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Is to be found at his old stand, on Frontst., one door south of Washington, where he will always be ready to do any work in his line of business.
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. mar3-tf

What is the Price?

You're going to enter the matrimonial state, are you, Mr. Brown? And you think you're coming into the possession of an angle?

Yes, but angles cost money. Did it ever occur to you what an expensive article your fashionable young wife was likely to prove? Bless your unsophisticated soul! you've no more idea of it than you have of the price of onions, or the market value of a wash tub. You'll find out one day, however, to your grief.

Two or three stout Irish girls to wait on her—a French maid to arrange her hair—fifty dollar silks and a camel's hair shawls to make her female friends envious, and half a dozen bonnets per annum—white kid gloves and silver card cases—why, you deluded young man, she'll throw money out with her ringed and lilly white fingers faster, by the bushel, than you can shovel it in with a spade! You don't believe it? Let us make a rough estimate, then, of what she will cost in full promenade costume.

Bonnet (a love of a thing, the sweetest white chip, and such a bargain,) fifteen dollars. India shawl (of course you won't be such a brute as to expect you're wife to wear common cashmere or broche, just like the butcher's better half,) only seventy-five, the cheapest thing in New York! Dress, an eleven flounced silk, forty-five dollars, including the trimmings and the poorly paid labor of the hollow cheeked dressmaker; Valenciennes collars and sleeves, twenty-five; cunning little heeled gaiter boots, three; gloves, one; Etruscan bracelet, fifty (you expect your wife to dress like other women don't you? and everybody has Etruscan bracelets); brooch and earrings in Italian cameo, thirty; enabled watch and chain seventy-five; card-case, twenty; a 'duck' of a Chantilly veil, ten; embroidered handkerchief, eight; lace parasol, lined with lavender silk, ten; crinoline, three; and other "belongings" laced edged and sumptuously decorated, about ten, as near as a body can venture to guess. Now all this is on exceedingly moderate assessment—there are probably as many who exceed it as fall short of it. How much do you suppose it amounts to, my good Mr. M. Brown? Well, your angle, in the simple matter of plumage for this one occasion, costs you not far from four hundred dollars. Yes, you may open your eyes and twirl your mustaches in that incredulous sort of way; do you suppose we don't know all about it? Yes, and when the bills come in you will remember our warning! You're doing a remarkably foolish thing when you marry one of these camelia-japonica divinities, white-handed, helpless, and knowing just about as much of real life, every day life as a canary bird might be expected to understand. If we were a man, we should as soon think of marrying a frail hot house plant, as one of these delicate sprigs of the ornamental.

Give us the apple blossom type woman—sunny, cheerful and useful—something equal to every emergency, from washing day to a Fifth Avenue soiree—something that understands the handling of a broom, and knows what the kitchen poker is made for, and can calculate to a nicety the exact amount of mince-meat requisite in a model pie, besides liking a bit of fun as well as the next woman, and possessing a pretty weakness for lively books and spicy newspapers! That's the article for our money.

A wife who would select gingham instead of silk, when she went shopping, and freshen up her old bonnet with a bunch of satin violets and a new ribbon instead of paying an extravagant price for the latest Paris fooleries, not because she hadn't a woman's natural penchant for such things, but because she wanted to save money—because her little head was full of schemes some day to contribute something toward releasing her husband from bondage and drudgery of desk or counter? Do you suppose the value of such a wife can be counted in gold pieces? Let your satin robed doll sweep contemptuously past her on Broadway, Mr. Brown—time will prove which is the best investment.

Only, before you purchase the useless jeweled toy, think twice about it. Ask yourself soberly and reasonably. "What is the price? and "Can I afford it?" or it may be the dearest bargain you ever made in your life.—Life Illustrated.

There are a great many persons who give themselves a great deal of imaginary trouble quite as useless as that of the man who was afraid that he had lost money by the failure of a bank. "As soon as I heard of it, my heart jumped right into my mouth. Now, thinks I, 'sposin' I've got any bill on that bank; I'm gone if I have, that's a fact. So I put on my coat, and started for home, just as fast as my legs would carry—the fact is, I ran all the way; and when I got there I looked keerfully, and found that I hadn't got no bills on that bank—nor any other! Then I felt easier.

IS CHILDHOOD HAPPY.—

There never was a greater mistake made than when childhood was called the happiest portion of life. I have seen a child's breast swell with an anguish as great as would ever agitate it, though it should live till four-score. Call it a "trifle" if you will, that a playmate jeered before a laughing crowd of boy judges; no verdict of after life would be harder to bear; and when sure of sympathy, he tells the story to some one whom he fancies will sympathize, and that man or woman or child listens with indifference, pooh-poohs it away—do you suppose that child will ever drink a bitterer drop? I tell you nay, and if the rough grinding heel of the busy, insatiate world, were not on us all the time we should know and feel it. Nor is the suffering momentary, as many suppose. How can it be, when some such juvenile experience often color a whole life? I say children suffer immensely more than is believed. Take a child's first day at school; thrust it into a crowd of uproarious mischievous little savages, shrinking, cowering, trembling, away from their rude contact, with heaving chest and tear laden eyes, choking down the misery made so intolerable by suppression, do you tell me this is a "trifle"? Take the child who sits intently listening to some story related conversationally between grown up people, when suddenly his presence is recollected, and the preemptory summons "to-bed," is promulgated without a thought of the wise clemency of a reprieved ten minutes. I well remember in my days pinafore and pantalletedom, and old maids who used to say "that child," in a tone that made all my curls stand on ends. For years I agitated my mind with the question whether old maids went to heaven; because, strong as were my predilections for that blissful state, I was in no wise content to share them with her. Nor, shall I soon forget the transition age when too tall for short dresses and too short for tall ones; called "nothing but a child," when I was anxious to do the stately young lady;—and begged to recollect that "I was no longer a child," when a fit of obstreperous romping overtook me with a vigor I could not resist; called a goose for blushing if a bat spoke to me, and "did I think he could notice such a child as me?" and begged to be remembered "my manners," when I bounced off next time without noticing the young man. Driven to the verge of desperation by my inability to define my place in the world, and disgusted enough with this terrestrial ball to kick it as I would any other. A few more inches to my stature, however, settled all that. Then was my time!—Fanny Fern.

ABOUT BEDBUGS.—According to an article in Harper's Magazine, bedbugs are an American invention, and have been exported to all parts of Europe, excepting Ireland, where the bedbug is never to be found. The insect made its appearance in England as early as 1503, when two noblemen were "punctured" by them, and the physicians called in great haste. The bug is a parasite of the bat family, and is so tenacious of life that no degree of cold or heat can effect it. Freeze one until you can break it in two; thaw the pieces and they will revive. Freeze the eggs until congealed in ice; let them thaw and they will hatch again as usual. Boil both insect and egg and they will revive as soon as cool. If they can get nothing to eat they will propagate on what nourishment they may derive from the atmosphere.

FORTY BABIES IN TEN DAYS!—As an instance of the rapid increase in importance and population of the Western country—as an instance of the abundance of the crop in Scott county—we chronicle the fact, we point with feelings of just country pride to the imposing fact, that the full number of forty births had taken place within the town of Le Clarie within the space of forty days! Talk about your big potatoes; about your wheat forty bushels to the acre; talk about secession and disunion, and all such ain't nothing compared with this mighty vindication of Iowa progress and Iowa institutions. Forty jubilant fathers; forty cradles to rock; forty thousand screams! Jerusalem, what a country! The doctors say that the god mothers are quite "as well as could be expected, thank you;" and the children are all smart, healthy and pretty.—Davenport Gazette.

LIVING NEAR TO GOD.—One day a little girl about five years old, heard a preacher of a certain denomination praying most lustily, till the roof rang with the strength of his supplications. Turning to her mother and beckoning the maternal ear down to speaking distance, she whispered: "Mother, don't you think that if he lived nearer to God he wouldn't have to talk so loud?"

Such a question is worth a volume on "elocution in prayer."

A National Game at Euchre.

This squib is going the rounds of the press:

The following very extraordinary and exciting game of euchre was recently played by old hands at the cards. There was a tremendously large concourse of people present to witness the contest, the spectators numbering nearly thirty millions, besides immense numbers of outsiders who were less interested in the result. The stakes to be played for were the largest ever known to be risked in this game, and the betting was correspondingly heavy—the odds always being largely in favor of the ultimate winners:

PROGRAMME OF THE GAME.
South Carolina and James Buchanan against Major Anderson and General Scott.

South Carolina deals, and turns up ten of spades (niggers.)
Gen. Scott passes.

James Buchanan, having the best bower, assists South Carolina. They play, and the old General having a good hand, draws Buchanan's best bower, takes three tricks, and thus echeres his opponents.

Major Anderson now deals and turns up hearts.

James Buchanan passes.
Gen. Scott says he cannot assist the Major.

South Carolina passes.
Major Anderson turns down hearts reluctantly.

James Buchanan passes again.
Gen. Scott passes again.

South Carolina passes.
Major Anderson thereupon makes clubs trumps, and says he will play it alone. The hand is played—the Major makes a march, and South Carolina and James Buchanan are skunked.

AN ACCOMPLISHED YOUNG LADY.—

Her education is slicked off complete; a sentmaker gets her up well, and she is sent back to home with the Tower stamp on her, "educated at a boardin' school." She astonishes the natives round about where the old folks live, and makes 'em stare agin, she is so improved. She plays beautiful on the piano, two pieces; they were crack pieces, larned under the eye and ear of the master; but there is a secret nobody knows but her—she can't play nothin' else. She sings two or three songs, the last lessons larned at school, and the last she ever will larn. She has two or three beautiful drawins; but there is a secret here too—the master finished 'em; and she can't do another. She speaks French beautiful; but its fortunate she ain't in France now, so that secret is safe. She is a very agreeable gal, and talks very pleasantly, for she has seen the world. She was to London for a few weeks; saw the last play, and knows a great deal about the theater—She has seen the opera once't, and has seen Celeste and Fanny Ellsler, and heard Lablache and Grisi, and is a judge of dancin' and singin'. She saw the Queen a horseback in the park, and is a judge of ridin'; and was at a party at Lady Syllabub's, and knows London Life. This varnish lasts a whole year. The two new pieces wear out, and the songs get old, and the drawin's everybody has seed, and the London millinery wants renewin', and the Queen has another princess, and there is another singer at the opera, and all is gone but the credit, "she was educated at a boardin' school."—Sam Stick in England.

"FOR YOUNG WIVES."—Under this head, Mrs. Crowley gives some very sensible advice. We append the following extract:

Consulting a husband's taste is also the whole secret of art of "managing a husband." A wife who acts upon this principle may be sure of having the same consideration extended to her, unless, indeed, she is married to a brute, or very mean man, and to such, at present, we have nothing to say. It is easy to see, however, that few men could refuse anything to a wife, who kept their clothes carefully brushed, mended and buttoned; who provided their pet dishes, let them read a four-column Congressional speech without interruption, and dresses herself as carefully for one pair of eyes, as if she expected to encounter the admiration of a crowd. Most men admire taste and elegance in their wives, though they sometimes grumble a little at the cost; but after all, it is taste and tact that is required more than great outlay, and wives should carefully study to have their dress unite style, fitness and taste, with the expenditure proper to their means. Those who, through carelessness, neglect or imaginary nervous ailments, sink into dowdiness and fretful slovenliness, may expect to see the attention and admiration they consider exclusively their own, transferred to some other quarter—nor do they deserve much better fate.

WHAT IS THE BEST TO PREVENT A MAID FROM DESPAIRING? Pairing.

WHAT POOR RICHARD SAID.—

The celebrated maxims of "Poor Richard," by Benjamin Franklin, are worth reprinting, now and then, in this "fast" extravagant generation. Perhaps the seed may fall upon a rich, generous soil, that needs them to improve it. There are few persons, at least in California, so naturally stingy and miserly, to whom they can do much hurt. Poor Richard held the following opinions, among others:

1. Plow deep while sluggards sleep, and you will have grain to sell and to keep.
2. Pride is as loud a beggar as want, and a great deal more saucy.
3. Silks, satins, scarlets and velvet, put in the kitchen fire.
4. Diligence is the mother of good luck.
5. Pride breakfasted with plenty, dined with poverty, and supped with infamy.
6. Extravagance and improvidence end at the prison door.
7. It is easier to build two chimneys than to keep one in fuel.
8. If you would know the value of money, go and try to borrow some.
9. The eye of the master will do more than both of his hands.
10. What maintains one vice would bring up two children.
11. He that goes a borrowing goes a sorrowing.
12. Rather go to bed supperless than rise in debt.
13. Sloth, like rust, consumes faster than labor wears.
14. A life of leisure and a life of laziness are two different things.
15. Three removes are as bad as a fire.
16. Creditors have better memories than debtors.
17. The rolling stone gathers no moss.
18. If you would have your business done, go; if not, send.
19. It is foolish to lay out money in the purchase of repentance.
20. Buy what thou needest not, and thou shalt sell thy necessities.

ECLIPSES IN 1861.—There will be four eclipses this year, as follows:

1. An annual eclipse of the sun, Jan. 10th—invisible in America.
2. An annual eclipse of the sun, July 7th—invisible in America.
3. A partial eclipse of the moon, Dec. 17th—16th in California—early in the morning. Visible. Size only 2/22, or about one-fifth of the moon's disc.
4. A total eclipse of the sun, but only partial in the United States, December 31st. The sun rises eclipsed, and the obscuration will be visible in all the States east of the Mississippi river, and in those States adjacent to it on the west, except Iowa. It ends at Washington, at 8h. 36m. In Texas, Arkansas, Missouri, Illinois and Wisconsin, the eclipse ends just at sunrise, and east of Maine it begins at sunrise. Size in the Atlantic States about 6 digits.

"LOOK hea, Dixey, you knows a ting or two. Does'n't you tink from de cloudification ob de atmosphere, dat we'll hab rain to day?" "Well, I declare, Sanford, I don't 'zactly understand assronomy, but I does tink it look berry ominous." "Well, dat't, jest dis child's 'pinion, but I hadn't de larnology to 'spress it, I neber studied skyology."

THE Editor of an exchange paper publishes a punning "market report," in which he states that "tin plates are flat, lead heavy, iron dull, rakes not much inquired for, champagne brisk, rhubarb and senna are drugs, starch is stiffening, eggs lively, butter and lard rather strong, and paper is stationary. There is no life in dead hogs, but considerable animation in old cheese."

AN oath from a child's lips! One would as soon expect a thunderbolt from out of the heart of a rose. And yet there those who deliberately teach little children to swear, and think it sport, when the rosy lips, with childish grace lips the demoniac lesson.

THERE is a young lady in Boston so repified in her language that she never uses the word "blackguard," but substitutes "African sentinel."

"LET me see; how many wills make a cent?"

"Don't know; but it takes a good many cents to make a mill, if they are made of stone."

Pedagogue fainted and we came away.

"I SAY, mister, wasn't you born in the middle of the week?" said an impudent urehin to a man with a severe pair of cross eyes.

"No, you little devil, why?"

"Cause, I see you're alwers a-lookin' both ways for Sunday."

"I SAY, Pat, what are you about—sweeping out the room?"—"No," answered Pat, "I am sweeping out the dirt, and leaving the room."

Declaration of Homestead.
Persons wishing to procure a correct legal form for making out a Declaration of Homestead, as required by the Act of the last Legislature, with the acknowledgement attached thereto, will find printed blanks, on application to the KNIGHT'S LANDING NEWS OFFICE. By filling out these blanks themselves, parties will be subject to no other expense than the fees for acknowledgment and record.

Justices Blanks.
Blanke Affidavits, Undertakings, Writ of Attachment and Subpoenas, under the new law, for Sale at this Office.

EDUCATIONAL.—There will be a meeting of the Board of Examination of the County Schools, at Cacheville, at 10 a.m. to-day (Saturday) for the purpose of examining ladies and gentlemen who desire employment in the public Schools of this County.

DANCING SCHOOL.—We would call the attention of our readers to the advertisement in another column of J. Snyder, who has opened a Dancing School at this place. Lessons given every Monday and Thursday evenings.

EAGLE STEAM FLOUR MILL.—The Eagle Steam Flour Mills is now in operation, and all persons having grain to grind will bring it in immediately.—See advertisement.

FAVORS.—We are for the first time since the sitting of the Legislature, under obligations to Hon. W. C. Wood, member of the Assembly from this county, for Public Documents.

W. N. Brooks, County Treasurer paid into the State Treasury on Wednesday last, the sum of \$3,732 48.

OPENING OF UNION (BRICK) HOTEL.—A Ball will be given on Monday, the 4th March next, by Wm. G. Seely, when the Union Hotel will be opened for the accommodation of customers—the building being 52 by 60, three story high will assure the public that nothing will be wanting to make every one contented. Adjoining the Hotel, Mr. J. J. Underhill as a Livery Stable 30 by 100 and a large shed for the accommodation of the travelling public. Tickets, for the Ball and Supper, \$5 00. We hope to see a good gathering.

THE CASH SYSTEM.—We perceive by some very significant posters in two of the leading Commercial houses in this place, that they will, after the 1st of next month adopt the *Cash System*, of doing business; and giving notice beforehand of their intention to pursue this course, is a strong indication that they intend to adhere to it. This is a step in the right direction, and we would be glad to see all follow; and then it would inconvenience none. Those gentlemen will we presume continue to take all kinds of country produce in exchange for goods.

The following commissions have been issued by Governor Downey, for Yolo Co. F. S. Freeman of Yolo City, Paymaster fifth Brigade fifth Division, Rank Major; J. W. Snowball of Knight's Landing, Aid-de Camp to Brigadier Gen. fifth Brigade fifth Division, Rank Captain. We are informed that in addition to the vacancies supplied above about 300 others exist, which will be all filled in a few days. The officers commissioned under the present law will hold their appointments under the new Militia Act now before the Legislature, should it become a law, as is confidently expected. Their commissions expire four years from date.

The sum of \$2,323 has been received in San Francisco for the Pope. Of this amount, the Cathedral in San Francisco contributed \$1,429 50; the churches of Grass Valley and Nevada \$403 50; the Mission Delores, \$150, and the convent on Powell street, \$80. The rest of the amount was contributed by the various churches in the interior.

Pass him Round.
Saw Mill Flat, Tuolumne Co.,
February 13.

Editor Columbia Times.—Sir: A man of the name of Strulson, was paraded around this town on Wednesday last, and notified to leave its classic precincts before sunset, under the penalty of a superb coat of tar and feathers and a cow-hiding, for grossly insulting his sister-in-law, and slandering the females of the "Flat" generally.
S. Q. I.

A Son of Justice Baldwin has been appointed a cadet at West Point.

Washington's Birth Day.
Yesterday was the natal day of one of the greatest and best men of anytimes—just an hundred and twenty years ago General George Washington was born—whether a star appeared in the east to herald his nativity as in his prototype history does not inform us. But certain it is, he was the first great Champion of human liberty and social equality. The Romulous of American Independence.

An half a century ago, Washington's Birth Day was celebrated with more pomp and enthusiasm by the American people than Christmas—it possible, but like all other good and hallowed customs it is woefully neglected by the degenerated sons of the sires of Auld Lange Syne.

Yesterday passed off in our town as though there had never been a Washington or any other patriot. Owing to unavoidable circumstances—even the Ball, that was in contemplation, did not come off. Surely we are cast upon troublous times—all veneration for past celebrities is lost, and the dismemberment of our Government boldly and fearlessly discussed both from the forum and the PULPIT.

Proceedings of the Yolo County Teacher's Association.

YOLO CITY, Jan. 26th, 1861.
Pursuant to previous adjournment, the Yolo County Teacher's Association, met at the School House at 3 o'clock, P.M. Vice President Smyth in the Chair. The minutes of preceeding meeting were read by the Secretary, and approved.—The following gentlemen were enrolled as members of the Association: Messrs. O. L. Matthews, M. A. Woods, Milo Templeton and H. P. Williams.

It was moved that Mr. Frink be excused from delivering the address on that evening, on account of a slight indisposition—motion lost.

On motion of O. L. Mathew, article third, of the Constitution was amended so as to change the time of meeting.

M. A. Woods was chosen unanimously, to deliver the address before the next meeting.

Miss. Carrie A. Templeton was selected to present an Essay, and O. L. Mathews and H. A. Pierce, were appointed disputants on the following proposition, to-wit: That "Corporal Punishment" is necessary to the maintenance of order and discipline in our common schools—Affirmative, O. L. Mathews, Negative, H. A. Pierce.

Mr. Frink, as Literary Critic, and Mr. Smyth as Essayist, were excused.

The meeting then adjourned to meet at 7 o'clock.

EVENING SESSION.
At 7 o'clock, the Association re-assembled at the school house. President Gaddis in the Chair. Secretary's report read and approved. Mr. Gaddis then stated the objects of the Association and the efforts made thus far, in a very interesting manner, after which, he introduced Mr. E. B. Frink to the audience, who occupied about forty-five minutes with his address. The address displayed great care and labor, and in every respect was worthy of its objects. Its statistical features were of great value to all who desire a knowledge of the condition of our schools. A very severe hoarseness on the part of the speaker, made it rather unpleasant, but the address was well received.

M. A. Woods was called to the floor. He spoke for some time with much eloquence and spirit, and was greeted with much enthusiasm.

Messrs. Johnson and Mathews, both spoke eloquently on the subject of "Education." After which the the Association adjourned, to meet at the Hesperian College, in Yolo, on the second Saturday in May.

CHANGE.—The San Francisco *Mirror* has changed hands and Stephen Parks has become sole proprietor. The composers in that office struck, not for higher wages, says the paper, but in compliance with some rule of the Typographical Association, so the editors all went to work at the case, and set the paper up themselves; and in the leader, the editor says:

"We are succeeding remarkably well, and increasing in vigor and celerity every moment. We shall probably soon begin to feel the task a pleasure, and continue it for the amusement it confers. At any rate, with the indulgence of our many readers we will 'see it through,' so long as our united efforts produce a column of new matter daily, or there is relief in giving the favor of every new advertiser a double insertion."

OVERLAND.—The Overland Mail on Monday last carried away 5,075 letters and two through passengers—A Roman and W. A. January.

Arrival of the Pony Express!
Dates to February 9th.

From the Union's Telegraphic Report.

The Virginia Convention Carried for the Union.

St. LOUIS, February 9th. A. M.
Nothing very important has occurred since the last Pony. The Union men have carried the Virginia Convention triumphantly. The secessionists elect only about thirty or forty members. It is understood that a great majority of those elected stand on Crittenden's amendment or its equivalent, as the ultimatum. If this is not conceded they will go for submitting the question to the people.

The Washington Convention.
The Peace Congress is still in session with closed doors. No decided step has yet been taken. Ex-President Tyler, on taking the chair as President, made a highly conservative speech, which gave satisfaction to Republicans, and has strengthened the hopes of Union men. Several additional States have sent delegates to the Washington Convention, which is increasing in popular favor. The organization at the North against any concessions is becoming more compact, and the result of the Virginia election is known.

Progress of Secession.
Secession movements go on at the South without any excitement. Texas has passed the secession ordinance by a large majority.

No collision has taken place anywhere. All quiet at Pensacola, where a trace has been concluded and the State troops have withdrawn.

Charleston is quiet also. Fort Sumter has not been reinforced.

Colonel Hayne and Lieutenant Hall had left Washington. The ultimatum of South Carolina has been presented and responded to by the President, who says he has no power to negotiate for the surrender of Government property, which he is bound by law to protect. The public are awaiting to see what Governor Pickens will do.

Matters at Washington.
Congress has done nothing towards any settlement of a compromise basis. Several crisis speeches per day have been turned off in the House.

It is rumored that Johnson, of Tennessee, and Wigfall are going to fight a duel.

The Alabama Convention.
The Montgomery Convention is in session, but has made little progress. Howell Cobb is President.

Miscellaneous.
More revenue cutters have been seized at New Orleans, and some forts in Arkansas are reported taken by State troops. Massachusetts sends Commissioners to the Peace Congress.

The President elect will leave for Washington on Monday next. Blair's [Black's] name has been sent to the Senate for Daniel's place on the Supreme Bench.

Bill suspending mail service in the seceding States has passed the House by a large majority.

Latest from Europe.
Dates have been received from Europe to January 27th.

The news is unimportant. Breadstuffs have declined slightly in Liverpool, also in New York.

SOUTH CAROLINA STATISTICS.—From the annual registration report of South Carolina for 1859, it appears that in six years past the births of slave children have been to those of free more than two to one—69,000 to 33,000. In 1859 there was among the slaves one birth in 26 living persons; among the free, one in 48. Among the slaves there was one death in 59; among the free only one in 137. The average age at death was, among the free, 28½ years; among the slaves, less than fifteen years. But of the 22 who died in South Carolina at the age of 100 or over, 18 were slaves. Of 314 whose death were attributed to old age, only 49 were white.

MOLA.—The New York *Herald*, in noticing the career of Lola Montez says: Lola was fond of being thought a scholar and a *litterateur*. She had a smattering of information upon a great variety of topics, and was very quick at catching up the ideas of clever people about her. She talked well, and could entertain a large number of persons at the same moment. As a writer we have no knowledge as to her capability. Her letter, which attracted so much attention when she first arrived here, was written by ex-Senator Wescott. "Lola Montez in Bavaria," a play produced as hers, and prepared by Charles War, and her lectures were the work of Ret. C. Chauncy Burr.

ENLORPENT EXTRAORDINARY.—The San Juan *Press* says:

It is reported that two recently married men of our place enloped from their wives a short time since, and have gone to parts unknown, thus fulfilling that trite saying: "The course of true love never did run smooth." The last we heard of the wives, they were on the way to San Francisco, apparently well satisfied with their condition.

MINT STATISTICS.—During the last week 12,377 ounces of gold and 5,420 ounces of silver were received at the mint for coinage.

U. S SUPREME COURT DECISIONS.—The United States Supreme Court has declared decisions in the following cases, sent up from California:

The United States, appellants, vs. The widow and heirs of Apolinario Miranda, deceased. Appeal from the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of California. On motion of Mr. Attorney General Stanton, this appeal from said District Court in the cause was affirmed.

The United States, appellants, vs. The heirs of Felipe Hernandez, deceased.—Appeal from the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of California. On motion of Mr. Attorney General Stanton, this appeal from the said District Court in this cause was affirmed.

The United States, vs. Jose Castro, et al.—This cause was argued by Mr. Attorney General Stanton for the appellants, and by Mr. Swann for the appellees.

The United States, appellants, vs. Jose Noriega, et al.—Appeal from the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of California. On motion of Mr. Attorney General Standford, this appeal from the said District Court in this cause was affirmed.

John Grier et al. plaintiff in error, vs. S. M. Mezes, et al.—This cause was argued by Mr. Blair for the plaintiffs in error, and by Mr. Janin for the defendants in error.

THE CENTRAL MINING COMPANY.—The *Territorial Enterprise* has the following in regard to the Central Mining Co., at Washoe:
The affairs of this company have been gradually and systematically put into shape, and are now in most successful working condition. In the tunnel below there are thirty men engaged in opening and developing the mine under the most favorable auspices. The plan is to work by drift from below to the surface. In the old tunnel on the top, a large vein of metal has been opened, where three men take out daily from three to five tons of rich ore.

The mill, after some unavoidable delay incident to such a new enterprise, is now in fine running condition. The stampers are crushing from five to six tons per day according to the nature of the ore. The furnaces for roasting it and the amalgamators are capable of doing twice as much work as the stamping mill can furnish; consequently, it is the intention of the company to erect soon an additional battery of improved pattern.

The working of the silver ore according to the Veatch process, turns out to be quite successful. The expenses by this method do not exceed thirty dollars per ton, including crushing. The company have taken out silver bars at the rate of five hundred dollars per day; but now they have commenced working richer rock, and they expect to double the result in future.

The mining operations are directed by Don Enrique Mier, a Spanish miner of superior attainments and great reputation throughout Mexico. Altogether, there are sixty men employed in the mine and mill.

Too much praise cannot be awarded to the energetic and enterprising owners of this company. They are now reaping the reward for their heavy outlay, in establishing a business which is alike beneficial to them and to this place.

CHURCH STATISTICS.—The Christian Advocate gives the following figures in reference to several denominations in California:—Old School Presbyterians: ministers, 19; churches 19; communicants, 920. N. S. Presbyterians: ministers, 16; churches, eleven; communicants, 381. Congregationalists: ministers, 16; churches, 11; communicants, 576. Baptists: ministers, 52; churches 53; communicants, 1,825. These exhibits, says that paper, are not specially flattering to the several denominations represented, yet we have occasion to know that they are all at work vigorously and successfully in their several spheres and modes of operation. We presume, however, that the ratio of communicants, and other church goers is as 1 to 20; so that, after all, it is not so bad a showing. It may be more for aught we know.

FAILURE OF CYRUS W. FIELD.—An Eastern correspondent of the *Bulletin* says:

Among the latest failures in New York resulting from the difficulties of the times, is that of Cyrus W. Field, whose assets it is said will pay less than twenty-five cents on the dollar. He has never recovered fully from the Atlantic cable speculation. Had that proved a fully successful affair, he would have been one of the most celebrated, as well as one of the richest men in the United States; but that failed, and ill-fortune has attended him ever since.

WHERE ARE THEY?—The Postmaster of Sacramento city has applied to for information concerning Wm. Gresham, late of El Dorado, Arkansas; S. M. D. Mulford and George W. Shepard, of Iowa; M. A. Upper, of Upper Canada; and R. T. Buckley, of Lucas county, Ohio.

FAILURE.—News was received in San Francisco by the last steamer of the failure of the Quaker City Fire Insurance Company, and for several days there has been much running to and fro of those interested, in consequence thereof.

The Supervisors of Napa county have levied the taxes for 1861—being \$1 95 on each \$100 worth of property

DAILY EXPRESS.—Wells, Fargo and Company have re-established a daily express over the mountains, between Placerville and the Utah mines.

The steamer Salinas, which was ashore at the mouth of the Salinas river, has been got off with safety

MARRIED.
At Knight's Landing, Feb. 17, by the Rev. J. L. Cox, William Barnett to Susan Brown.

BIRTHS.
At Grand Island, Colusa county, Feb. 11th, the wife of A. J. Powell, of a son.

DEATHS.
In Colusa county, Feb. 17, Alfred Warren McGriff, aged 19 years, son of A. M. and S. L. McGriff, of Evansville, Indiana.
He arrived here the 10th December last, to live with his uncle W. S. Kellogg. [Easteru Papers please copy.]

New Advertisements.
PREMIUM
EAGLE STEAM FLOUR MILLS.
The Eagle Steam Flour Mills, is now in operation, and all persons having
GRAIN
To Grind, will bring it in immediately.
Z. GARDNER,
Feb 23-tf Knight's Landing.

DANCING ACADEMY
AT
KNIGHT'S LANDING.
J. SNYDER,
Would respectfully call attention of the Citizens and public generally of Yolo county, that he has opened a Dancing School at the above place. Rooms for the present at D. W. Edson's Hall, and after the 4th March at the Union Hotel.
Days of Tuition:—
MONDAY'S and THURSDAY'S.
Feb 23-tf J. SNYDER.

SUMMONS.
State of California, County of Yolo, ss:—Before Justice A. P. McCarty, Justice of Cottonwood Township, Yolo county—The People of the State of California, to Joel Martin, Greeting: You are hereby summoned to appear before the undersigned, Justice, at his house in Cottonwood township, at the hour of 12 o'clock, M., March 4th, A. D. 1861, to answer unto the complaint of Henry Cole, who sues to recover the sum of Thirty-eight Dollars and eighty cents, due him on a promissory Note, now on file in my office.—Then judgement will be taken against you for said amount, costs and damages if you fail to appear and answer.
To any Sheriff or Constable of Yolo county, make due service and return hereof March 4th 12, M. Given under my hand, at my office February 9th, A. D. 1861.
(Signed) A. P. McCARTY,
Justice of the Peace, Yolo co. Cal.

State of California, County of Yolo.—It is ordered service of above Summons be made by publication in the KNIGHT'S LANDING NEWS for two insertions, and service to be deemed completed by the 4th March, at 12 M. Given under my hand, at my office.
A. P. McCARTY,
Justice of the Peace, Yolo co. Cal.
February 9th, 1861. Feb 23-2t

NOTICE.
NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with Section 11, of an Act of the Legislature, approved April 28th, 1860, entitled an Act amendatory of, and supplementary to "An Act to Establish, Support and Regulate Common Schools, and to repeal former Acts concerning the same," that a County Board of Examination will meet in Cacheville, on Saturday, February 23, at 10 o'clock, A.M., for the purpose of examining ladies and gentlemen who desire employment as Teachers in the Public Schools of this County. Teachers whose certificates have expired, and who wish to renew them, are expected to attend.
HENRY GADDIS,
Supt of Pub. Schools,
for Yolo County.
Cache Creek, Feb. 15, 1861. 2t

J. BALLARD
DAGUERREAN ARTIST.
Has opened his Rooms at the YOLO HOUSE For a Few Days Only, and is now Prepared to take
AMBROTYPES
and
MELAINOTYPES,
Put up in Cases, Lockets, Rings and Pins.
Leather Pictures
Suitable for sending in Letters, and Views of
Buildings
Taken in the best style and warranted to suit.
Feb 9-tf

10,500
REDWOOD POSTS
of the
BEST QUALITY,
For sale cheap, apply to
THOMAS & BROWNELL,
Feb 9-tf Knight's Landing.

STANFORD BROTHERS,
Importers and Jobbers in
Groceries, Provisions, Coal Oil Lamps, Camphene, Oils, &c.
Warehouse, corner Front and L streets,
aug 25-3m Sacramento

N. L. DREW & CO.,
LUMBER DEALERS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
Second Street. Between L and M.
Sacramento.
oct 6-tf

DAVID SCHINDLER,
Justice of the Peace,
Will hold Court at Knight's Landing every Saturday.
dec 8-3m*

A HAUNTED JAIL.—The Red Bluff Beacon says that the Tehama county jail has become the night-walk of ghosts, as the prisoners now confined therein vehemently assert that they have seen one.—They stated the fact to the jailor the other morning and assured him that in their private opinion, the spirit of some murdered person had returned on a visit to one of its old habitations whilst in the body. The Beacon advises the Sheriff to exercise the spirit or spirits by liberally decorating the wall with old horse-shoes.

"DEAD CHINAMEN."—The ship *Robt. Passenger*, which is soon to sail for Hong-kong, will carry over several hundred dead Chinamen. This commodity is a curious subject of commerce. The companies who export the Coolies enter into bonds to return them all back, alive or dead. The dead ones are regularly boxed up and preserved till an opportunity occurs to ship them.

IRISH WIT.—An Irishman in Sacramento ran a long distance down K street for the purpose of getting on board the San Francisco boat. As he arrived at the landing the steamboat was leaving, and his chance for that trip was destroyed. A boatman who had observed the hurrying man cried out, "Ah! ole feller, ye didn't come quick enough, did ye?" "Arrah," answered the disappointed, "it was quick enough I come but too I started!"—*Mountain Democrat.*

ARCHITECTURAL SOCIETY.—The San Francisco Architectural Society has elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, William Craine; Vice President, Caleb Hyatt; Corresponding Secretary, Victor Hoffman; Recording Secretary, P. J. O'Connor; and Treasurer.

A MAN DIED WITH THE GLANDERS.—J. C. Ross, aged 28 years, well known among the teamsters of Sacramento, died February 8th, at the residence of Brinkerhoff, in Solano county, eight miles east of Vacaville, with the above named disease, contracted by opening a mule that died with it.

MAJOR JACK DOWNING, in a correspondence with General Jackson, during the South Carolina troubles of 1832, said that he has always noticed that those who talked the most about shedding the last drop of blood were always very particular about the first drop.

CHARLES F. ROBBINS,
IMPORTER AND DEALER IN
**TYPE, PRESSES, PRINTING MATERIAL,
INKS, CARD STOCK, &c.,**
Nos. 111 and 113 Clay Street
feb2-ly San Francisco.

New Corner Cigar Store!
M. GREENHOOD & CO.,
Importer and Dealer in
CIGARS AND TOBACCO,
jan5-tf Cor. 3rd and J st., Sacramento

**FIVE
FIRST CLASS PREMIUMS**
Taken at the
Late State Fair, at Sacramento,
BY
H. M. BERNARD,
of the

EUREKA
CARRIAGE FACTORY,
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.
jly7-tf **H. M. BERNARD.**

**Knights Landing
BOOT AND SHOE STORE.**
A. D. Gervais,
Next door to the Masonic Hall,

HAVING established himself permanently in this place,
would respectfully call the attention of the citizens and
public generally to his stock of
BOOTS AND SHOES.

Gentlemen's Boots and Shoes, Ladies Gaiters
and Children's Shoes made to order on the
most reasonable terms. Repairing neatly ex-
ecuted. Call and examine before purchasing
elsewhere. aug25-tf

JAMES H. SULLIVAN,
L Street Between 2d and 3d,
Sacramento,
Manufacturer of all kinds of Barrels, Kegs,
Buckets, Well Buckets, Churns, Butter Fir-
kins, Liquor Kegs, Water Casks, Windmills,
and all kinds of Cooperage done on the most
reasonable terms.
N. B.—Orders from the Country solicited,
and promptly attended to. sept-11

LAMOTT & COLLINS.
HATS FOR THE HOLIDAYS.
STORE!
Just Received, a large and varied as-
sortment of **HATS and CAPS**, of the new
styles for the Winter of
1860 & 1861

IF YOU WANT a fine Dress Hat,
IF YOU WANT a genuine Peruvian Hat,
IF YOU WANT a fashionable Cassimeret 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 Chil-
dren's Hats and Caps, of elegant design,
IF YOU WANT an Elegant Tile,
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
have on hand the best assortment of
LADIES' FURS.
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, gentle-
men! decl-1f

NEW GOODS.
NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!!
At Knight's Landing.

GALLAND & CARO
Have just received an entire
New Fall and Winter stock,
Such as Drygoods, Clothing, Hats and
Caps, Boots and Shoes.
Now is your time to get Bargains!
Knight's Landing, Nov. 3, '60 3-tf.

HIDES! HIDES!! HIDES!!!
**CASH
PAID FOR HIDES.**
APPLY TO
S. W. RAVELEY,
feb2-tf Knight's Landing.

Z. GARDNER,
LUMBER & 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.
Orders received at the Eagle Steam Flour
Mills, corner of Front and Mill streets, Knight's
Landing. jan5-6m

**O'CONNELL,
RYAN
& CO.**
Have Received all the

NOVELTIES
—IN—
DRY GOODS,
Which they will sell at
GREAT BARGAINS!
Their Prices are always the Lowest. Their
System,

No Second Price.
**O'CONNELL,
RYAN
CO.,**
83 J street bet, 3d and 4th,
Sacramento.

P. S.—We direct special attention to a new
lot of Silks, Mantles, Shawls, Lace Sets, de-
signed for Holiday Presents. dec8-3m

**S. R. SMITH,
CARPENTER AND BUILDER,**
Front Street, Knight's Landing.
THE subscriber having made large addi-
tions to his business, is now prepared to do
all kinds of work, such as
**Cabinet Making,
Paper Hanging,
Painting and Glazing.**
—ALSO—
Houses Built and Removed.
All kinds of Farmers' Machinery Repaired,
and general Jobbing done at the shortest
notice. **SAM. R. SMITH.**

N. B.—Copies of every de-
scription made to order on the
shortest notice.
All Orders from the Country Promptly at-
tended to.

LEGAL NOTICES.
Administrator's Notice.
ALL persons having claims against the
estate of William Mackay, deceased, are
required to present them to the undersigned,
at his place of business, at Knight's Landing,
with the necessary vouchers, within ten months
from date or they will be forever barred by law.
J. W. BALDWIN,
Public Administrator.
Knight's Landing, January 26, 1861.
jan26-4t

NOTICE.
To All Whom it may Concern.
THE undersigned will apply to the Probate
Court of Yolo County, at the next term,
which will be holden at Cacheville on the
second Monday in March next, for an order to
sell at public sale, the indebtedness of Charles
F. Reed, which falls due January 1st 1865, to
Joseph Knight deceased, at which time all
who are opposed to the Court granting said
order can appear and urge their objections, if
they think proper.
J. W. BALDWIN, Administrator,
of Joseph Knight, deceased.
Knight's Landing, February 4, 1861.
feb9-4t

Insolvent Notice.
State of California, county of Co-
lusa:—In the County Court of said county,
in the matter of the petition of Thomas Eddy,
an insolvent debtor. Pursuant to an order of
the Hon. C. J. Diefendorf, County Judge of
Colusa county, notice is hereby given to all
the creditors of the said Insolvent, Thomas
Eddy, to be and appear before the Hon. C. J.
Diefendorf aforesaid, at the Court House in
the town of Colusa, on Monday the 18th day
of MARCH, A. D. 1861, at 2 o'clock P. M. of
that day, then and there to show cause, if
any they can, why the prayer of said Insolvent
should not be granted and an assignment of
his estate be made, and he be discharged from
his debts and liabilities, in pursuance of the
Statute in such case made and provided. And
in the meantime all proceedings against said
Insolvent be stayed.
Witness my hand and the seal of
said Court, this 2d day February, A.
D. 1861.
feb9-5t **W. F. GOAD, Clerk.**

By Order of County Judge.
STATE OF CALIFORNIA, } ss.
COUNTY OF YOLO, }
In the District Court of the Eleventh Judicial
District of the State of California, in and
for the County of Yolo,

THE People of the State of California, to
John Anderson, greeting:
You are hereby summoned to answer the
Complaint of John Koon in said Court, filed
against you, within ten days from the service
of this Writ, exclusive of the day of service,
if served on you in this County, but if served
on you without said County, then in forty
days from such service, exclusive of the day
of service, in an action commenced on the
28th day of January, 1861, in said Court.—
Who sues to recover the sum of \$565 and in-
terest thereon, at six dollars per month, from
the 14th day of January, 1861, due upon a
promissory note, executed by you, to him, on
the 14th May, 1857, for the sum of \$300 75,
payable one day after date, with interest at six
dollars per month until paid, and for his costs
and such other relief as to equity belongs.—
And you are hereby notified that if you fail to
answer the complaint as directed, Plaintiff will
demand judgment by default for said sum and
costs.
In testimony whereof, I, I. T. Daly, Clerk of
the Eleventh Judicial District Court
aforesaid, do hereunto set my hand
and impress the Seal of said Court,
at Office in Cacheville, this 28th day
of January, A. D. 1861.
feb2-3m **I. T. DALY, Clerk.**

DOUGLAS TRIUMPHANT!
BRECKINRIDGE ELECTED!
**LINCOLN
MAKING RAILS,**
And every body satisfied that, by recent ad-
ditions from
San Francisco and Sacramento,
The Subscribers have the most complete and
desirable assortment of
STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS,
Ready Made
**CLOTHING,
SHOES, BOOTS, HATS**

**QUEEN'S-WARE,
GLASS-WARE,
HARD-WARE,
TIN-WARE,**
GROCERIES
AND
PROVISIONS,
Ever offered to the Public in Yolo County,
And which they propose to sell at
VERY LOW PRICES,
At their Old Stand, at
Knight's Landing.
CALL and EXAMINE our STOCK
before purchasing elsewhere. feb-11
Those indebted to us are respectfully, but
earnestly requested to make immediate pay-
ment.
J. & J. W. BALDWIN,
Knight's Landing, Nov. 17, 1860.

NEW GOODS!
New Goods!! New Goods!!!

**THOMAS
&
BROWNELL**

Have just returned from San Francisco
with the **LARGEST and BEST SELECTED
STOCK** of
DRY GOODS,

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**HARDWARE,
HATS,
CAPS,**

**BOOTS AND
SHOES**

Ever offered for sale in Yolo county. They
have Selected their Stock with special reference
to the wants of their numerous Customers,
and now Offer them at
Wholesale or Retail,

Every Article in General Use by Families,
Farmers and Mechanics, Cheaper than they
can be obtained at any other store this side of
San Francisco.

**WHEAT,
BARLEY,
BUTTER,
EGGS,
HAMS,
BACON AND
CASH,**

Taken in Exchange for Goods.
CALL AND EXAMINE

**Our Stock and Prices Before
Purchasing Elsewhere.**

THOMAS & BROWNELL,
Knight's Landing, January 19, 1861.
jan19-tf

REDUCTION! REDUCTION!!
CALIFORNIA STEAM NAVIGATION CO.
On and after this date, the
California Steam Navigation Co.
Have reduced the Freight from San Francisco
to Knight's Landing, to **\$6 00 per ton,**
and from Sacramento to Knight's Landing, to
\$4 00 per ton.

The Fine Steamer **GEM,** Captain FOSTER,
leaves **Sacramento** every **Wednesday**
and **Saturday** mornings, for **Knight's
Landing** and all intermediate places on the
river, to **Red Bluff.**
A. REDINGTON, } Agents,
W. H. TAYLOR, } Sacramento.
S. W. RAVELEY, Agent,
Knight's Landing. feb2-tf

RATHBUN & CO.,
**No. 141 J street, between 5th and 6th,
Sacramento.**
Manufacturers, Wholesale and Retail dealers
in
Candy and Cakes,
Of every description. Also, dealers in
Foreign and Domestic Fruits.
Nuts, of All Kinds, constantly on hand.
OREGON APPLES
Received by every steamer.

This is the oldest establishment in Sacra-
mento, and we intend to keep up the reputa-
tion of the old stand.
We warrant our goods always fresh, and as
cheap as can be bought in the State.
RATHBUN & CO.,
141 J st. bet 5th and 6th,
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T. W. STROBRIDGE,
Corner J and 5th streets, Sacramento,
Is now receiving Large
Additions to his stock of
Boots and Shoes,
Adapted to all classes, and hopes by keep-
ing an assortment Second to None, and by
strict and personal attention to business, and
selling at the Lowest Possible Prices, to merit
and receive a liberal share of the public patron-
age, as of yore.

Always on hand, the **Philadelphia
Goods,** of all kinds, for Ladies and Gentlemen.
Also, Boys' Misses' and Children's Shoes, in
great variety, and at Very Low Prices. I
assure satisfaction to all my customers.

Also, Agent for **Wheeler & Wilson's
Sewing Machines,** which have no su-
perior. I sell at San Francisco Prices, and
invite all to call and examine them.
feb2-3m **T. W. STROBRIDGE.**

PIONEER MUSIC STORE!
DALE & CO.,
IMPORTERS OF AND DEALERS IN
Piano-Fortes and Melodeons,
And Every Description of
**Musical Instruments and Musical
Merchandise.**
Sheet, Card and Book Music!

**ALL THE LATEST POPULAR AND
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Our Assortment of
SHEET MUSIC,
Always on hand, embraces Selections from
Catalogues of the most celebrated Publishers
in the United States and Europe.

GERMAN AND ITALIAN SONGS,
With Guitar and Piano Accompaniments.
Brass Instruments in great variety.
*Sax Horns, Violoncellos, Cornopeans, Double
Basses, Altos, Bass Drums, Baritone,
Clarionets, Tubas, Flageolets, Tenor
Horns, Accordions, Bugles,
Flutenas, Cymbals, Snare
Drums, Post Horns,
Cornet a Pistons,
Banjos, Violins,*
And every description of Musical Instruments.

**Violin, Guitar, Banjo, Harp and
Piano Strings,**
Of the Finest Quality always on hand.
Instruments Tuned and Carefully Repaired,
by Experienced Workmen.

PIANOS TO RENT,
By the Day, Week or Month.
**DALE & CO.'S
Pioneer Music Store,**
feb2-3m 155 J street, Sacramento.

HOP ROOTS—FIRST PREMIUM.
**J. R. Ray, 106 J Street, Sacra-
mento,** has for sale a limited stock of
those superior Roots, from his old Hop Yard,
thirty miles below Sacramento, where the
sample sack was raised that took the first
premium at the late Fair of the State Agricul-
tural Society.
As much has been said about male and
female plants, and often to mystify the sub-
ject, it may be well to say that purchasers of
Roots will be provided with the proper pro-
portion of each, with directions for planting,
if desired.
The plants which we offer roots are five
years old, having been brought from one of
the best hop yards in the Atlantic States.
As the stock of Roots from my yard is limited
this season, it may be well for those con-
templating planting to advise me early.
Send for a circular giving direction for
cultivation. **J. R. RAY,**
Seed and Nursery Warehouse, 106 J street,
feb2-3m 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 Sansome,
dec17-ly San Francisco.

LARGE CLOSING OUT SALE.
Of Clothing and Furnishing Goods!

The entire stock belonging to
O. V. CHAPMAN,
No 39 Front st. bet. J and K, Sacramento,
Will be sold off at Cost for Cash.

The stock consists of Extra
Fine Beaver Overcoats; Extra Fine Black
and Brown Dress Frock Coats; Fine Black
Pants; Silk and Velvet Vests; Elegant Business
Suits; all qualities Business Coats, Pants
and Vests. A full assortment of Under Clothing,
Shirts, Handkerchiefs, Casavats, Hats,
Caps, Boots and Shoes, Blankets, India Rubber
Coats, and all other goods usually kept in a
first class Clothing Store.

The attention of the Trade is respectfully
invited to this stock. The whole will be sold
AT COST.
O. V. CHAPMAN.

N. B.—All parties indebted to me are
earnestly requested to call and settle immediately.
O. V. CHAPMAN.
feb2-3m

LOCKWOOD & HENDRIE,
Corner J and 4th streets,
Sacramento,

Are the only Clothing Merchants in the
State who sell

**Gents and Boys Clothing and
Furnishing Goods**
That are actually

CUSTOM MADE.
They Manufacture every article they sell
from the Best Cloth and in the most Approved
Styles, and sell at the Lowest Figures.

**Every Garment is Warranted to be
as Recommended.**

Citizens of Yolo County are respectfully
invited to call and examine their stock when
visiting Sacramento.

LOCKWOOD & HENDRIE.
Cor. J and 4th sts, Sacramento,
and 176 Clay st., San Francisco.
dec8-3m

QUINCY HALL!
San Francisco.

THE LARGEST CLOTHING ESTABLISHMENT IN THE UNION.

Prices Fixed at New York Rates.

GOODS CUSTOM MADE.

**KNOWN THROUGHOUT THE STATE
AS UNRIVALLED IN
THEIR LINE.**

Established in the
Pioneer Days of California!
and now occupying the Largest Salesroom in
San Francisco.

Strangers visiting the city will find this one
of the features of the place, and the only
clothing mart at New York Prices. Its customers,
from San Diego to Shasta, send their
orders to the famous Emporium. The address is
QUINCY HALL,
147, 149 and 151 Washington street,
dec1-3m San Francisco.

SMITH'S GARDENS,
Sacramento.

Seed Warehouse, No. 40, J Street,
Between 2nd and 3rd street.

Now ready to be mailed to Applicants, our
TREES and SEED CATALOGUES.—As follows:
TREES.

No. 1—General catalogue of Fruit and Ornamental
Trees.

No. 2—Catalogue of Foreign Grape Vines.

No. 3—General price catalogue of Garden
Seeds.

No. 4—Wholesale price catalogue of Garden
and Field Seeds, for use of dealers.

For particulars and more minute information
please address as above, and we will
promptly forward any or all of the above catalogues;
which will give our customers all the information
they may require upon each of the subjects treated upon.

We offer 200,000 of the choicest Foreign
Grape Vines,

The largest and best selected stock of Wine
and Table Grapes in the state.

We are prepared to sell the above in large
or small quantities, at Greatly reduced Prices
from previous years, and lower than the same
kinds are sold, as per Eastern catalogues.

Write us before purchasing Elsewhere.
Also, 150,000

California Grape Vines.

And our general Nursery Stock of **Fruit,
Ornamental Trees, Shrubs,
Roses and Greenhouse Plants,**

Are unusually Large and Fine. We invite
special attention to our large and varied stock
of **Home Grown Garden & Field
Seeds,** all of which we guarantee to be of
our own growing, and being the crop of the
present season are all warranted to be

FRESH AND GENUINE.

Planters and dealers in Seeds after reading
our catalogues, will find they can purchase a
more reliable article in this line at

**LESS PRICES THAN ANY OTHER
HOUSE ON THIS COAST.**

Orders Respectfully Solicited

Pure California Red and White Wines, for
sale by the gallon or case containing nothing
but the pure juice of the Grape.

A. P. SMITH & CO.,
Seed Warehouse, 40 J street, Sacramento.
feb9-tf

**HYDE'S FASHIONABLE BOOT
and SHOE STORE,**

117 J st., bet. 4th and 5th Sacramento.

This store is conducted on a New
Plan, by having Ladies wait on
Ladies, and Gents to serve Gents.

All kinds of Ladies, Misses and Childrens
Shoes and Gaiters, including the celebrated
WEEDS Opera Gaiters, and Miles & Sons
Philadelphia Manufacture of Ladies Gaiters
and all kinds of Ladies Hosiery, and Gents,
Youths and Boys Boots, Shoes and Hosiery
just received and will be offered at Reasonable
Prices.

At this Store **Singer & Co.'s** Celebrated
Sewing Machines may be had at as low as
Fifty Dollars
dec8-3m

HARDWARE, ETC.

STOVES! STOVES!!

**KNIGHT'S LANDING
HARDWARE AND STOVE
STORE.**

ALEX. MILLS,
DEALER IN

**Hardware,
Cutlery,
Stoves,
Churns,
Milk Pans,
Butter and Lard Cans.**

—ALSO—
**Pumps, Lead Pipe, Galvanized Iron,
Wire, &c., &c.**

All kinds of Jobbing, Windmill making and
repairing, done at the shortest notice. As I
manufacture all of my own tinware I can sell
it at Sacramento prices.

ALEX. MILLS.
Knight's Landing, Jan. 12, 1861. 3m

W. M. STODDARD,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
**Hardware, Agricultural, and Mining
Implements, Guns, Pistols, Powder,
Shot, &c.,**

Agent for Dickinson's Patent Wind Mill and
Stephens' Premium Hay Press.

Pumps of all descriptions.
**154 & 156 J st., South Side, near
SIXTH, SACRAMENTO.** June31-3m

HOOKER & CO.,
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN

**Hardware,
Iron, Steel,
and Coal,**

No. 71 J street, North Side, above Third
street, and Third street bet. I and J,
Sacramento.

**Constantly on Hand, a Full Assortment
Of Iron, Shovels, Carpenters' Tools, Mining
Tools, Nails, Axes, Blacksmiths' Tools, Agri-
cultural Implements, Steel, Hoes, Mill Saws,
Etc., Etc.** Jan12-3m

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 as low rates as any es-
tablishment here or in San Francisco.
Jan5-tf BOWSTEAD & CO.

NEW STOVE AND TIN STORE.

**HAVING FITTED UP THE
Store formerly occupied by WATSON &
BEIN,** on

Front street, between J and K,
we now offer to the citizens of Sacramento,
Yolo, and vicinities, a complete assortment of
Parlor, Box and Cooking Stoves; Also, Dou-
glas' Force and Lift Pumps, Lead Pipe, Etc.;
Tin Ware.

Of our own manufacturing, which we will
sell as cheap as can be bought in the city.

SELF-SEALING FRUIT CANS, (different
styles).

JOB WORK done on the most reasonable
terms.

Orders from the country solicited
nov24-tf BOSTWICK & LANE.

**PAINT, OIL, WINDOW GLASS, AND
WALL PAPER DEPOT.**

FREDERICKS & KREBS,

IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN
*Paints, Oils, Glass, Varnishes, Brushes,
Wall Paper, Window Shades,
Gilt Mouldings, Looking
Glass Plates, Artists'
Materials,
Etc.,*

No. 186 J Street,
Between Fifth and Sixth sts.,
Sacramento.

Pictures Framed to Order.

N. B.—Mr. Fredericks having recently been
to the East has made arrangements for ship-
ments by every steamer, which enables us to
fill all Orders on the Shortest Notice.

Orders from the Country Promptly attended
to. dec8-tf

**ALPHONSE DENNERY & BRO'S.,
NEW CROCKERY STORE.**

HOTELS, Bar Rooms and Families will find
the best selection of—
**CHINA WARE,
WHITE GRANITE WARE,
CUT GLASS WARE,
PLATED WARE,
BRITANNIA WARE,
TABLE CUTLERY,
BOHEMIAN GLASS WARE,
MIRRORS, Etc.**

No. 162 J street, between 6th and 7th,
aug25-3m Sacramento.

LIVERY STABLES.

PACIFIC STABLE,

SECOND STREET, BETWEEN K AND L, SAC.

The appointments of this establish-
ment are the most complete of any in
the 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 board-
ed and groomed by the day, week or month.
aug1-tf H. R. COVEY.

MISCELLANEOUS ADVERTISING.

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 al-
fornia 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 sus-
ceptible of as high a polish as the best Ital-
ian. As we quarry our own Marble, and are
Practical workmen in it, we can furnish any-
thing in our line **CHEAPER THAN THE
CHEAPEST.****

And as Good as the Best! To satisfy your-
selves of the fact, please call at our

**Premium Pioneer Marble Works,
No. 101 K street, Sacramento.**

A. AITKEN & CO.
Sculpture and Ornamental Work done to
order. apl7-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 Diplo-
mas and Gold Medals at the several State
Fairs and from the Mechanics' Institute. j7-tf

JEWELRY, ETC.

H. WACHHORST. F. DENVER.

**WACHHORST & DENVER,
Manufacturers and Repairers of
CHRONOMETERS AND WATCHES,
No. 59 J street,
Read's Block, between Second and Third sts.,
Opposite D. O. Mills & Co.'s Bank,
SACRAMENTO.**

We are now prepared to make new
Pieces in Chronometers or Watches,
having the necessary and Workmen to
renew any part of a Chronometer or Watch,
equally as good as the original.

Watches manufactured & repaired

Always on Hand

A splendid Assortment of English and Swiss
Chronometers and Watches, expressly manu-
factured for our House, at 2½ per cent above
manufacturers prices, which we strictly war-
rant to keep time. Also, a very full assort-
ment of

**DIAMONDS and JEWELRY,
In the most Minute Variety.**
apl7-6m

**WM. M. HOAG,
HAS ON HAND a large assort-
ment of**

**Diamonds, Jewelry, Watches and
Fine Plated Ware,
No. 76 J street, between Third & Fourth,
Sacramento.**

NEW GOODS received per each steamer.

N. B.—Particular attention paid to the Re-
pairing of Watches and Jewelry of every de-
scription. mar31-tf

**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 (½) casks "Jules Duret," in
double packages.**

—ALSO—
**200 eighth casks "Jules Duret," in single
packages, for sale low, by
McWilliams & Co.,
MARTEL BRANDY.**

20 HHDS. of this celebrated brand, in
bond, for sale by McWilliams & Co.

WINES.

CLARETS of the highest quality choice
Old Maderia, for sale by
McWilliams & Co.,
46 and 48 K street.

CHAMPAGNE.

**200 BASKETS "Piper & Co's." Heidsieck
for sale by McWilliams & Co.,
46 and 48 K street.**

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.,
IRISH and SCOTCH WHISKEY.**

**JAMISON Sons' Dublin Malt Whisky,
Islay Malt Whisky,
Harvey's Highland Malt Whisky.**
These are Pure and Old, and finer than any
heretofore in this market.

McWilliams & Co.,
46 and 48 K street.

RUM.

**JAMAICA, St. Croix and New England.
McWilliams & Co.**

ALIFORNIA WINE.

**2,000 Gallons Los Angeles Wine, for
sale low.**

—ALSO—
**100 cases Sansvein's
McWilliams & Co.**

ALE and PORTER.

**200 Gasks Alsop's and Barclay's bottled
Ale and Porter.**

McWilliams & Co.

COGNAC.

**A Small Lot James Hennessy Cognac, very
old and fine.** McWilliams & Co.,
46 and 48 K street.
Jan5-tf Sacramento.

**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 or-
ders 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. j7-tf

**Knight's Landing
FRUIT AND CONFECTIONERY STORE.**

**A. D. Gervais,
Next door to the Masonic Hall,**

WOULD respectfully inform the Public
generally, that he has opened a new
and commodious store for all kinds of

**CONFECTIONERY, FRUIT AND
VEGETABLES,
CIGARS, TOBACCO, ETC.**

N. B.—Having perfected my arrangements,
I am prepared at all times to supply my
customers with fresh Fruits and Vegetables,
as soon as they come in market.

Orders from the country promptly attended
to. Parties supplied with Confectionery on
the shortest notice. aug25-tf

KNIGHT'S LANDING BAKERY.

**The Undersigned Takes Pleasure
in informing the citizens of Knight's
Landing that he is now prepared to supply
Hotels, Restaurants, Saloons and Families with**

**Fresh Brown Bread, Plain and
Fancy Pastry, Baked Beans
and Meats.**

Particular attention paid to supplying Balls,
Parties and Picnics. Orders delivered free of
charge to any part of town.

oct27-tf DANIEL WENTE.

**THE BEST SELECTED STOCK
OF
CARPETS AND UPHOLSTERY
GOODS.
IN SACRAMENTO.**

**FOR SALE CHEAP!
At No. 68 K street.**

Brussels Carpet, at \$1 12½ Per Yard.

Ingrain Carpet, Cheap.

Window Shades, 25 cents.

Oil Cloths, All Descriptions, Cheap.

Cornices of Every Variety.

Damask, Lace and Muslin Curtains.

Paper Hangings at All Prices.

**Houses Clothed and Papered at Short
Notice.**

Persons wanting anything in the House
Furnishing line would do well to call before,
purchasing elsewhere, at

**MICHENER'S,
No. 68 K street.**

Also, a fine assortment of Parlor Pictures,
cheap. A large assortment of Gold and
Silver Trimmings.

PICTURES FRAMED TO ORDER.

Remember—The place where Good Bargains
can be made is at **MICHENER'S,
Jan5-3m No. 68 K st., bet. 3d and 4th.**

**MATTRESS FACTORY,
68 K Street.**

**If You Want a Good Spring Bed, go to
MICHENER'S, 68 K street.**

**If You Want a Good Hair Mattress, go to
MICHENER'S 68 K street.**

**If You Want a Good Pulu Mattress, go to
MICHENER'S 68 K street.**

**If You Want Feather or Pulu Pillows, go to
MICHENER'S 68 K street.**

**If You Want Good Bedding of Any Kind go
to
MICHENER'S,
No. 68 K street, bet. 3d and 4th,
Jan5-3m Sacramento.**

**JOHN W. AVERY,
Dealer in all kinds of
OREGON, REDWOOD AND MOUNTAIN
LUMBER.**

**Pickets, Laths, Shingles, Moldings,
Doors, Windows, Blinds, Etc., Etc.,
Constantly on hand.**

**Second Street, Corner of M,
Sacramento.**

Doors, Windows and Blinds.

Size of Light	Length of Sash	Width of Sash
7 by 9	3 feet 5 in	2 feet 1-2 in.
8 by 10	3 " 9 "	2 " 3-4 "
8 by 12	4 " 5 "	2 " 3-4 "
9 by 12	4 " 5 "	2 " 6-8 "
10 by 12	4 " 5 "	2 " 6-8 "
10 by 14	5 " 1 "	2 " 9-3-4 "
10 by 15	5 " 5 "	2 " 9-3-4 "
10 by 16	5 " 9 "	2 " 9-3-4 "
10 by 18	6 " 5 "	2 " 9-3-4 "
11 by 17	6 " 1 "	3 " 3-4 "
12 by 16	6 " 5 "	3 " 3-4 "
12 by 18	7 " 1 "	3 " 3-4 "

Common Sized Doors.

Length.	Width.	Thickness and Description.
6½ ft.	2½ ft.	1 in. thick, Raised Panel.
6½ ft.	2½ ft.	1½ " thick, R. P. or M. 1 side
6½ ft.	2½ ft.	1 " " " R. P. or M. 1 or 2 do.
6½ ft.		