

## WESTERN NOTES.

Ripe strawberries are selling in Oakland, California, at sixty cents per pound.

Ten thousand pounds of dressed turkeys were shipped from Marysville, Cal., December 23.

In San Francisco Harry Courtaine has been sent to the Home of the Inebriate for 100 days.

Over two hundred deer have been killed this fall in Mendocino county, Cal., merely for their pelts.

There is an unusual amount of sickness in Vallejo, Cal., the prevailing complaints being of a diphtheria type.

The good people of Santa Cruz, Cal., are delirious with joy over a dump-cart, five by nine feet, designed and constructed in that town.

Special policemen in Sacramento are paid \$2.50 for every arrest made by them where the party is convicted and pays his fine.

Burglaries are becoming frequent in Santa Cruz, Cal. A Vigilance Committee is advised by the *Enterprise*.

A wife in Yuba City, Cal., by advertisement in the public newspaper there, forbids saloon keepers furnishing her husband with liquor.

Over 500 head of beef cattle have been stolen from the Bascow Rancho, Alameda county, Cal., within the past eighteen months.

A capitalist in Oakland, Cal., intends to keep 300 mechanics busy all the coming season in the erection of new buildings.

Cook, the trapezist, fell from his flying bar at the City Gardens, Cal., the other day. He fell on his nose—but his beauty was not spoiled.

A man known as "Doc" Drew has been arrested in Gilroy, Cal., on suspicion of being one of the parties setting fire to the town recently.

There are more than one hundred Eastern visitors at Los Angeles enjoying the charming winter weather of Southern California.

Three Roseburgers (Oregon) stole the same dog three times lately, and each one pawned him for the drinks.

In Austin, Nev., the *Reveille* says, the chickens are suffering from scarlatina, whooping cough, epizootic, tic doloreux, or some kindred disease.

Governor Booth has offered a reward of \$500 for the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who murdered F. Abadie in San Bernardino county, Cal., Dec. 16.

Near Banta, Cal., Dec. 20, George Burns, a young man of about 25 years of age, while sinking a well, was struck and instantly killed by a falling bucket filled with earth.

The Reese River *Reveille* learns that during the recent storm, snow fell in Smoky Valley to a depth of from sixteen to eighteen inches, and that it remains at about that depth at the present time.

The editor of the Carson *Appeal* is disgusted at the election of Booth to the United States Senate. He says "the triumph, in this instance, is the work of the Satanic Press."

Japan requires more rabbits now than California can supply. The Japanese are insane on the subject at present, and fancy breeds find buyers at any price.

The "bear boy," the idiotic Indian child whom certain parties exhibited as a curiosity, until the San Francisco authorities interfered, has gone to his home in the northern portion of California.

George Shonat's body was found in Sutter Creek, Cal., Dec. 21. He was intoxicated, and probably fell from his horse, was kicked in the head by it, and rendered unable to rise from the water.

At San Francisco, William Gibson drew a revolver on his sweetheart, to frighten her into marriage, he was fined \$30 in the police court for it, the parties became reconciled, and the marriage was solemnized.

At Biglow's Rancho, near Forest Home, Cal., James Cyne was stabbed in the bowels and killed by John Cohn Canifax. Cyne was endeavoring to pacify Canifax and another man who were quarreling and who were both intoxicated.

R. D. Bogart, whose sudden arrest in San Francisco several months since and subsequent trial and imprisonment at Mare Island caused much comment, has been released by order of the Secretary of the Navy. Bogart has arrived in San Francisco from Vallejo.

In Portland, Oregon, they have established and in full operation a match factory that turns out the best kind of matches. By the advice of wholesale merchants the proprietor stamps them as manufactured in California to insure a ready sale.

Increasing the police force by the addition of fifty men—the action taken by the Board of Supervisors last night—is a very judicious measure, and will meet with the approval of every citizen who has any desire to promote protection of life and property in the city limits. *S. F. Chronicle*, Dec. 23.

On the evening of the 19th instant in a hotel at Forest Home, Amador county, Cal., at the supper table John Kimpick scolded the cook; Klein took the cook's part; Kimpick stabbed Klein, who soon died, and a constable pursued and captured Kimpick as he fled homeward.

The White Pine (Nev.) *News* of December 20th, says of the Trench mine: The new developments in this famous mine are conclusive evidence as to its value. The drift running into the hill, from which many tons of high grade ore have been extracted, a vein two feet in width has been encountered, which proves to be of exceeding richness.

At Guntley's Brewery, Anderson Valley, Mendocino county, California, lately, while Miss Mary Guntley was making her toilet to attend a party, her chignon caught fire from a candle in her own hand, while examining her head-dress. The ignition of the mass of jute on her head was so rapid that before any assistance arrived, all her hair was completely burned off, and her hands, in the efforts to remove the flaming chignon, were so badly charred, that it is feared she will lose the entire use of her fingers. A warning to ladies who are in the habit of wearing jute for false hair.

A large crowd of hoodlums designating themselves as the "Sunrise crowd," and whose badge is a handkerchief tied around the right arm, have their rendezvous on the corner of Bush and Fillmore streets. On Thursday night they marched to Hayes Valley, where they engaged in a fierce conflict with hoodlums of that locality, using cleavers, knives, pistols and clubs in a reckless manner. At the close of the engagement they made raids on the adjacent grocery stores, whisky shops and other places of business, demanding drinks and presenting pistols to the faces of the proprietors in payment.—*S. F. Chronicle*, Dec. 27.

Truckee, Cal., has some roughs yet. Some of them assaulted T. A. Powers, Dec. 22. Policeman Robinson, who went to Powers' assistance, received a gash in the head accidentally. The *Republican* of that place says—"From what information we can obtain, the assault was entirely unjustifiable, and one of the most brutal that has ever taken place in Truckee. But for the timely interference of policeman Robinson there is good reason for believing that Powers would have been murdered. We are convinced that something more than the action of the civil authorities is necessary to drive from our midst a few bad men. An organization of the citizens is needed immediately to assist the authorities and mete out promptly such punishment as lawless ruffians will appreciate. There has been trifling enough. A citizens' warning is needed, and if that fails—then summary action."

## PIOCHE NOTES.

From the *Record* of Dec. 25—

Martin Denis, a colored man, had his feet frozen on the road from Pioche to Virginia City. He may lose some toes.

On the 9th of July last, at the instance of Geo. W. Chesley & Co., liquor merchants in San Francisco, Travis, as sheriff, attached certain property as belonging to Thomas F. Hanly. On the 7th of July, two days prior to the levy under the attachment, T. F. Hanly sold the property to K. J. Hanley, and gave him possession. Notwithstanding the sale and delivery of the property to Hanley, the sheriff seized the same. Thereupon K. J. Hanley brought suit against Travis to recover the property, and yesterday a verdict for defendant was given. Motion for a new trial will be made.

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