EVENTS IN THE WEST.

A Record of Occurrences in Neighboring States and Territories.

PROBABLE CONTEST OVER SUTRO ESTATE.

An Alleged Will: Would Some of the Heirs—Tenderloin Volunteers Make Some Trouble—A Fair for Wilmington.

Jesse Carson Blackburn, of Modesto, Cal., has commenced for Countess M. de Montalembert, of the Seventh Cathedral parish.

Lieutenant W. A. Hughes, United States Marine, returns to charge of the Marine Hospital in San Francisco, from Honolulu, where he was the first Lieutenant Marine who was on the first officer to land on the Philippines, and after a long cruise in the Pacific, has received orders to report in San Francisco, has received orders to report on board the Monadnock.

Amanda F. Austin, of Sacramento, Cal., has sued for a divorce from her husband, Wm. H. Austin, for cruelty, for $10,000. She claims that Mr. Austin forced her to leave her home and her children, which she left for a time in his care, which she did for wrongful reasons, remaining away for a month. Mr. Austin, in his answer, denies that he ever struck his wife. He claims that she left home of her own accord, and that he found it his duty to care for the children, and has not asked her to return.

The history of the murder of Antonio Rosselli, an Italian fisherman of San Francisco, who was shot dead last Thursday night, has been related. Rosselli's partner, Joe Tonderino, is the man who fired the shot, and he has confessed that he did it in self-defense, after a quarrel, in which Rosselli had drawn a knife, in which he had drawn a knife, and in which he had the fatal shot in reply. The men had been at odds for some time, and had exchanged threatening epithets and threatening gestures of the sailors of their nationality.

Dr. C. Hart Merriam, chief of the Biological Survey of the Pacific Coast, who has the assistance in California, has for the past year been collecting specimens of every state, during even the winter.

Aaron J. Hill, president of the Great Northern railroad, has asked the city council of Seattle, Wash., for a franchise to enter Seattle on city land at the waterfront and a right of way through and Ballard, recently purchased by the Great Northern. It is stated that the Great Northern will begin the immediate construction of a system of railway terminals, docks and warehouses at a cost of three quarters of a million dollars. A recovery 1,200 feet long, 200 feet wide and 25 feet deep will be dredged out of the tide lands.

Rev. Mr. Milne, who lodge (Texas) and now in charge of the Methodist Station, which never closed, from Rosalie to the Presidio, Cal. The change at Camp Merritt will come from at least 1500 work, or more, and it is said that the troops will be the first to go to Manila and Cuba. The troops will be the first to go to Manila and Cuba. The troops will be the first to go to Manila and Cuba. The