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### A RESPECTABLE GAME OF POKER.—

It is said that the absconding and defaulting Treasurer of Sacramento destroyed his reputation and fortune by an indulgence in that vice which has ruined so many men in this state—gambling. Bird, who was a poor player at best, acquired an irresistible passion for the game called poker. This game, it seems, is played extensively in Sacramento by some of the most reputable and solid men of that place. It is one of those unobtrusive, quiet games, that can be played as well in a retired bed-chamber as in a spacious club-room; and a few hours sitting is frequently sufficient to divest an unlucky wight of the accumulation of years of frugality and toil. The most dangerous game of poker in Sacramento is one which is confined to a select circle of wellknown citizens. Not being professionals, their game is sought with avidity, and it is considered quite a privilege to get a hand in it. But wo to the man that enters it without being a first rate player. He stands about as much chance of leaving it winner, as a cat escaping Tartarus without claws. By this game the defaulting Treasurer fell, and the public funds were robbed. Bird, as we said, was a very indifferent player, and it is probable that when he first was allured to it, he had no idea of becoming fascinated. But the game is played on a large scale, and bets on "full hands" frequently range as high as two or three thousand dollars at a pop. Possibly Bird had the misfortune in his first sitting to hold "a full" against "fours" and lost a few thousand on the hand. It would not do to quit so much loser, and like many others he played to get even—resolving then to quit the game for good. But the oftener he indulged, the deeper he became involved, until at length he found the term of his office on the point of expiring, with a deficit of \$14,000 in his accounts. He had not the nerve to face the music, nor the courage to confess to his friends and to entreat them to save his honor, so he fled, leaving behind him a heart broken wife and several young children, all to participate in the ineffable disgrace which he had wrought upon himself and them. This is only one of many instances of ruin at "respectable poker" in Sacramento. But few of them ever reach the public eye; hundreds of broken merchants, however, can trace their ruin to that "respectable game." Are there any "respectable" poker circles in this city?—S. F. Call.

THERE is a cockney youth, who, every time he wishes to get a glimpse of his sweetheart, cries "fire" directly under her window. In the alarm of the moment she plunges her head out of the window, and inquires "where?" when he poetically slaps himself on the bosom, and exclaims, "Ere, my Hangelina."

A DISTINGUISHED California divine was asked, after a trip to silver land, what he thought of the country. He replied, "There are but three things in Washoe, sir: big mines, little mines, and whisky shops; in other words, Ophir holes, gopher holes, and loafer holes."

A WINE merchant having sent a sample of wine to Lord Derby, which, he averred, was a specific for the gout, subsequently wrote asking for an order. The Earl replied, presenting his compliments to Mr. —, etc., and begged to say he had tasted the wine sent, but—preferred the gout.

A MAN in California, under sentence of death by hanging, asked the Sheriff the evening previous to the execution: "I say, Mr. Sheriff, at what hour tomorrow is that little affair of mine coming off?"

THERE is a bachelor who says that all he should ask in a wife would be, good temper, good understanding, agreeable physiognomy, figure, good connection, domestic habits, resources of amusement, good spirits, conversational talents, elegant manners and—money! The unreasonable rascal! Isn't there anything more he could think of?

An old bachelor, on seeing the words "families supplied" over the door of an oyster saloon, stepped in, and said he would take a wife and two children.

A DANDY, smoking a cigar, having entered a menagerie, the proprietor requested him to take the weed from his mouth, "lest he should teach the other monkeys bad habits."

WHAT two animals had the least luggage in the ark? The fox and the cock, for they only had a brush and a comb between them.

A GRAVE friend of ours tells us that he and his wife always go to bed quarrelling. And yet, said he, with all our differences, we never fall out.

### A DIFFICULT QUESTION ANSWERED.—

"Can any one," says Fanny Fern, "tell me why, when Eve was manufactured from one of Adam's ribs, a hired girl was not made at the same time to wait on her." We can, easy: Because Adam never came whining to Eve with a ragged stocking to be darned, a collar string to be sewed on, or a glove to mend "right away, quick, now!" Because he never read the newspaper until the sun had got down behind the palm trees, and then, stretching himself out, yawned out, "ain't supper most ready, my dear?" Not he! He made the fire, and hung the kettle over it himself, we will venture, and pulled the radishes and peeled the potatoes, and did everything else he ought to. He milked the cows, fed the chickens, and looked after the pigs himself. He never brought half a dozen friends home to dinner when Eve hadn't any fresh pomegranates, and the mango season was over! He never stayed but til eleven o'clock to a ward meeting, hurrahing for an out and out candidate, and then scolded because Eve was sitting up and caying inside the gates. He never played billiards, rolled tenpins, and drove fast horses, nor choked Eve with cigar smoke. He never loafed around corner groceries while Eve was rocking little Cain's cradle at home. In short, he didn't think she was especially created for the purpose of waiting on him, and was not under the impression that it disgraced a man to lighten a wife's cares a little. That's the reason that Eve did not need a hired girl, and with it was the reason that her fair descendants did.

### HEAVY PERFORMANCE.—

The Medical and Surgical Journal gives the following account of a woman who gave birth to eight children "at one operation." On the 2d of August, Mrs. Timothy Bradlee of Trumbull county, Ohio, gave birth to eight children, three boys and five girls. They are living, and are healthy, but are quite small. Mr. Bradlee was married six years ago to Eunice Mowory, who weighed 237 pounds on the day of her marriage. She has given birth to two pairs of twins and now eight more, making twelve children in six years. Mrs. Bradlee was a triplet, her mother and father both being twins, and her grandmother the mother of five pair of twins.

### A MISTAKE.—

Charles to the altar led the lovely Jane, and to her father's house returned again, where, to convey them on their wedding tour, already stood a brilliant coach and four. When lo! the gathering showers at once descended, cloud rolls on cloud, and warning winds contend; this moves him not, but in his hands his bride, and seats himself enraptured by her side; when thus to cheer the fair one he begun: "I hope we soon shall have a little sun." But she, to whom the weather gave no pain, who heeded not the blast nor pattering rain, but most about her future state bethought her, replied, "My dear, I'd rather have a daughter."

### TO REMOVE HORSES IN CASE OF FIRE.

The great difficulty of getting horses from a stable is well known. A gentleman whose horses had been in great peril from such a cause, having in vain tried to save them, hit upon the experiment of having the harness put upon them, when, to his joy, they were led from the stable without difficulty.

### THE Chicago Journal says:—

A quiet sort of an individual, lately, being asked what he would drink, replied—"A Vicksburg Punch, and put a little Meade in it." Of course the reasonable request was Grant-ed.

### "You have played the deuce with my heart,"

said a gentleman to a young lady who was his partner in a game of whist. "Well," replied the lady, with an arch smile, "it was because you played the knave."

### WHEN a married man pays more attention to his wife's cousin than to his wife,

it is a certain sign that the cousin's visit has been long enough.

### WHENEVER I find a great deal of gratitude in a poor man, I take it for granted that there would be as much generosity if he were a rich man.—Cullen.

### WHY is it easier to be a clergyman than a physician? Because it is easier to preach than to practice.

BROWN says that though "brevity is the soul of wit," it is "no joke" to be short on change. Brown knows.

### AN old toper says the most precious things now included in hoops are girls and kegs of whiskey.

### WHERE money is, there is the devil; and where no money is, there he is twice over.

### A GOOD STORY.—

A merchant of Munich, having obtained a large fortune, gave each of his three daughters a considerable sum and married them to three brothers, sons of a worthy man of Hamburg. He reserved to himself a large capital, and his sons-in-law employed all their efforts to induce him to give it to them. At last, by flattery and demonstrations of affection, they got hold of the old man's money. From that time they began to show indifference and at last totally neglected him. The old man was very wretched, and what was worse, very poor. One day his youngest daughter went to see him. In the course of the conversation she suggested to him that he might gain the good will of her and her sister's husbands by pretending to be still rich. The old man, seeing the idea a good one, determined at once to act on it. He went to a friend of his, a banker, and obtained an advance of money, and the loan of a service of plate.

The next day he invited his sons-in-law to dinner. They were astonished to find a service of plate on the table, and still more so when the servant brought the old man a letter, and he exclaimed: "What, let my old friend be embarrassed for ten thousand florins?" And he went and got that sum from his strong box, saying, "There, take that to your master! You see," said he, "I am still rich!" The sons-in-law were confounded, and each with great earnestness pressed the old man to go and live with him, promising that he should receive every attention and everything he could possibly wish for. But the old man laid down his conditions—that he should have his own apartments, and domestics, and a certain sum placed at his disposal. To this his sons-in-law eagerly consented.

For some time the old man lived comfortably enough: and wherever he went he took the precaution to carry with him his strong box, which was very heavy. A little while ago he fell ill. His sons-in-law pressed him to make his will, but he said his intention was to divide the contents of his strong box equally between them and a friend, and that he and his executors should have a key.

Not long since he died. By a writing which he left behind him he directed that the box should not be opened until five days after his interment, that he should be buried with the greatest pomp, and that each poor man in the town should receive a new suit of clothes and a florin.

At last the day of opening the strong box arrived. The sons-in-law to their mortification found, not as they had expected, money and securities to a large amount, but lead and stone.

### WHAT A MIRACLE IS.—

A priest in Ireland, having preached a sermon on miracles, was asked by one of his congregation, walking homeward, to explain a little more lucidly "what a miracle meant?"

"Is it a miracle you want to understand?" said the priest. "Walk then forinst me, and I think I can explain it to you."

The man walked on, and the priest came after him and gave him a tremendous kick.

"Ugh!" roared the sufferer, "why did you do that?"

"Did you fall it?" asked the priest.

"To be sure I did," answered the man.

"Well, then, it would have been a miracle if you had not," returned the priest.

### AN INTELLIGENT DOG.—

There is a dog near North Beach, who every morning meets the carrier of the Morning Call to get the paper for his master, Mr. Iredale. The other morning having missed the carrier, he was determined not to go home empty mouthed—empty handed we were about to say—he therefore proceeded to the house of a Mr. Barrow, opposite the hospital, where the paper had been stuck in the casement of the door at a considerable height, sprang up, and seizing it in his mouth bore it off in triumph to his master, who had, however, already been supplied by the carrier.—Republic.

### A YOUNG man in California, whose friends at home neglected to write to him for a long time, adopted the expedient of sending letters to various business men in the neighborhood, inquiring the price of land and stock, what he could buy a handsome farm of two or three hundred acres for, &c., intimating that he had large sums to invest. By return mail he received no less than seven letters, all anxiously inquiring after his health, when he was coming home, etc., and he has had three or four by every mail since, including some very warm ones from an old and very cold sweetheart.

### CHLORODORM is recommended as excellent for scolding wives. A husband who has tried it says, "no family should be without it."

### ONE of our smart Boston lawyers was surprised the other day, by an old lady entering his office leading a vicious looking youth. She said:

"Squire, I called to see if you would like to take this boy and make a lawyer of him."

"The boy appears very young, madam," replied the lawyer. "How old is he?"

"Seven years, Sir."

"He is too young, decidedly too young. Have you no older boys?"

"Oh, yes, sir, I have several; but we have concluded to make farmers of them. I told my husband I thought this little feller would make a first rate lawyer, and so I called to see if you would take him."

"No, madam, he is too young yet to commence the study of the profession.—But why do you think this boy any better calculated for a lawyer than your other sons?"

"Why, you see, sir, he is just seven years old to day; when he was only five he'd lie like all nature, when he got to be six, he was sassy and impudent as any critter could be; and now he'll steal everything he can lay his hands on!" And if these aint good traits for a lawyer I am deceived.

### SOME one not otherwise profitably employed, pays the following compliment to the fair sex. Of its justness let readers determine:

"Calico is a great promoter of laziness. If young men wish to accomplish anything of moment, either with head or hand, they must keep clear of the institution entirely. A pair of sweet lips, a pink waist, a swelling chest, and a pressure or two of delicate hands, will as much unhorse a man as three fevers, the measles, a large seized whooping cough, a pair of lock-jaws, several hydrophobias, and the doctor's bill.

### THE most poetical thing is often the most literally true. A little girl in Yorkshire, England, when water was scarce, saved as much rain as she could, and sold it to a washerwoman for a cent a bucket, and in this way cleared nearly five dollars for the Missionary Society. When she brought it to the secretary of the society she was not willing to tell her name. "But I must put down where the money came from," said he. "Call it then," replied the little girl, "rain from heaven."

### WORTH KNOWING.—

Green copperas dissolved in water, will effectually concentrate and destroy the foulest smells, and if placed under a bed in hospital and sick room, will render the atmosphere free and pure. For butcher's stalls, fish markets, sinks, and wherever there are offensive putrid gasses, dissolved copperas sprinkled about, will in a day or two purify the atmosphere, and an application once a week will keep it sweet and healthy.

### HERE is something which young men with small salaries should consider: Let a man have a genius for spending, and whether his income be a dollar a day or dollar a minute, it is equally certain to prove inadequate. The man who, being single, does not save money on six dollars a week, will not be apt to on sixty; and he who does not lay up something in the first year of independent exertion, will be pretty apt to wear a poor man's hair into his grave.

### PRENTICE gives as a reason for saying that the wind is feminine, that it is fickle and generally has a new shift every day. We have seen men who would not be injured by a little of that kind of fickleness.

### AN English writer says, in his advice to young married women, that their mother Eve married a gardener. Some one wittily remarked that it might be added that the gardener, in consequence of the match, lost his situation.

### "PAT, if Mr. Jones comes before my return, tell him that I will meet him at 2 o'clock."

"Ay, ay, sir; but what shall I tell him if he don't come?"

### A MAN who cannot command his temper, his attention, and his countenance, should not think of being a man of business.

### LIFE is a casket, not precious in itself, but valuable in proportion to what fortune, or industry, or virtue has placed in it.

### THE Pacific ocean covers seventy-eight millions of square miles; the Atlantic, twenty-five millions.

### "PICKETS are chaps sent out to horry tobacker of the enemy, and to see if the rebels has got a pass."

### MISS MENKEN, now playing in San Francisco, is said to outstage any actress on the stage.



**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 acknowledgement and record.

**Justices Blanks.**

Blank Affidavits, Undertakings, Writs of Attachment and Writs, under the NEW LAW, for sale at this Office.

**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.**—On Monday next the Board of Supervisors will meet at Woodland.

**CALIFORNIA HOPS** sold at the Bay last week for 30 cents.

**SOME fine raisins** have been made near Folsom from the Fihersagos grape.

**A SALT factory** has been established on the Shasta river, four miles from Yreka.

**THE Polish Committee** of San Francisco has received the sum of \$6,000.

**THE Cumberland Coal Company**, at Cloverdale, Sonoma county, have a superior vein of mineral.

**RICH D. H. DIGGS** has been held to answer for using treasonable language on the streets of San Francisco.

**THERE** were seventy thoroughbreds on exhibition at the Stockton cattle show, which are valued at \$40,000.

**THE great volcano** on the island of Hawaii was remarkably active during August, and had been visited by a large number of Honoluluans.

**A PARTY** of three Marysvillians, who went quail hunting, killed 200 of these birds on Grand Island, near Colusa, in one day.

**NAPA City** is the place fixed upon for holding the fair of the San Pablo District Society, for 1864.

**THE total profits** of the Ladies' Fair lately held in Virginia City for the Catholic Church of that place, amounted to the sum of \$4,538 45.

**ACCORDING** to the French liberal organ, *L'opinion Nationale*, England, Spain and Austria are opposed to Napoleons Mexican schemes, or at least distrustful.

**THE shipments** of treasure from California to the East since January 1st., 1853, amount to \$33,655,952—an excess of \$4,329,224 over the same period last year.

**THE rush** of people to the Arizona placers continues, but it is said to be unsafe for small parties to travel and work by themselves, on account of the Apaches.

**THE Aurora Times** says that Esmeralda district contains millions upon millions of tons of ore that will yield \$112 per ton.

**PRISONERS.**—The Federal authorities now hold about 80,000 rebel prisoners of war—more than half of them paroled and at home. While the rebels have some 30,000 of our men as prisoners in their hands.

**THE taxable property** in San Francisco this year foots up \$77,121,966—showing an increase of \$10,565,310 over last year. The property exempted from taxation amounts to \$2,710,325. The total tax for the State and local purposes is 2 1/2 per cent, which will realize \$1,134,000.

**GAME ALL AROUND.**—The editor of the Downieville Democrat offers to fight his chicken, Dick, a one year old chap, against any other "shicken" of Dick's age, for one hundred dollars. Newspaper business must be improving in Downieville.

**JOHN F. Tuttemeyer** commenced suit in the Fourth District Court, on Monday, against Samuel P. Hensley and Phineas Banning, owners of the Ada Hancock, for 30,000 damages. He was on board that vessel when her boiler exploded, and was badly smashed up.

**SOLDIER MURDERED.**—A soldier named Charles Thompson, belonging to Company A, Oregon Cavalry, was murdered near the garrison, Walla Walla, on the night of September 16th. He was stabbed in the neck three times with a dirk or butcher knife, one of the cuts severing the carotid artery. A soldier named Kelly has been arrested on suspicion of committing the murder.

**THE telegraphic news** of the week are so unimportant that we have omitted the usual selection of dispatches. Nothing has been heard from Charleston. The opposing armies in Virginia seem to confine themselves to watching each other, both having detailed large forces to reinforce their respective sides in Georgia and Tennessee. Rosecranz holds a well entrenched position a few miles south of Chattanooga, from which, it is said, he can not be dislodged. Meanwhile reinforcements are poured into his lines, which soon, it is anticipated, will enable him to resume the offensive and march into Georgia. In the Knoxville region East Tennesseans are flocking around the old flag to such an extent, that Gen. Burnside, in a few days, recruited seven infantry and one cavalry regiment, and the word is, that "still they come!" From Knoxville an expedition has been sent into Southwestern Virginia, from which important results are expected.

**THE FAIR.**—The Sacramento papers devote a large space of their columns to the State Fair, and from what we read we should judge that the fair has proved a decided success. The receipts up to Thursday night were \$11,073 50.

**SAN JOSE RAILROAD.**—The San Jose Patriot remarks:

The railroad depot is near completion. It is a massive and exceedingly strong brick structure, 40 feet wide by 150 feet long, having, besides, a platform 20-feet wide, made of solid timbers resting on brick columns, extending around the entire building. The brick walls are 17 inches thick. The floor is made of the best material, and the timbers are so strong that they will support safely all the freight that can be stored in the depot. The rafters and joists are admirably secured and braced together. There are 14 large windows and 10 double doors leading out to the platform. At the southwest corner of the depot a space of 24 feet by 15 is partitioned off for an office and bedroom.

South of the depot and just across the track the foundations are being prepared for the erection of a frame building, to be in size 20 by 45 feet, which will be divided into waiting or sitting rooms, ticket and baggage office; and adjoining it will be erected a ladies' dressing room. A short walk further brought us to the railroad bridge across the Guadalupe river. It is a wooden structure, 120 feet long, resting upon wooden buttresses, and seems to be very strongly constructed. In a month or so the shrill whistle of the car will resound through our valley.

**A PRACAS ON THE HENNES PASS ROUTE.**—We learn that a serious altercation occurred at one of the stations on this route yesterday, between one of the drivers, named Scott, and a hostler called Jack. Some dispute was occasioned by the driver telling him that a horse had not been cleaned properly, to which he took exceptions. Words passed between them and the hostler picked up a rock which he let fly at the driver's head, striking him over the temple and producing a fracture of the skull an inch in length. It is not known as yet whether the wound will prove fatal or not. Dr. Spiller, of this city, happened to be coming from Marysville at the time, and immediately gave his services. If the hostler has not already made good his escape, chastisement has probably by this time been dealt to him.—*Virg. City Union, Sept. 25th.*

**GEN. GILMORE's father** is still living in Lorraine county, Ohio, where the General was born. The old gentleman was recently present and made a speech at a Sunday school picnic. He said, among other things:

I can say of my son Quarts that he never disobeyed me; he was very studious, and when he wanted to go to West Point, as he had no money, I told him if he would go and try to come out at the head of the class, I would furnish him money. He went, and came out at the head of his class, and is now before Charleston, where I hope he will come out at the head of his class again.

**ROBBING CHINAMEN.**—On the 26th of Sept., on the north fork of Humbug Creek, two men entered a cabin in which were eight Chinamen, tied their tails together and cut them with knives until they delivered up their money. The Johns forked over after a few slashes. The robbers got \$350.

**WATER AND MORALS.**—A very slight declivity suffices to give the running motive to water. Three inches per mile, in a smooth, straight channel, gives a velocity of about three miles per hour. Now, what is true of water is equally true of morals. The best of men only need a slight push from adversity to obtain a downhill momentum. Be careful, therefore, how you lose your equilibrium.

**THE candidates** for the two vacant seats in the United States Senate in Missouri are John B. Henderson, gradual emancipationist; John S. Phelps, who belongs to what is termed the "clay-bank" faction; B. Gratz Brown, "charcoal," or immediate emancipationist, and Gen. Ben. Loan, formerly a War Democrat, but at present very uncertain.

**The Siege of Charleston—Why the Shelling was discontinued.**

A gentleman recently from Morris Island, where he had unusual facilities for observation and gathering information, has communicated to us a variety of interesting facts connected with the siege of Charleston, which throw much light on the state of affairs there. He informs us that the reason why General Gilmore did not continue his bombardment of Charleston with the "Greek fire" shells, was because the shells sent were ignited on the percussion principle, and being discharged from a gun elevated at an angle of thirty-eight degrees, took their flight at the same angle, with a longitudinal rotary motion, base downward, and therefore struck base downward instead of upon the percussion end, and did not explode. Only two are known to have exploded—one which fell into a warehouse, and another which fell in a street.

This peculiar motion and descent of the shell was a new discovery in artillery practice, then for the first time made, and the ordnance department was not furnished with a remedy for the unlooked for contingency. To this fact alone Charleston owes the delay of the hour of its doom. Time fuses, which will set matters all right, were at once sent for, and have doubtless arrived at Morris Island before this, and very likely Charleston is at this moment experiencing the dreadful effects of a shower of Greek fire shells, fifteen hundred of which have been ordered for the bombardment of the nest of treason. The gun from which the shells were first fired was a 200 pound Parrot, which can throw a shell no less than seven miles, when aimed at an angle of forty five degrees.

The first shells went over Charleston, the gun being aimed at too sharp an angle. Gen. Gilmore has no less than thirty Parrot guns mounted that will throw shells plump into Charleston. Also, that the use of Greek fire shells to bombard the rebel stronghold was personally ordered by President Lincoln. The Greek fire burns for twenty minutes. It will burn on the water as well as on land, and each shell covers a surface of one hundred square feet with flame. The shell bursts into about one hundred and twenty pieces, or ten times as many as the ordinary shell. Of course, the effect of these shells will be to set Charleston in flames, which nothing can subdue.

In addition to the Greek fire shells, a large quantity of improved shrapnel shells made by the inventor of the Greek fire shell, and containing from five hundred to one thousand bullets each, have been sent to Morris Island, to be transferred thence into the rebellious city in a manner not very comfortable to the enemy. These shells are fired with time fuses, and are very destructive of life. The celebrated 300 pound Parrott gun which Gilmore has weighs twenty seven thousand pounds. It took two thousand men nine nights to get the monster into position, the drag beams braking down seven nights in succession, the enemy shelling the party all the while, and men being killed nightly. Nothing was done with it by day, the gun being covered with bushes to conceal it from the enemy's fire.

The diameter of the bore is ten inches, the charge of powder twenty five pounds, and the shell that goes out of it is as high as a flour barrel, weighs three hundred pounds, and contains seventeen pounds of mortar powder. The execution of one of these shells on Sumter, is considered equal to three 200 pound shells. But two of these immense rifled guns have been made, although twenty more have been ordered for the navy. Gen. Gilmore at first had only one, but another has just been sent to him. The 300 pounder when it exploded was in charge of an infantry captain, who had never fired a cannon before in his life. He was cautioned that some accident would happen if he was not very careful.

On the 25th round, the shell, containing seventeen pounds powder, was filled, the percussion fuse was screwed half way down, and could not be got any further, when the captain said, "Let it go at that." The consequence was, that when discharged the fire was communicated down the thread to the shell, causing the latter to explode before it left the gun, and breaking off twenty inches of the muzzle. The gun was repaired and got ready for use again in two days. It burst on Friday at 12 o'clock, and was fired again on Sunday as well as ever. These guns have been fired with forty pounds of powder, and sent a ball through nine inches of wrought iron plates and two feet of oak timber, by which the iron was backed. It has also sent a ball through twenty six feet of earth.—*Eastern paper.*

**REESE RIVER.**—A Placerville dispatch says: "The Reese River mining fever is raging here throughout the county very violently. The exodus exceeds any thing of the kind since the Frazer River excitement." News from across the mountains says: "Considerable alarm is entertained at the prospect of a probable scarcity of provisions this season at Reese River, and not without some foundation. Competent persons say that not more than one-fifth of the teams now on the road are loaded with provisions, the remaining four-fifths carrying lumber, liquor, fruit, and many things of a vicious or useless character."

**Vote for Governor.**

[As far as heard from.]

COUNTIES.	Low.	Downey.
*Alameda.....	1,404	804
*Amador.....	2,245	2,064
*Butte.....	1,876	1,490
*Calaveras.....	2,259	2,021
*Colusa.....	480	563
*Contra Costa.....	1,064	534
Del Norte.....	.....	.....
*El Dorado.....	3,110	1,139
*Fresno.....	83	378
Humboldt.....	502	196
*Klamath.....	204	199
†Lake.....	164	223
*Los Angeles.....	712	982
Marin.....	100 mj	.....
*Mariposa.....	835	921
Mendocino.....	632	571
*Merced.....	95	329
Mono.....	997	679
†Monterey.....	522	507
*Napa.....	898	660
*Nevada.....	2,882	1,756
*Placer.....	2,041	1,546
*Plumas.....	1,270	765
*Sacramento.....	3,553	1,944
San Bernardino.....	50 mj	.....
San Diego.....	116	32
*San Francisco.....	9,261	5,452
*San Joaquin.....	1,981	1,473
*San Luis Obispo.....	260	239
†San Mateo.....	834	340
*Santa Barbara.....	481	143
*Santa Clara.....	2,034	1,525
*Santa Cruz.....	904	403
*Shasta.....	936	617
*Sierra.....	2,380	1,303
†Siskiyou.....	1,042	989
*Solano.....	1,521	1,124
*Sonoma.....	1,700	1,712
Stanislaus.....	.....	56 mj
†Sutter.....	718	679
*Tehama.....	533	453
Trinity.....	785	604
Tulare.....	625	553
†Tuolumne.....	564	595
*Yolo.....	865	768
*Yuba.....	1,989	1,393
Soldiers Vote (incompl)	652	24
Total.....	58,279	41,758

Low's present majority is 16,521.  
\* Official. † Complete.

**CAMP MEETING INCIDENT.**—Among the number who attended the Camp Meeting at Trimble's Crossing, Bear river, on Sunday last, was a young man of prepossessing appearance, whose heart was somewhat affected by a pair of bright eyes carried about by a young fair maiden on the grounds. He put out his horse and spent several hours in company with the fond loved one. At last he proposed that she should accompany him on a drive beyond the camp grounds, where they would be afforded a better opportunity to give utterance to the sentiments of their hearts. No sooner was the proposition made than an agreement was entered into and the young gallant was soon on his way in search of his horse. After anxious enquiries for the "bob tail black" he was directed to an animal answering such a description, and although the horse seemed smaller than the one he had driven out, still he reconciled himself with the belief that his vision had become somewhat confused, and he drove the animal to the spot where an anxious loved one was impatiently awaiting his arrival. Having taken in his precious cargo, he drove off on the proposed excursion, with fond hope and the most extravagant anticipation. Soon the alarm was sounded around the camp ground that a horse had been stolen. Yes, a stranger had actually stolen a valuable "bob tail black" The owner became enraged and the more the matter was agitated the more general became the excitement. Soon a number of persons were on their horses and volunteered to pursue the horse thief. They started off with the firm determination to overtake the scoundrel at all hazards. After a vigorous application of spurs and traversing several roads they suddenly came upon the object of their search, and made a peremptory demand for him to surrender. The young man, not understanding their mission, continued his journey, until one of the horsemen rode up and, seizing the bridle of the "bob tail black," demanded the surrender of the whole establishment, "gal and all." The young gallant remonstrated in vain. The return of the party with their captives was but the work of a few moments.—Their arrival upon the grounds was sounded among the faithful ones, and our hero was looked upon by a gazing multitude as "the man who stole the horse."

The matter was soon explained, however, as it was found he had taken the wrong horse, through mistake the animal much resembling his own. The arresting parties apologized, the young man was relieved of his troubles, the girl dried up her tears, and the couple concluded they "might be happy yet."—*Marysv. Exp., Sept. 29.*

**New Advertisements.**

**Notice to Creditors.**

**Estate of Ran-ome St. John—deceased.**  
NOTICE is hereby given by the undersigned, administratrix of the above named estate, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers, within ten months from the first publication of this notice, to the undersigned, at her residence at Knight's Landing, or to her Attorney, C. P. Sprague, at his office at Woodland, Yolo county.  
September 26th, 1863.  
ELLEN ST. JOHN,  
Administratrix.

**New Advertisements.**

**NOTICE.**

**LIST of persons, the valuation** of whose property has been added to by the Board of Equalization:  
Colbert St. Louis—Raised from \$1,320 to \$5,000.  
Wadsworth Hodgdon—Raised on personal property from \$1,105 to \$2,105, and on improvements from \$3,000 to \$3,500.  
By order of the Board  
E. GIDDINGS, Clerk.  
September 15, 1863. o3-4t

**Notice to Creditors.**

**Estate of Margaret Possey—deceased.**  
NOTICE is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the above named estate, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against said estate, to exhibit the same with the necessary vouchers, within ten months from the first publication of this notice, to the undersigned at his residence in Yolo county.  
September 25th., 1863.  
H. B. WOOD,  
Administrator. o3-4t

**Notice to Creditors.**

**Estate of L. R. Hopkins—deceased.**  
NOTICE is hereby given by the undersigned administratrix of the above named estate, to the creditors and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit the same with the necessary vouchers, within ten months from the first publication of this notice, at her residence in Woodland, Yolo county, State of California.  
MARY ANN P. HOPKINS,  
Administratrix. o3-4t

**Notice to Creditors.**

**Estate of Peter Boyd—deceased.**  
NOTICE is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the above named estate, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit the same with the necessary vouchers, within ten months from the first publication of this notice, to the undersigned at his residence in Yolo county, State of California.  
Woodland, September 26th, 1863.  
RICHARD SMITH,  
Administrator of said estate. o3-4t

**SPECIAL NOTICES**

**Dr. HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS.**  
The stomach is the fountain head of scores of diseases which infest the human system. Indigestion, bad enough per se, generates diarrhoea, dysentery, faintness, vertigo, palpitation of the heart, general debility, &c. Get rid of it, then, at once, by going through a course of **Dr. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters.**  
A palatable and refreshing preparation, which as surely relieves all complaints of the stomach and its dependencies, as the sunshine melts the snow. A course of the medicine may not be necessary. One bottle frequently accomplishes a complete cure.—Sold by all Druggists and dealers everywhere.  
HOSTETTER, SMITH & DEAN,  
s12-1m Sole Agents, San Francisco.

**IN CALLING ATTENTION TO DOCTOR**  
*Guyssot's Improved Extract of Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla*, we feel confident that we are doing a service to all who are afflicted with *Serofulous* and other disorders, originating in *hereditary taint*, or from *impurity of the blood*. We have known instances, within the sphere of our acquaintance, where the most formidable distempers have been cured by the use of *Guyssot's Extract of Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla* alone.  
It is one of the few advertised medicines that cannot be stigmatized with quackery, for the "Yellow Dock" and the "Sarsaparilla" are well known to be the most efficient, (and at the same time, innoxious) agents in the whole *Materia Medica*, and by far the best and purest preparation of them is *Dr. Guyssot's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla*.  
See advertisement.  
HOSTETTER, SMITH & DEAN,  
s12-1m Sole Agents, San Francisco.

**Rheumatism**  
Has meta coaguer at last.  
Sweet's Infalible Liniment is warranted under a forfeiture of \$500, to cure the most obstinate case of Rheumatism in twenty days (it will do it, however, in less than half that time), and as a universal external remedy is unrivalled by any preparation before the public. No family should be without this truly valuable remedy, for it has thoroughly proved itself to be a friend in need. Sold by all Druggists.  
HOSTETTER, SMITH & DEAN,  
s12-1m Sole Agents San Francisco.

**A WORD TO THE AGED.**—In the decline of life the loss of vital force consequent upon physical decay, can only be safely supplied by some vivifying preparation which recovers its strength and spirits, without entailing the exhaustion which is always the final effect of ordinary stimulants. We tender to the aged

**Dr. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters**  
As an invigorant and restorative, immediate in its beneficial action and permanent in its effect. It tones the stomach, improves the appetite, acts like a charm upon the spirits. For dyspepsia, oppression after eating, bilious cholera, wind cholera, spasms of the stomach, sick or nervous head-ache, chills and fever, tremors, prostration, and all the complaints special to the feeble sex, the Bitters are earnestly recommended by thousands who have witnessed their superior efficacy in such cases. Sold by all Druggists and dealers everywhere.  
HOSTETTER, SMITH & DEAN,  
s12-1m Sole Agents San Francisco.

**PREMIUM Peaches**, put up by M. S. King at Sacramento, for sale at Raveley's  
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**FISTIANA—THE BENICIA BOY.**—The subjoined item from the letter of a London correspondent of one of our journals, shows that the old Benicia Boy is still alive, and up for business:

The coming fight between King and Heenan is a subject of deep interest here. A report was raised that the great American champion was dangerously ill. I can assure you it was an utter falsehood. Heenan is in prime condition; and, for my part, I shouldn't like to be in King's shoes, if there be fair play this time.

There was a pretty fight, the other day, between a game little Irishman from Limerick, Jim Dillon, and the famous nigger pet of the English, Bob Travers. It was beautifully fought and well contested. The nigger had splendid training and science, and scarcely missed a blow; but the magnificent pith and power of endurance of the Irishman prevailed in the end. After nearly two hours' fighting they were interrupted by the police. The battle was renewed, and Dillon left the field fresh and a conqueror—the darkey was carried off with a broken rib, and arms he could scarcely lift up.

The Bob Travers, alluded to above, was, I think, a New Yorker, and known, while a resident here, as the Fulton Market nigger. He subsequently died of the injuries received in the fight with Dillon, a result which has set a portion of the London press howling over the barbarity of the ring. It is only when a fight has terminated fatally that the Londoners are thus virtuously indignant. At most other times the details of a ring fight, even to the minutest disgusting particular, form one of the main attractions of their journals.

**THE HOMESTEAD ACT.**—As there seems to be quite a misunderstanding as to the bearing of the Homestead Act upon the right of pre-emption under former acts, we have obtained the following information from the Commissioner of the General Land Office, upon which all the decisions of that office are based. When a party has made an actual location, by pre-emption or otherwise, in virtue of a bounty land warrant, he can not lift the land warrant and enter under the Homestead Act, because, having elected to satisfy his claim to a specific tract of land by the location of a warrant, he must abide by his own act. A pre-emptor who has filed a declaratory patent cannot convert his pre-emption into a homestead claim. A provision in the sixth section of the homestead law of May 20, 1862, is specific on this point, in declaring that all persons have a right to make the exchange if they have filed their declaratory patents prior to the passage of the act of May 20, 1862. Where the parties have filed since the passage of the law, they have no right to make the exchange, and consequently when any person abandons his pre-emption, the land is freely open to the first homestead settler that may apply for it.—*New York Tribune.*

The Chattanooga Rebel of August 22d, tells that on the day previous, while all was peace and quiet in that fortified town, while no one was expecting a foe at hand, in the calm stillness of the morning of Friday August 21st, Rosecranz sent booming into the city a few harbingers of his coming, in the shape of shells, whereupon the noncombatants began to move southward, and the military people made haste to start after them. But the rebel editor sat his ground, for he writes up his article thus:

"And here we sit, quite as rebellious as ever, dropping our ink drops in the ear of the foe, as he drops his shells into, we were about almost to say our own. Howbeit, we shall stand our ground as best we may; therefore, as the man said in the play, 'Have at ye all.' Rack on and do your worst, Rosecranz and gang mongrel, puppy, whelp and hound. The mountains are on fire! There are freemen in the crags. There are rifles among the pines. Come on, therefore, thou canine epitome—

"and we will cudgel thee, Like to a jelly that cats refuse to lick."

The Rebel, at this writing, is about the only public institution left in the almost deserted and once proud martial city of Chattanooga. Every other is on the wing, and probably still fancy that the shells are after them. We are left alone in our glory. Alone with our types—that silent myriad army, whose true metal never flinched nor blanched before the despot wrong. The indulgent reader will excuse our scantiness of costume and material, and will of course applaud our temerity in flaunting a few more Rebel sheets defiantly in the very face of the foe. Like the mouse in the fable, we shall continue to sport our diminutive proportions in the lair of the Abolition lion, and tickle his ear with a few of our opinions about himself and his master, Lincoln, generally."

**MOTION DENIED.**—In the U. S. District Court in San Francisco, in the case of the United States vs. Henry Brigham, whose vessel was confiscated as the property of a traitor, a motion was made by counsel for defense that a portion of the vessel should be devoted towards paying the expenses of the master and his family during the progress of the trial, but was denied by Judge Hoffman.

**THE GREAT MATCH RACE**

**FOR 3,000 DOLLARS**  
Between the  
**Adam's Black Colt "CHOCKTAW"**  
FROM CACHE CREEK  
And the  
**Oregon Mare "AMANDA"**

**DISTANCE 500 YARDS**

**WILL BE RUN ON SATURDAY**  
**The 24th day of October, 1863,**  
AT THE

**KNIGHT'S LANDING RACE COURSE.**  
A. S. HUGHES,  
Proprietor.

N.B.—Good accommodations for Race Horses.  
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**UNION STATE TICKET.**

**State Judicial Ticket.**

**Election.....October 21, 1863.**

For Judges of the Supreme Court,  
O. L. SHAFER, of Alameda,  
LORENZO SAWYER, of San Francisco.  
S. W. SANDERSON, of El Dorado.  
JOHN GURREY, of San Francisco.  
A. L. RHODES, of Santa Clara.  
For Superintendent of Public Instruction,  
JOHN SWETT, of San Francisco.

**Yolo County Union Ticket.**

Judge Sixth Judicial District,  
J. H. KCKUNE.  
For County Judge,  
J. A. HUTTON.

**THE DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET.**

**State Judicial Ticket.**

**Election.....October 21, 1863.**

For Judges of the Supreme Court,  
ROYAL T. SPRAGUE, of Shasta,  
W. T. WALLACE, of Santa Clara.  
J. B. HALL, of San Joaquin.  
TOD ROBINSON, of Sacramento.  
H. H. HAIGHT, of San Francisco.  
For Superintendent of Public Instruction,  
A. J. MOULDER, of San Francisco.

**Yolo County Ticket.**

For County Judge,  
J. T. DALY.

**W. J. PRATHER,**



**DENTIST.**

**TEETH** neatly and substantially filled with pure gold, or cheoplasty, or amalgam, at reduced prices. Also, all kinds of plate work on the most approved style. Particular attention paid to all diseases of the teeth, and Palatine Obstructions inserted.

Office at Woodland, Yolo County.

Dr. Prather will visit persons at their residences and perform operations if desired.

Address Woodland Post Office, Yolo Co.

N. B.—All work done will be warranted.  
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**TAKE NOTICE!**

**LUMBER! LUMBER! LUMBER!**

—AND—

**POSTS,**

Of all kinds, can be obtained at the

**KNIGHT'S LANDING LUMBER YARD.**

**THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING OPENED** a Lumber Yard at the above place, is now prepared to sell all kinds of Posts and Lumber at the same price as furnished in Sacramento.

The facilities I have for furnishing Lumber at the prices, is accounted for by my having my own steamer and barges.

I would call the attention of those wanting Lumber or Posts, to call and examine before purchasing elsewhere.

CAPT. TRUEWORTHY,  
Knight's Landing.  
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**NEWS DEALERS**

**AND BOOKSELLERS.**

**READ AND REMEMBER!**

**WHAT** I have taken up the combination of Book Dealers in this city, and now sell our paper covered New Novels at the

**Old Rates of 15 and 30 Cents,**

of which I have a large and well assorted stock of the latest Publications, by the Best Authors, just arrived.

**JOHN STRATMAN,**

**Wholesale News Dealer,**

Packs and forwards all the Daily and Weekly Newspapers, Magazines, etc., to all parts of the country, with great dispatch.

**I sell at Prices that defy Competition.**

I have special arrangements with all the different Publishers and stationers in the East, and furnish the trade with Books, Stationery, Blank Books, Music, Portraits, Prints, Medals, Melanotypes, etc. I have unequalled facilities and guarantee dealers the closest attention and an accustomed liberality. I say it with pride, that I have country customers who have been dealing with me for the last six years.

Send for my Price List and give me a trial.

JOHN STRATMAN,  
N. E. corner Washington & Sansome streets,  
ap25-tf  
San Francisco.

**Cigars and Tobacco,**

A Fine assortment for sale at  
Raveley's.

**Washing Machines.**

OF George W. Tolhurst's Patent, for sale at  
Raveley's.

**SEWING MACHINES**

For sale at Raveley's

**LEGAL NOTICES.**

**Administrator's Notice.**

In the matter of the Estate of J. C. Hawley, deceased.  
**ALL PERSONS KNOWING THEMSELVES** indebted to said Estate will please come forward immediately and pay up. All persons having demands against the Estate will present the same, with proper vouchers, to the undersigned, at Woodland, within 10 months from the date of this notice, or they will be forever barred.

Woodland, September 18, 1863.

B. F. HAWLEY,  
Administrator of the Estate  
of J. C. Hawley.

**Summons.**

**State of California, county of** Sutter.—Justices Court, Sutter Township.

The People of the State of California to William Geller, Greeting.

You are hereby summoned to appear before me at my office in Sutter Township on the 3d day of October A. D. 1863, at 1 o'clock P. M., then and there to make answer to the complaint of J. P. Farrer, who sues to recover the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200) with interest thereon at two per cent per month from the 20th day of June A. D. 1863 until paid, being a note of hand executed by you to said J. P. Farrer for the direct payment of money, when judgment will be taken against you for said amount and interest together with costs if you fail to appear and answer.

Given under my hand and seal this 16th day of September A. D. 1863.

C. L. N. VAUGHAN,  
Justice of the Peace.

It appearing from the return of the Constable on file in my office, that the above named defendant cannot be found in this county, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the defendant is within this State. It is therefore ordered that service of Summons be made by publishing the same in the Knight's Landing News of Knight's Landing for two weeks or until the 3d day of October A. D. 1863, including three insertions in said Knight's Landing News.

Given under my hand this 16th day of September, A. D. 1863.

C. L. N. VAUGHAN, J. P.

**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.**

**SEALED PROPOSALS** will be received by the Board of Supervisors of Yolo County, at their office in Woodland, until Monday, the 12th day of October, 1863, for the erection of a Bridge across Cottonwood Slough on Canon Road, near the farm of J. D. Stephens, to be done in accordance with a plan and specifications now on file in said office, said work to be paid for by warrants drawn on the County Road Fund, the Board of Supervisors reserving the right to reject any one or all of said bids, should they think them too high.

By Order of the Board of Supervisors.  
September 1st 1863.

GILES E. SILL, Pres't.

**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.**

**SEALED PROPOSALS** will be received by the Board of Supervisors of Yolo County, at their office in Woodland, until Monday, the 12th day of October, 1863, for the erection of a Bridge across Willow Slough, near the house of Doct. Merritt, to be done in accordance with a plan and specifications now on file in said office, said work to be paid for by warrants drawn upon the County Road Fund, the Board of Supervisors reserving the right to reject any one or all of said bids, if they think them too high.

By Order of the Board of Supervisors.  
September 1st, 1863.

GILES E. SILL, Pres't.

**VAN WINKLE & DUNCAN.**

**DEALERS IN**

**IRON, STEEL, CUMBERLAND COAL,**

**BLACKSMITHS' TOOLS, &c.**

Sole Proprietors of the Salmon & Bliss

**TIRE UPSETTING MACHINES,**

The best Labor-Saving Machine now in use.

**NEW YORK**

**HAND MADE HORSE NAILS,**

A very superior article.

**Large Head Tire Rivet Pins to Fit all**

**Sizes.**

Particular attention paid to orders from the Country.

93 J Street, and 22, 24, and 26, 4th Street,  
july5-tf **SACRAMENTO.**

**CALIFORNIA STEAM NAVIGATION CO.**

The fast and splendid steamers

**Chrysoptis and Yosemite,**

Will leave on alternate days for SAN FRANCISCO at 2 o'clock, p.m., from foot of K street, Sacramento.

Steamer *Chrysoptis*, Chadwick, Master, will leave on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Steamer *Yosemite*, Poole, Master, will leave on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

For MARYSVILLE and intermediate landings

**EVERY DAY.**

Change of day or **RED BLUFF.**

**Knight's Landing, Colusa, Tehama**

**and Red Bluff.**

Until further notice the Steamers of the California Steam Navigation Company will make TWO trips per week to RED BLUFF, leaving Sacramento on

**Every Tuesday's and Friday's**

**At 7 o'clock, a.m.**

A. REDINGTON, Agents,  
W. H. TAYLOR, Sacramento.

Freight received at Knight's Landing every day.

S. W. RAVELEY, Agent,  
Knight's Landing. june6-t

**Premium Tomatoes.**

**PREMIUM** Tomatoes, put up by M. S. King at Sacramento, for sale at

jan3-tf  
Raveley's

**MISCELLANEOUS ADVERTISING**

**NEW GOODS.**

**THE** undersigned have just returned from San Francisco with a large and

**WELL SELECTED ASSORTMENT**

—OF—

**STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS,**

Boots, Shoes,

**CLOTHING,**

**HATS AND CAPS.**

**BONNETS.**

**HARD-WARE,**

**QUEENS-WARE,**

**TIN-WARE,**

**CROCKERY,**

**GROCERIES**

Together with a Better Assortment

OF THE

**NEWEST STYLES OF DRESS-GOODS**

Than is usually found in a Country Store. All of which we offer to

**SELL LOW FOR CASH,**

Or such articles of

**COUNTRY PRODUCE!**

As can be converted into Money.

We take this occasion to return thanks for past favors and to solicit a continuance of the same.

Those knowing themselves indebted to us are requested to come forward at once and make payment—longer indulgence cannot reasonably be expected.

**J. & J. W. BALDWIN.**

Knight's Landing, April 25, 1863.

**BOYS' CLOTHING.**

**We have Just Received a Large Assortment of**

**BOYS' AND CHILDRENS'**

**CLOTHING**

...OF...  
**NEW AND DESIRABLE STYLES,**

**Which we offer at Low Prices.**

R. T. BROWN & CO.,

Cor. 4th and J streets, Sacramento.

nov22-3m

**REMOVAL.**

**R. T. BROWN & CO.**

**Have Removed to the Store**

(Formerly occupied by Lockwood & Hendrie)

**CORNER FOURTH AND J STREETS,**

**SACRAMENTO.**

**Where they are now Opening**

**NEW STYLES OF FALL CLOTHING**

—AND—

**FURNISHING GOODS,**

**To which they invite Attention.**

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**TO THE LADIES!**

**O'CONNELL, RYAN & CO.**

ARE NOW

**CLEARING OUT**

THEIR

**SUMMER DRY GOODS,**

TO MAKE ROOM FOR

**LARGE FALL IMPORTATIONS**

AND WILL POSITIVELY SELL

**AT LESS THAN COST!**

**FOR ONE MONTH.**

AMONG OTHERS THE FOLLOWING:

**Shawls,**

**Mantels,**

**Dusters,**

**Parasols,**

**Dress Goods,**

**Mozambique,**

**Norwich Poplins,**

**Bradford Checks,**

**Challes,**

**Irish Poplins,**

**French Poplins,**

And several other fabrics, together with

**Lawns and Organdies,**

In beautiful variety,

**Brilliantes,**

**French Prints,**

**Chambres, &c.**

The above must be closed out by the end of August, as already stated, to make way for Autumn Fashions, of which the undersigned shall receive the earliest arrivals.

O'CONNELL, RYAN & CO.

P. S.—We offer also, at home cost, some

**ENGLISH COTTON ROSE,** an article worthy the attention of Ladies.

An early call respectfully solicited.

ag15-1m O'CONNELL, RYAN & CO.

**GEO. W. STEWART,**

**FORWARDING AND COMMISSION**

Merchant,

AND WHOLESALE DEALER IN

**GROCERIES, PROVISION, FLOUR, GRAIN**

Etc., etc., etc.

**No. 45 Front street, between J and K,**

**SACRAMENTO.**

Seed Wheat, Oats, Barley and Wild Oats, in quantities to suit buyers.  
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**DRUGS AND MEDICINES.**

R. H. McDONALD. J. C. SPENCER.

**R. H. McDONALD & CO.**

**SACRAMENTO, CAL.**

**WHOLESALE DRUG**

**IMPORTING HOUSE.**

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**A Great National Romance.**  
 By ARTHUR WARD.

I.  
 "No, William Barker, you cannot have my daughter's hand in marriage until you are her equal in wealth and social position."  
 The speaker was a haughty old man of some sixty years, and the person whom he addressed was a fine looking young man of twenty-five.  
 With sad aspect the young man withdrew from the stately mansion.

II.  
 Six months later the young man stood in the presence of the haughty old man.  
 "What! you here again?" angrily cried the old man.  
 "Aye, old man, you bet," proudly exclaimed William Barker. "I am here your equal and your daughter's!"  
 The old man's lips curled with scorn. A derisive smile lit up his cold features; when casting violently upon the marble center-table an enormous roll of greenbacks, Barker cried out—  
 "See! Look on this wealth. And I've tenfold more. Listen, old man! You spurned me from your door. But I did not despair. I secured a contract for furnishing the army with beef."  
 "Yes, yes!" eagerly exclaimed the old man.  
 "And I bought up all the disabled cavalry horses I could find."  
 "I see, I see," cried the old man.—  
 "And good beef they make, too."  
 "They do! they do! and the profits are immense."  
 "I should say so."  
 "And now, sir, I claim your daughter's fair hand."  
 "Boy, she is yours. But hold!—Look me in the eye. Throughout all this you have been loyal?"  
 "To the very core."  
 "And," continued the old man, "you are in favor of a vigorous prosecution of the war?"  
 "I am! I am!"  
 "Then, boy, take her. Maria, child, come hither. Your William claims thee. Be happy, my children! and whatever your lot in life may be, let us all support the Government."

"MAMMA," said a promising youth, of some four or five years, "if all people are made of dust, ain't niggers made out of coal dust?"

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 Court of Sessions—1st Monday in April; 1st Monday in July; 1st Monday in December.  
 Probate Court—2nd Monday in January; 2d Monday in March; 4th Monday in May; 2d Monday in July; 2nd Monday in September, and 4th in November.  
 Board of Supervisors—1st Monday in February; 1st Monday in May; 1st Monday in August, and 1st Monday in November.

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 District Judge.....J. H. McKune  
 County Judge.....L. R. Hobkins  
 District Attorney.....R. P. Hamblin  
 Senator.....O. B. Powers  
 Assemblyman.....E. Patton  
 Sheriff.....C. H. Gray  
 Clerk.....E. Giddings  
 Treasurer.....C. W. Reed  
 Assessor.....G. J. Overshinner  
 Surveyor.....A. Mathews  
 Coroner.....S. F. Rodolph  
 Public Administrator.....W. S. Emery  
 Superintendent Public Instruction.....H. Gaddis  
 Supervisors.....A. Morris; G. E. Sill; G. W. Bell

**Justices of the Peace.**  
 Washington—J. W. Willard; John Hoagland.  
 Cache Creek—C. S. Frost; S. D. Moore.  
 Grafton—E. Rinehammer; A. T. Robinson.  
 Putah—James O'Neal; G. W. Pierce.  
 Buckeye—R. A. Daniel; S. P. Herriman.  
 Cottonwood—Sohn S. Tut; D. Hubbard.  
 Merrill—Samuel Smith.  
 Fremont—John Flannery; H. B. Wood.

**Constables.**  
 Washington—W. Morrison; J. Griffin.  
 Cache Creek—S. McDonald; R. M. Campbell.  
 Grafton—J. McClinton; T. Rice.  
 Putah—A. T. Martin; E. L. Brown.  
 Buckeye—F. Ott; A. J. Roard.  
 Merrill—J. Dawson.  
 Cottonwood—John A. Prite; Joel Woods.

**Road Masters.**  
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 Grafton—W. J. Clarke.  
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