVILLE HOTEL.**  
**DEATHERAGE & HEALEY,**  
PROPRIETORS.

OF the above HOUSE corner of First and Sacramento sts., Cacheville, would inform their friends and the travelling public that they can always be found at the old and popular stand, ever ready to dispense such "creature comforts" as may be required by their guests.

Coaches leave their place every other morning for Sacramento and Knight's Landing. H. DEATHERAGE,  
1-tf C. S. HEALEY.

**GOLDEN EAGLE HOTEL,**  
Corner 7th & K street,  
Sacramento.

**D. E. CALLAHAN, Proprietor.**

THE Subscriber wishes to inform the Public that he is always prepared to accommodate transient visitors and permanent boarders in the best manner.

**THE TABLE**  
Is supplied with the best the market affords, while the

**LODGING DEPARTMENT,**  
Is fitted up in the most comfortable style.

There is also a BAR which has in it a choice selection of the best Wines, Liquors and Segars.

There is also a large and commodious

**READING ROOM**  
attached, always supplied with the latest Papers of this and the Atlantic States.

Connected with this House there is a large and commodious

**Fire Proof Livery Stable**  
having the best accommodations of any in the State.  
D. E. CALLAHAN.  
dec 31-tf

**UNION HOTEL,**  
Second street, bet. J and K,  
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**BOICE & SUYDAM,**  
(LATE OF THE ORLEANS HOTEL.)  
RESPECTFULLY announce to their numerous friends and the traveling public that they have leased the above popular and well known Hotel, which has attained the reputation, under its late proprietor, of being the most

**Quiet and Comfortable**  
Public House in the State and which the present lessees will strive to maintain. This House has lately been completely refitted and newly furnished, and contains

**Fifty Sleeping Apartments.**  
Furnished with NEW SPRING MATTRESSES. The UNION is conveniently located for travelers, being but a short distance from the Steamboat Landing and Railroad Depot.

THE OFFICE OF THE CALIFORNIA STAGE COMPANY is in this Hotel, and the interior Stages arrive at and depart from this House.

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**The Billiard Saloon**  
Is one of the largest and finest in the State, and is supplied with

**SIX SPLENDID TABLES,**  
With slate beds and Phelan's Patent Combination Cushions.

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Is under the charge of those well known caterers Messrs. JOS. P. HESS and BARNEY CLARKE.

CHARLES DES BOICE, FRANK SUYDAM,  
dec 31-3m

**OAKS SALOON,**  
Sacramento street, Cacheville.

IS KEPT BY REUB. H. BASKETT, WHO deems it unnecessary to say more than that this popular place of resort will, as heretofore, be so conducted as to merit a continuance of the patronage so long extended towards it. None but the best of Wines, Liquors and Segars are kept at the "Oaks,"

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**P. L. DUSTON,**  
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His prices will be as low as those of any shop in Sacramento City.

Farmers and others will find it to their advantage to give him a call. 4-tf

**SADDLE & HARNESS MAKING.**  
**MARVIN SELLERS,**

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Knight's Landing, Dec. 24, 1859. tf

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