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Darlings, I am weary, pining; Shadows fall across my way; I can hardly see the lining Of the cloud—the silver lining, Turning darkness into day.

I am weary of the sighing, Meaning, wailing through the air; Breaking hearts, in anguish crying For the lost ones—for the dying; Sobbing anguish of despair.

I am weary of the fighting;
Brothers red with brother's gore,
Only that the wrong we're righting—
Truth and Honor's battle fighting—
I would draw my sword no more.

I am pining, dearest, pining, For your kisses on my cheek; For your dear arms round me twining; For your soft eyes on me shining; For your loved words—darlings, speak

Tell me, in your earnest prattle,
Of the olive branch and dove;
Call me from the cannon's rattle;
Take my thoughts away from battle;
Fold me in your dearest love.

Darlings, I am weary, pining; Shadows fall across my way; I can hardly see the lining Of the cloud—the silver lining, Turning darkness into day.

—Boston Transcript.

A Charming Aquatic Courtship.

Madame D-, who resides at Chalon, was a lady of the strictest character, and with a heart proof against all allurements. She prided herself upon her insensibility, and her profound indifference, and repulsed all those gallants who had volunteered to offer their address .-The country was for her a veritable retreat; she shunned re-unions, and was only happy in solitude. The charms of a chosen circle, the pleasures of the world, had for her no attraction, and her favorite recreation was that of angling, an amusement worthy of an unfeeling wo-

She was accustomed every pleasant day to station herself at the extremity of able. the lonely island of Chalon, and there, with her book in one hand and her line in the other, her time was passed in fish-

ing, or dreaming.

A lover who had always been intimidated by her coolness, and who had never ventured on a spoken or written declaration, surprised her at her favorite pursuit one day, when he had come to the island for the purpose of enjoying a swimming

He observed her for a long time without being discovered, and busied himself with thinking how he might turn to his advantage this lonely amusement of angling. His reveries were so deep and fortunate that he at last hit upon the desired plan—a novel expedient, indeed—yet they are always more successful with you, be it so." such women as pretend to be invulnera-

The next day our hero returned to the island, studied the ground, made his arrangements, and when Madame Dhad resumed her accustomed place, he slipped away to a remote and retired shelter, and, after divesting himself of his clothing, he entered the stream. An excellent swimmer and skillful diver, he trusted to his aquatic talents for the success of his enterprise. He swam to the end of the island with the greatest pre caution, favored by the chances of the bank and brushes, which hung their dense foilage above the water. In his lips was a note folded and sealed, and on arriving near the spot where Madame - was sitting, he made a dive, and lightly seizing the hook, he attaches it to

Madame D____, perceiving the move-ment of her line, supposed that a fish was

The young man had retired as he came: he had doubled the cape which extended out into the water separating them from cach other, and had regained his spot without the least noise in his passage under the willows. The deed was done.

Madame D- pulled in her line, and what was her surprise to observe dangling from the hook, not the expected "shiner," but an unexpected letter.

This was, however, trifling; but her surprise became stupefaction when, detaching the transfixed billet, she read upon it-her name.

So, then, this letter which she had fished up was addressed to her.

This was somewhat miraculous. She was afraid. Her troubled plance scrutinized the surrounding space, but there was nothing to be seen or heard; all was still and lonely both on land and water.

She quit her seat, but took away the letter. As soon as she was alone and closeted with herself, and as soon as the paper was dry-a paper perfectly waterproof, and written upon with indellible ink—she unsealed the letter and commenced its perusal.

"A declaration of love!" cried she at

"A deciaration of love!" cried she at the first words; "what insolence."

Still, the insolence had come to her in such an extraordinary manner that her curiosity would not suffer her to treat this letter as she had so many others—pitilessly burn it without a reading.

No—she read it quite through. The lover, who dated this letter from the bottom of the river, had skillfully adopted the allegory, and introduced himself as a grotesque inhabitant of the waters. The fable was gracefully managod, and with the jesting tone which he had adopted was mingled a true, serious, ardent senti-ment, expressed with beauty and elo-

The next day Madame D-returned to the island, not without emotion and a trace of fear.

She threw her line with a trembling hand, and shuddered as a moment after she perceived a movement of the hook. Is it a fish? Is it a letter? It was a

Madame D— was no believer in magic—still there was something strange and supernatural in all this.

She had an idea of throwing the letter back into the stream, but relinquished it. The most stubborn and haughty woman is always disarmed in face of the mystery which captivates her imagination.

The second letter was more tender, more passionate, more charming than the first. Madame D- read it several times, and cauld not help thinking about times, and cauld not help thinking about on fire its wood work, and wrapped in the delightful merman, that wrote such flames a kind of tabernacle wholly combewitching letters.

On the subsequent day she attached her line to the bank, and left it swimming in the water while she withdrew to a landing-place at the extremity of the island. She returned to the place, with-

drew the line, and there was the letter. This time an answer was requested .-It was rather premature, yet the audacious request obtained a full success.— The reply was written after some hesitation, and the hook dropped into the stream, charged with a letter that was intended to say nothing, and affect a sort of badinage—which was, nevertheless, a bulletin of a victory gained over the hard severity of a woman till then unapproach-

Madame D- had too much shrewdness not to guess that her mysterious correspondent employed, instead of magic, the art of a skillful diver. Scruples ea sily understood restrained her from that portion of the bank where she was sure that the diver would emerge from the wa-

But this game of letters amused her. First, it pleased her intellect, and her curiosity became so lively that she wrote:

"Let us give up this jesting, which has pleased me for the moment, but should continue no longer, and come with your apologies to Chalon." The lover answered.

"Yes, if you will add, 'Hope'"

And the word was written.

The young man appeared, and was not loser. The gift of pleasing belonged to his person a much as his style, and he had made such rapid progress under water that it was easy to complete his con-quest on land. They were married. GREENBACKS .- Few people, perhaps,

are aware why the national currency is printed with green backs, therefore I will explain the reason. Ever since the adoption of paper currency, it has been the constant study of banknote engravers to get up some plan of printing bills that could not be counterfeited. In this they only partly succeeded till as late as 1857, when a man named Stacy J. Edson invented a kind of green ink, which he patented June 30th of that year." It is called anti-photographic ink, because it cannot be photographed on account of its color, and cannot be dislodged with alikalies by counterfeiters, to get a com-plete fac simile of the bills. And as it s a secret only known by the American Bank Note Company and the inventor, it it is impossible to counterfeit the greenback money. It was used by many banks before the war, but it was never a leading feature in the bill. Even if the composition of the ink was known, it would be of no use, as the work could not be copied from the genuine bills as with any other kind of ink. The date of the patent can be seen in all the bills, in small print.

INSTINCT OF THE WASP .- As Dr. Darwin was walking one day in his garden, he perceived a wasp upon the gravel walk with a large fly, nearly as big as itself, which he had caught. Kneeling down he distinctly saw it cut off the head and abdomen; and then taking up with his feet the trunk or middle portion of the body, to which the wings remained attached, fly away; but a breeze of wind acting on the wings of the fly turned round the wasp with its burden and impeded its progress. Upon this it alighted again on the gravel walk, deliberately first sawed off one wing and then another; and having thus removed the cause of its embarrassment, flew off with its booty. Here we have contrivance and re-contrivance—a resolution accommodated to the case, judiciously formed and executed, and on the discovery of a new impediment, a new plan adopted, by which final success was obtained.

Awful Calamity at Santiago, Chili.

The following account of the awful catastrophy which occurred on the night of the 8th of December, at Santiago, Chili, were taken from the Valparaiso Mercurio:

On the evening of the 8th December, 3,000 women and several hundred men were crammed within the walls of the Jesuit Church, at Santiago, celebrating the rites of the Immaculate Conception of Mary. Still the outside crowd fought to get in that they might hear their favorite priest, Ugarta, a passionate and vigorous declaimer. Eizaguirre, the Apostolic Nuncio and favorite of Pius IX., also founder of the American College at Rome, was likewise announced to preach. Eizaguirre having wounded the pride of Ugarte, by declaring that the illuminations in the Santiago church were nothing to compare with the illuminations at Rome, Ugarte determined to make, on this occasion, the grandest display over his occasion, play ever witnessed upon the continent. The lighting of the lamps and candles had hardly finished, when the liquid gas, in a transparency on the high altar, set posed of canvass, pasteboard, and wood. In less than two minutes the altar, about twenty-three yards high and ten broad, was an inextinguishable bon fire.

The advance of the fire was perhaps even more rapid than the panic of the audience. When the fire had flow from the altar to the roof, the whole fock of devotees rushed to the principal door .-Those near the laternal doors were able to escape at the first alarm; others, and particularly the men, gained the little door of the sacristy, and lastly, those near the chief outlet forced their way through the throng, even still struggling to get in, and, indeed, did get in, even in face of the fire, stimulated by the desire of getting a good place, which on this occasion meant a good place to die in.—
Then, the flames having crept along the whole roof, and consequently released the lamps of oil and liquid gas from the cornings to which they was transported. nices to which they were strung, a rain of liquid blue fire poured down upon the entangled throngs below. A new and more herrible conflagration broke out in that dense living mass, appalling the affrighted gaze with pictures tenfold more awful than those wherein the Catholic imagination has labored to give an idea of the tortures of the damned. In less than

prodigies of daring and strength, in tear-ing some from the death-grasp of the phalanx of death that choked the door, in some cases literally tearing off their arms without being able to extricate them, the number of the saved by this means fall short of fifty. More than 500 persons of our highest society have perhas escaped. Several houses have been noted by the police as empty, because all their inhabitants have perished. Never had such phrotechny been seen

before-20,000 lights, mostly camphene, in long festoons of colored globes, blazed the church into a Hell of Fire. But the perfomance had not yet begun, when the crescent of fire at the gigautic image of the Virgin, over the high altar, overflowed, and, climbing up the muslin draperies and pasteboard devices to the wood-en roof, rolled forth a torrent of flame.— The suddenness of the fire was awful.-The dense mass of women, freightened out of their senses-numbers fainting and all entangled by their long swelling dresses-rushed, as those who knew that death is at their heels, to the one door, which soon became choked up. Fire was everywhere. Streaming along the wooden ceiling, it flung the paraffine lamps, hung in rows there, among the atruggling women. In a moment the gorgeous church was a sea of flame. Michael Angelo's fearful picture of Hell was there, but far exceeded. Acts of sublime heroism were perform-

ed, and among the noblest were the efforts of Mr. Nelson, U. S. Minister to Chili, and his countryman, Mr. Meiggs.
A lady named Orella, having in vain implored some bystanders, on her knees, to save her mother, rushed in and short

to save her mother, rushed in and shortly afterwards miraculously issued forth, bearing her glorious load! A young lady of the rame of Solar, just before the smoke suffocated her, bud the presence of mind to knot her handkerchief around her leg, so that her corpse might be recognized.

After the close of the awful scene, and while the smouldering heaps were yet sending up smoke and effluvia to Heaves, the people became frantle with rath, and demanded the demolition of the remaining walls of that huge temple of human secrifice, see that a monument could be

erected on the spot to the martyrs. The municipal body seconded the people, and on the 19th of December a petition to that effect was presented to the President of the Republic, then at the capital. A decree in accordance with the petition was ordered. The priests are bitterly opposed to that they call the sacriligious posed to what they call the sacriligious work, and, at last accounts, threatened resistance to the decree. The Government is weak and vacillating, but the people are strong, and doubtless their will has triumphed.

GEN. McClellan on the Army of the Potomac.—On 23d December Gen. McClellan's Report was transmitted to Congress. It covers the period from the 26th of July, 1861, to 7th November, 1862. It consists of 765 foolscap pages, and is divided into four parts. The General concludes as follows: I shall not, nor can I, living, forget

that when I was ordered to the command of the troops for the defence of the capi-tal, the soldiers with whom I had shared so much of the anxiety and pain and suf-fering of the war, had not lost their confidence in me as their commander. They sprang to my call with all their ancient vigor, discipline and courage. I led them into Maryland fifteen days after they had fallen back defeated before Washington. They vanquished the enemy on the rug-ged heights of South Mountain, pursued him to the hard fought field of Antietam, and drove him broken and disappointed across the Potomac into Virginia. The army had need of rest after the terrible experience of battles and marches, with scarcely an interval of repose which they had gone through from the time of leaving for the peninsula—the return to Washington, the defeat in Virginia, the victory at South Mountain, and again at Antietam. It was not surprising that they were in a large degree destitute of the absolute necessities to effective duty. Their shoes were worn out, blankets were lost, their clothing was in rage in short the army was unfit for active service, and an interval for rest and equipment was necessary. When the slowly forwarded supplies came to us I led the army scross the river, renovated, refreshed, and in good order and discipline, and followed the retreating foe to a position where I was confident of a decisive victory, when, in the midst of the movement, and while my advance guard was actually in contact with the enemy, I was removed from the command. I am devoutly grateful a quarter of an hour about two thousand human beings had perished, including many children, but very few men. to God that my last campaign with this brave army was crowned with a victory which saved the nation from the greatest Although many heroic men performed peril it then had undergone. I have not port the Army is not placed high on the roll of the histronic armies of the world. Its deeds ennoble the nation to which it belongs. Always ready for battle, always firm and trustworthy, I never called on it in vain, nor will the nation ever have cause to attribute its want of success under myself, or under other commander, ished, the greater part young girls of fif-teen to twenty years. One mother has to any failure of patriotism or bravery in perished with her five daughters. Two-thirds of the victims were servants, and there are many houses in which not one tion of that army, from the Commanding General to the private, any lack of devo-tion to the service of the United States Government, and to the cause of the Constitution and the Union. They have proved their fealty in much sorrow, suffering, danger, and through the very shedow of death. Their comrades, dead on all the fields where we fought, have scarcely more claim to the honor of a pation's reverence than the survivors to the justice of a nation's gratitude.

A STRONG-MINDED WOMAN.-The Albany Argus gives the following account of one of them: Mrs. Doctor Lydia Sayer Hasbrough, who lives in Wallkill, won't pay taxes because she can't vote. Last month she was notified by the highway overseer of the town to an pear on a certain day with shovel in hand to work out her highway tax. She appeared on the appointed day with her fire shovel, and went to wo.k, but only for five days, when her tax was for ten and a half. She was thereupon arrested upon the complaint of the overseer. He com-plains that he "gave Lydia Sayer Has-brouck, who resides in said district, and is assessed to work ten and a half days on the highways therein, notice to appear on the 9th day of September, with a good on the 9th day of September, with a good shovel, on the road near the house of A. G. Townley, to do such work, and that the said L. Sayer Hasbrough did so appear with a small fire shovel, whereupon the said defendant furnished the said Hasbrouck with a good shovel, and directed her to assist in filling the wagons that were on the ground, but that the said Hasbrough did not work faithfully, remaining idle a considerable portion of the time each load was filing, standing-leaving on her shovel, talking and calling the attention of otherworkmen from their work; at other times sitting daring the whole time of filling the wagon, constimes with one hand toming publics into the wagon, and at others reading a paper."

SATURDAY, JAN. 30TH, 1864.

INSTALLATION .- The following are the officers of Grafton Lodge No. 141 F. & A. M., who were installed on Monday evening last, by N. Wyckoff, Esq., P. M. of Yolo Lodge No. 81: J. W. Baldwin, W. M.; H. C. Moray, S. W.; P. L. Dustin, J. W.; J. W. Snowball, Sec'y; Alex. Mills, Treas; — , S. D.; Wm. Murdock, J. D.; John Prummer, Tyler.

This Lodge was opened under dispensation in October, 1859, and received a charter, in May following, and the same presiding officer has been re-elected at every election under its charter, and we are informed that he has never been absent at a stated communication since its organization, 1859; nor has there been but lone special communication without his presence to open the Lodge, and he was then prevented by sickness from attending.

THE weather for some time past has proved to be not only dry, but decidedly fickle, every few days giving promise of rain, but raining not. We learn that the ground has become so dry and hard, the effects of these continuous north winds, that the farmers have been compelled to quit plowing.

Since writing the above the wind has veered to the south, and we have spells of rain. Appearances indicate a plentiful

Homicide.—On Tuesday last, between 2 and 3 o'clock in the morning, Patsy Callahan was stabbed and from the effects died, by Thomas Sherman, at the Bank Exchange, corner of 2nd and K streets, Sacramento. The coronor's jury returned a verdict that the act was justi-

THE CURRENCY QUESTION .- The Alameda Gazette says:

We have taken considerable pains to ascertain the public opinion of our county upon the currency question, and we have arrived at the conclusion that it is decidedly in favor of leaving the law in regard to the matter stand as it now is.

THE ten-mile trot for \$2,000, between Barney Rice's "George," and J. L. Eoff's "Oregon John," over the Pioneer Race Course, San Francisco, on Saturday, resulted in favor of the first named : Time, 31 minutes, 30 seconds.

THE San Francisco Hussars have recently expended some \$2,000 in the purchase of new uniforms, saddles, etc., and the members are bound to place it foremost among the crack corps of the State before another year.

THE bill for re submitting the Constitution to the people in April next, was killed in the Nevada Territorial Legislature on Saturday last, by an indefinite postponement.

RAISING .- Carolan's brick building, corner of Jand Front streets, Sacramento, is being raised 81 feet. The building is a two-story brick, front 60 feet on J street, and 45 feet on Front street.

THE number of California soldiers now in the employ of the Government is 5,400 -two cavalry regiments, six infantry, one native California regiment, and one battallion of mountaineers.

On Friday, Wells, Fargo & Co. shipped thirty-two bags of bullion, which weighed 2,345 pounds, and was estimated to be worth \$61,977, says the Virgipia Bulletin.

A PORTION of the contractors for building the levee of Swamp Land District No. 1, north of the American river, near Sacramento, suspended work on Saturday.

HITTELL's bills to make greenbacks receivable and payable for public dues were discussed at some length, and laid over till February 3d.

THE Sanitary Committee sent \$50,000 east by the steamer which sailed on Saturday.

VALENTINES! Valentines! - Fancy and Comic-Just received and for sale at Raveley's.

Good.-The bill raising the salary per diem of the Board of Supervisors for this county has passed.

THE Board of Supervisors will meet on Monday next, at Woodland.

THE value of bullion shipped last week from Virginia was \$174,056 35.

Fence Law.

A writer in the Contra Costa Gazette, whose article we copy from Saturday evening Bulletin, offers some thoughts which it might be well for our stock and grain growers and legislators to consider when they commence to gather facts and arguments pro and con on the question of fence or no fence. We regard a fence law much as we regard a fence—the less you tinker with it the stronger and better it will remain. Like the writer in the Gazette, we do not know whether the bill before the Legislature would suit us or not, nor will we pretend to give an opinion as to whether it is or is not good policy to change the present law in regard to fences; but we think we hazzard nothing in saying, that any law that will most effectually teach men the nature of the obligations they are under to their neighbors, and the importance of strictly and impartially observing those obligations, will be a good law, and he who can frame and secure the passage of such a bill will justly be regarded as a public benefactor. But to the Gazette article:

"FIRST PRINCIPLES" OF A FENCE LAW.

Let us go back to the first principles as applied to the ownership of land. The owner of a tract of land is not only the owner of the soil, but of everything it produces, whether fenced or not, and were it not for some legislative enactments your stock would be as much transgressers upon anothers's lands unfenced, as if they were fenced. It was the owner's privilege to fence his land, but he was not bound to do it in order to have full control over it by common law of rights of property. Suppose all the laws enacted by our Legislature upon the subject of fences were repealed; we should have to go back to the common law on the rights of property. How would it be then? Suppose I own a tract of land, and my neighbors own all the lands that ioin me round about, and suppose my neighbors are all stock raisers, and I a farmer, would I have to fence my land in, in order to be the owner of the products? I think not. Have my neighbors a right to allow their stock to eat and destroy all my grain that I cannot bar or fight them away from? I think not.

What should be done in this case?-Recollect there is no law defining what a fence should be, and consequently if I make a fence my neighbor's stock may break it, and leave me as bad off as be fore, and then what shall be done? I think the right of property should govern, and if my neighbors' stock should destroy anything that belonged to me, he pay for it, not because it was should fenced, but because it was mine. Reverse the case. My neighbors are all farmers, and myself a stock-raiser. Then I certainly have a right to pasture my lands, but not that of my neighbors. How shall I do it? How shall I keep my stock from going upon my neighbor's pasture, and get the use of my own? Now this is a question of my own. My neighbor has nothing to do with it. I can fence my land; I have a right to do it, but it is est manner in which he had performed only a privilege; I am not bound to do it. I have the same right to guard or herd my stock on my own lands, and if I can do it cheaper than to fence, it would be economy to do it. I know my stock has no right upon my neighbors' lands, and it is my business to keep them off.

Now as to interest. I have been in this county not quite seven years. All that time I have owned some cattle and horses and hogs. They have run on the commons the most of the time. More than enough have strayed or been stolen to have paid for fencing, and enough to pasture them all. As to persons who make it their only business to raise stock, they have to hire men to herd and hunt their stock at the time-an expense which would go far towards making fence for their pastures. Perhaps you will say many of the latter class do not own the land on which they pasture their stock. I think this is true, but they have no right to the use of any lands except pub lie lands, and that by the consent of the public. But should men be encouraged not to buy up the public lands? I think they should be encouraged to buy it, and to become fixed and permanent in their business. I have not seen the bill that has been introduced into the Legislature, and do not know that it would suit me. But I am opposed to all these local laws of a general nature. If every county wants a different set of laws let us make every county a State, and have a Legislature in each to make their laws. I am not anxious to have our present custom of fencing interfered with. In fact, never expect to farm without a fence. I should like also to raise some stock .-But if I do, I shall have to fence my pasture, whether this bill should become a law or not. For under our present system of rodoes, my stock is driven all over the country, and I have not enough to pay me to follow around and reclaim them. In consequence, I may lose more or less every spring, or fence up.

If we have any change in the law, let us return to first principles. Let every man attend to his own business. If a man will not take care of his own stock and they trespass upon others' property, let the owners of the stock pay the damages.

THE widow of Senator Douglas is employed in the Treasury Office at Wash-

SINGING SCHOOL .- A musical revival has sprung up in our midst, which, we hope will somewhat relieve the monotony that has prevailed amongst us since the holidays. We were present on last Wednesday evening, and were pleased to see the interest manifested and the progress made in singing by the class, and the good order that prevailed, which, we think, reflect credit upon the teacher, and show appreciativeness in the pupils. Besides music, these meetings have a social tendency, and should be encouraged by all. A new feature has been introduced that increases the interest and efficacy of the school; that is, the formation of quartetts from among the class to practice set pieces and sing them upon the stage. It will inspire a spirit of emulation among the members, and enable them to overcome that natural timidity or dread which nearly all possess of appearing before an audience on a public occasion. This was perceptible in the singing on Wednesday night; however they did very well. Solos will be introduced next, and I would whisper in the ear of the committeeman who nominates, that there is a person generally seated in the back part of the house-the man of whom the poet sung not long since-who, I think should not be permitted to hide his talent in the dark corner of a room. I heard him sing a few of the pathetic strains of "John Brown" the same night, and tears well up into my eyes whenever I think of it. By the way, some other amusement should be had for the boys besides throwing little things at the teachers head, seeing how near they could go without hitting it. Bad boys!

AGRICULTURAL. - The State Agricultural Society met at Agricultural Hall. Sacramento, on Tuesday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. Isaac Davis, of Yolo, President of the Society called the meeting to order. Reports of the Board of Directors, the Treasurer, and the Financial Secretary, were read and referred to committee appointed by the President for the special duty of considering the same .-Adjourned till 7 o'clock P. M. At the evening session the meeting adopted the report of the Committee on the General Report of the State Board of Agriculture to the Annual Convention. Report of Committee on the reports of the Society's officers was adopted. These officers were elected: Charles F. Reed, of Yolo, President; T. L. Chamberlain, of Placer, J3 J. Owen, of Santa Clara, and J. H. Culver, of Sacramento, Directors. The cost of membership was reduced from ten to five dollars. By the adoption of a resolution, the thanks of the Society were reest manner in which he had performed the onerous duties of his office during the past year. Thanks were returned for papers furnished the Society, free of cost, and then there was ordered en adjournment sine die.

FALSE ALARM. - At San Francisco on Tuesday night last, an alarm of fire sounded when Maguire's threatre was filled. Some one below called out fire, as the hall bell sounded, and ran out of the house, when the idea seized the minds of a large portion of the audience that the theatre was in danger, or absolutely on fire, and in an instant three-fourths of those present rose to join in the general rush for the door. Officer Everard and Capt. Baker, of the police force, luckily stood near the doorway of the dress-circle and quickly quieted the alarm by calling out, so as to be heard above the uproar in every part of the house, "Sit down! there is no fire within a mile." Only for their presence of mind, many would no doubt have been crushed to death.

RECRUITING .- The Alta says : "A gen eral recruiting office for the California volunteer regiments, U. S. A., will be immediately opened in this city, and suboffices for each regiment in charge of two officers and a private, will be established in different parts of the State, for the purpose of filling all the regiments to the full standard. Lient. Gardner has already opened an office in this city, and is ready to accept good men who have the bump of combativeness largely devel-

BROKE HIS LEG .- Captain Horner, of the steamer Constitution, was late in coming on board the Yosemite at San Francisco on Tuesday last, and jumping on board broke his leg, by which accident he will be laid up some months.

THE Humboldt Register of January 16th, says ore from the Sheba ledge, taken out last Saturday, assays \$8,600 the

BRIG. GEN. WRIGHT, U. S. A .- We are gratified, says the Alta Californian. of Tuesday last, at being in a position to announce that no change will be made in the office of commander in chief of the Pacific Department, and that General Wright will remain at his post. The Government having so resolved, it is not an unfitting time for us as journalists to state that, to the considerate administrative abilities of General Wright, the people of California are, in a greater measure than they are aware of, or perhaps will know until the extinguishment of the rebellion, indebted for the peaceful relations which exist within the State. To his activity we certainly owe the various regiments of volunteers which have so signally reflected credit on our State; through his hands the whole of the Carleton expedition passed, and a great portion of the glory which other officers claim for themselves, properly belongs to him. General Wright has been actuated by a too nice sense of consideration to suit the views of ultraists. And it is that careful scrutiny, slow but certain action, which have led to reflect as great credit on him as a soldier as that earned at the "cannon's month." In command of an important part of the Union, with but a few troops at his disposal, and they scattered hundreds of miles apart, at the outbreak of the rebellion, a hasty action would have precipitated the whole Pacific coast into an intestine war. His cool, calm and considerate judgment never failed him-and we now can weigh the man. True to his profession, unswerving in his devotion to the Federal Government, he never failed in the exercise of his duties. At the same time, he never lost sight of the interests of the people of the Pacific, with whom he has so long been identified-and in him they have ever had a willing and urgent advocate.

SUNDAY LAW. - Senator Haswell has introduced a new Sunday law-amendato to the old one-and it reads thus:

Any person or persons who shall hereafter keep open, on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday, any store, workshop, bar, saloon, banking house, or other place of business, for the purpose of transacting business therein, except as hereafter specifically provided, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and a conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than fifty or more than three hundred

The provisions of this Act shall not apply to the keeping open hotels, boardingouses, restaurants, taverns, barber-shops, bakeries, livery stables, retail drug stores, (for the legitimate business of each,) or such establishments as are necessarily kept in continued operation to accomplish the business thereof; nor to the sale of milk, fresh meats, fresh fish, and vegetables; provided, that the sale of liquors, the playing of cards and billiards, shall not be considered a legetimate business of a hotel, boarding-house, tavern or restaurant, under the provisions of this

BIRTH.

Near Knight's Landing, Jan. 28, the wife of W. W. Davis, of a daughter.

DEATH. At Silverville, Salano county, January 24, LAURA O. STEVENS, aged 3 years,

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CALIFORNIA-GROWN TOBACCO.-We were shown recently specimens of cured leaf-tobacco grown in this State, the con-dition of which shows clearly that the art of curing is now being understood by some of our tobacco growers, and that the hitherto great stumbling block of want of knowledge in that particular will soon be removed. One of the specimens was grown on the Encinal, Alameda county, by J. T Clement, who raised from oneeighth of an acre 250 pounds of wellcured leaf tobacco. This tobacco was raised from James River, Va., and "pear tree' seed, received from the Patent Of-fice. The quality of the tobacco is very good, it being of a fine bright color, and excellent flavor. Owing, however, to Presidential vote of 1860, in this State, excellent flavor. Owing, however, to the plant being permitted to carry all its leaves until harvest, the leaves are small, and better suited for fillers than wrappers for cigars. It would also make very fair quality of plug tobacco for chewing purposes. Another sample, which appears to be of fair quality, was grown from the same seed by Gurney & Wilson, on Grand Island, on the Sacramento river, 35 miles below Sacramento. The same remarks as to quality apply to this sample, with the exception that its color is not as fine as that grown in Alameda county. It certainly is very gratifying to see

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such evidences of progress in raising in this State a staple which has heretofore been considered as being exclusively the product of the slave States on the Atlantic. The total crop grown this year is not known, but it is roughly estimated that over 1,000 acres were planted with tobacco last spring. This was distributed pretty well throughout the different counties of the State, scarcely one of ley National. which, except the entire mountainous counties, but had more or less patches planted, and so far as heard from the result of the crops is considered a complete success. From present indications it seems likely that at least from 4,000 to 5,000 acres will be planted this season, which, if successfully grown, will supply our domestic wants. The price of tobac-co throughout the civilized world has, since the commencement of the rebellion, attained so high a price, and the accumulated surplus of preceding years been entirely exhausted, that the prospect of a continuation of good paying prices may be looked for for several years to come. From the favor in which the raising of

tobacco is held by our farmers, it is to be

expected that within the next two years California will have added the shipping of tobacco to the already long list of exports .- Bulletin.

MORE INDIAN TUOUBLES .- W. Wilson writes us from Cecilville, South Fork of Salmon river, in Klamath county, Jan. 15th, that the miners on Poney creek, a branch of New river, in this county, had just arrived there, having been driven from their claims two days before by a band of thirty Indians. They laid out two nights, and arrived at the crossing of Plummer creek this morning, when they discovered that the Indians were on their track. He learned, while writing, that several Chinamen had been killed at Brown's Bar, six miles below Cecilville, and the inhabitants of the latter place were in constant fear of attack. It was hardly possible for them to receive assistance unless it came from Sawyer's Bar, as the other camps on Salmon and Klamath rivers have no more inhabitants than are required for self-protection. In view of this state of affairs we recommend to the proper authorities the absolute necessity of sending a few hundred more men to Gaston, and the camps in Humboldt county, without delay .- Trin-

FOREHANDED. - The Prince of Wales has a very fair start in the world for a young man. His Cornwall estate has yielded \$3,500,000; his landed property give him an income of \$126,000; Parliament votes him \$550,000 a year while his mother lives, besides \$250,000 for Mrs. Wales to spend. Add to this a very pretty wife and a good prospect of being King of England some day, and the Prince can be considered "forehanded."

ity Journal.

THE PARDON OF RUBERY .- Alfred Rubery was brought up in the United States Circuit Court this morning, to receive the pardon extended him by the President. He looks pale and somewhat dispirited by the imprisonment he has undergone. On being asked if he would accept the condition of the pardon by leaving the country in thirty days, he promised to leave in three .- Bulletin.

THE daughter of a well-known commission merchant in Chicago has instituted a suit against a prominent physician of that city for a breach of promise of marriage-damages \$25,000. Another young lady in Chardon, Wisconsin, has just received a healing plaster for her broken heart in the shape of a verdict of \$10,000 damages against the gay de-

THE farmers in Southern Illinois have been busily engaged for some weeks past in cotton picking on high grounds, where the crops have been little injured by the frost. On the bottom and low lands the crops are totally ruined. Cotton presses are going up in Huron and Jackson coun-ties, and gins are running in every neighborhood.

A BOUNTY of \$1,000 is paid in Newark, New Jersey, to every recruit under the last call for troops. A regiment thus will cost the mere trifle of \$1,000,000.

APPEAL TO PATRIOTS .- We learn through an Eastern exchange that the estate of the late Senator Douglas, at Cottage Grove, a suburb of Chicago, was sold last month, under a foreclosure of mortgage. The total indebtedness was \$83,963, and the property was sold in single lots, at far below its value. The Chicago Times calls upon the State and pation to purchase and vestore to his famnation to purchase and restore to his family the home of the departed Senator .-Here is an opportunity for the numerous friends of the lamented Douglas to show their appreciation of their dead favorite, there are 39,516 Douglas Democrats, and were these to contribute an average of one dollar a head, or even fifty cents, a respectable sum of money could be collected toward purchasing the Douglas property for the family of this good and great man. No man's memory demands more gratitude from California than that of Stephen A. Douglas. The bill admitting us a member of the great Confederacy of States was drafted by Judge Douglas, and in the United States Senate we always had a reliable and an able friend in him. California has never been appealed to in vain for charitable ends; her thousands of dollars have been forwarded to the poverty-stricken of Europe, and her hundreds of thousands have gone to the relief of the maimed soldiers of our army and their otherwise destitute families. Let California gratefully respond to a call upon her for the family of one who deserved well from us .- Grass Val-

A CALIFORNIAN AFTER THE ALABA-MA.—It is reported on what is regarded as pretty good authority, that one of our well known citizens, Captain O. B. Crary, has been tendered the command of one of the new, fast, and heavily armed steamers, built expressly for overhauling and capturing the Alabama, and will leave on the steamer of the 3d of February for New York, to enter at once on the duty assigned him. It is understood that there will be no restriction on the management of the pursuit, but that the Captain will have full authority to follow the pirates to any part of the world and continue the chase until the object is accomplished -Alta.

A FACT .- It will be recollected that two or three years ago a shooting scrape came off at the foot of K street, in which Ned Lloyd was killed. The principal actors in that fight were the two Lloyds, Tom Coleman, Patsey Callaghan, Joe Mc-Gee, and F. N. Smith. Of these six, five have passed from earth, and every one by the hand of violence. Coleman, we be-lieve is still living. There would seem to be a moral in this review—and one so apparent that all must see it .- Bee.

THE annual revenue of Russia is \$221,-871,240, of which \$90,000,000 is obtained from the tax on brandy. How nice it must seem to the Russians in New York to be where the article is free as water.

THE canal for supplying Aurora with water will be thirty five miles long and will cost \$100,000.

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Notice to Contractors.

Sealed Proposals will be received by the Board of Supervisors of Yolo County, at their Office, in Woodland, until the 18th day of February, A. D. 1864, for the erection of a Bridge across Dry Slough, on the Buckeye and Sacramento Road, to be done in accordance with plan and specifications now on file in said office; said work to be paid for in warrants drawn on the County Road Fund—the Board reserving the right to reject any or all of said bids.

By order of the Board of Supervisors, January 18th, 1864.

Jan 23-td

E. GIDDINGS, Clerk.

County Court Notice.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE COUNTY OF YOLO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.—
In the matter of the Petition of S. V. R. VAN

In the matter of the Petition of S. V. R. VAN DUZER, an Insolvent Debtor.
Pursuant to an order of the Hon, J. A. Hutton, Judge of the said County Court, notice is hereby given to all the creditors of the said Insolvent, S. V. R. Van Duzer, to be and appear before the Hon. J. A. Hutton aforesaid, in open Court, at the Court Room of said Court, in the County of Yolo, on the 15th day of February, A. D., 1864, at 10 o'clock A. 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 6th day of January, A. D. 1864.

E. GIDDINGS,
Clerk.

I. N. HOAG, Att'y for Petitioner. jan9-4t

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Dissolution of Co-Partnership.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between Thomas Glascock and Ab-NER BROWNELL is this day dissolved by mu-tual consent, Thomas Glascock having sold out his interest to Abner Brownell, who will continue the Livery Stable Business at the old

Parties indebted to the said firm will please call and settle forthwith; and any one having acounts against said firm will please present them immediately to Abner Brownell, who is alone authorized to settle the same.

THOMAS CLASCOCK,

ABNER BROWNELL. Knight's Landing, January 7, 1864. [j9-4t

Caution to the Public.

HEREBY WARN all persons not to nego-HEREBY WARN all persons not to negotiate for or purchase a certain Promissory Note, which I am missing since December 26th, 1863. Said Note was dated November 3d, 1863, executed to me by one John Martin, of Yolo county, for the sum of \$100, with interest at 2 per cent. per month, and payable to the undersigned, in U.S. gold coin, six months after date.

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Wistar's Lozenges.
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