

THE STATE PRISON TITLE.

The decision of Judge Sawyer of the United States Circuit Court in the case of J. H. Adams and others against L. K. Bradley, Governor, and other State officers is published in the Virginia Enterprise. The action was brought to recover from the State possession of the lands on which the State Prison is built, and the judgment is for the State with costs. The decision is not final, as Judge Sawyer decides that if the plaintiffs have any title they will be permitted to show it.

A true history of the Prison Grounds would undoubtedly be interesting, and would expose one of the "jobs" put up by sharpers to swindle the people. The possessory title to the land was purchased by the Territory of Nevada of Abram Curry, at a cost of about \$75,000. The land was then surveyed and considered valuable only because of the existence of warm springs and the discovery of a stone quarry on the premises. The Territory of Nevada expended thousands of dollars in building the Prison, and subsequently, when Nevada was admitted as a State, considerable money was expended in enlarging and improving the Prison. Through the ignorance or dishonesty of the State officers, or probably collusion with those who desired the title to the Prison Grounds, the State did not purchase the land, and the people who were taxed to pay the original purchase money and the large amounts subsequently expended in building the Prison, were astonished to find that outsiders claimed the land on which it stands by right of purchase from the State or General Government. Since then bills have been introduced in the Legislature authorizing the State to repurchase the property at a round sum, and as a last resort appeal was made by the adverse claimants to the courts, and it is not improbable that the people of Nevada will be again taxed to pay a round sum for the lands. This State Prison suit, like the robbery of the School Fund of over \$106,000, left the people as a reminder of the time when it was treason to assert that Republican officials were sometimes dishonest.

AN HONORABLE MAN.

J. H. Kinkead of Unionville, Republican candidate for Governor, is in town. He is opposed to the system of appointing delegates pledged to support some particular candidate, adopted by the Central Committees of his party in several counties in the State. Though he is the only Republican candidate for a State office in Humboldt county, and so far as is known, the unanimous choice of Republicans in this county for the Governorship, he believes in getting a fair expression of the sentiments of his party on that and all other pertinent matters, by leaving it to the members to select delegates to the State Convention at the primary meetings. He does not want a Central Committee, chosen two years ago, when the question of his candidacy for the position to which he now aspires was not thought of, to arrogate to itself the authority to appoint and pledge delegates to support him. He seeks the nomination by fair means; has formed no alliances with corporations or rings, and if nominated and elected we believe, and that belief is based on a personal acquaintance of years, that J. H. Kinkead will perform the duties of Governor of Nevada in a manner creditable to himself and satisfactory to the people. Politically, we differ from the gentleman, but that should not, and does not deter us from expressing our candid opinion of the man, who, if a Republican is elected, we hope to see in the gubernatorial chair.

Since the attempted assassination of the Emperor William by Dr. Nobeling, there has been 563 arrests for insulting the Emperor. Of the number 521 have been convicted, including thirty-one women. Five of the accused committed suicide before trial.

Turkeys are natives of America, and were consequently unknown to the Europeans. They were first brought to England about 1523, and to France about 1530.

"WANDERER."

It appears from a card in another column, that the authorship of a communication from Paradise Valley signed "Wanderer," which appeared in the SILVER STATE is attributed to H. A. Bradshaw. Unless authorized to do so we do not give the names of correspondents; in fact a Grand Jury which, we have since been informed, was gotten up almost expressly for the purpose, failed in its attempt to get us to do that. We have, however, permission to state that "Wanderer" is a Republican, as anybody who read his communication might readily perceive, and Mr. Bradshaw, we believe, is a Democrat.

TELEGRAPHIC.

EASTERN DISPATCHES

Rates on California Freights, New York, Aug. 15.

The Tribune says: The settlement of rates on California freights, to be charged hereafter by the Union Pacific road, has been left to General Freight Agent Vining, of the U. P. and General Freight Agent Stubbs, of the C. P. R. R., both of whom are now at San Francisco. A Director of the Union Pacific road said yesterday: The circular advancing freight rates to California on first-class goods from \$6 to \$12 was issued to prevent a certain class of San Francisco merchants from taking undue advantage of the railroad companies by shipping silks and other fine goods in cases marked domestics, and to avoid accommodating at low rates another class of merchants, who do most of their business by ship and steamer, only patronizing the railroad when compelled to do so. Since the circular was issued our agents have entered into a large number of annual contracts for all freight to be shipped by the leading houses in San Francisco and New York at satisfactory rates. We have made contracts with two large New York firms, which will pay us at least \$25,000 a year on freight account, and they receive rates below the old \$6 schedule. Where long time credits are made at either end of the continent the Union Pacific Company does not pretend to demand increased rates.

The Situation at Grenada, Mississippi.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Aug. 15.
The following has been received from Grenada, Mississippi:
GRENADE, Aug. 14.—To the Mayor of Wilmington: Help us to pay nurses and bury the dead. Our town is a graveyard. We need help. The Mayor is dying, and I am the only officer left.
E. A. D. MOLTON,
City Marshal, and Acting Mayor.
Immediately on receipt of the above telegram, the Board of Aldermen of this city convened, made an appropriation for the Grenada sufferers, and appointed a committee of seven to solicit subscriptions from citizens. It is thought a liberal sum will be raised.

Congressional Nominations,
CINCINNATI, Aug. 15.
The Republicans of the Fifth and Twelfth Districts have nominated Col. H. Wilson and H. S. New for Congress.

FOREIGN DISPATCHES

Treaty to be Signed,
VIENNA, August 15.
The Press says that a treaty will be signed at Serajevo by General Phillipovich and Mehmet Ali Pasha.
The Vatican and Great Britain,
LONDON, August 15.
Sir Stafford Northcote, replying to a query in the House of Commons, said that no communications had been exchanged with the Vatican regarding the re-establishment of diplomatic relations between Great Britain and the Holy See.
Occupation of Varna by the Russians,
BUCHAREST, August 15.
The Russians occupied Varna on the 20th of August. The garrison is to consist of 10,000 men, with 100 guns.

PRINCE BISMARCK signed the treaty of Berlin with an eagle's quill, ornamented with a silver figure of an Angel of Peace, which was presented to him for the purpose.

OFFICIAL information is received that Lieutenant Wallace, of Fort Missoula, has overtaken the marauding band of Nez Perces, numbering about twenty, who have been plundering their way from Canada to Idaho, and has punished them severely, killing six, wounding three, and killing or capturing most of their ponies. He had only a handful of men in his command, but used them to excellent advantage.

The Eureka Sentinel is informed by private letter that the Republican Central Committee of Churchill county has appointed Connor delegate to the State Convention.

According to advices from Serajevo, the insurgent government has sent Hafish Pasha to meet the Austrians and ask leniency for the insurgents.

During the year ending June 30th, 1878, vessels belonging to the port of San Francisco to the value of \$285,550 were lost. Lives, 82.

An Undeniable Truth.

You deserve to suffer, and if you lead a miserable, unsatisfactory life in this beautiful world, it is entirely your own fault and there is only one excuse for you,—your unreasonable prejudice and skepticism, which has killed thousands. Personal knowledge and common sense reasoning will soon show you that Green's August Flower will cure you of liver complaint, or Dyspepsia, with all its miserable effects, such as sick headache, palpitation of the heart, sour stomach, habitual constiveness, dizziness of the head, nervous prostration, low spirits, etc. Its sales now reach every town on the Western Continent, and not a druggist but will tell you of its wonderful cures. You can buy a sample bottle for 10 cents. Three doses will relieve you.

SPECIAL LOCALS.

Notice to Water Consumers,
During the extension of the water works flame water will be turned on the mains from the reservoir for half an hour, as follows: Morning, 6:30 to 7; noon, 11:30 to 12 m; night, 5:30 to 6. au5 tf

NEW TO-DAY.

SALT, SALT.
The Desert Salt Company

Is now prepared to furnish a choice article of MILLING SALT in quantities to suit at reasonable rates.
ADDRESS ORDERS:—"DESERT SALT COMPANY, Brown's Station, C. P. R. R., Nevada." au16-73-tf

LADIES
Visiting Sacramento During
STATE FAIR
Do not fail to call at
L. BIEN'S
Popular Dry Goods Store, 224 J southwest corner Eighth street,
If you wish to get full value for your money. Do not buy elsewhere, at least until you have examined his stock.
He has the best BLACK SILKS, for 75 cents per yard upward.
The best BLACK CASHMERE, for 75cts, \$1, \$1 25 per yard, ever offered in California.
Two-button KID GLOVES, excellent quality, 75cts.
Three-buttoned KID GLOVES, excellent quality, \$1.
All Domestic Goods, Flannels and Linens at Eastern prices.
The newest styles of PAPER PATTERNS can always be found there.
Only the best of goods kept in every department.

Remember the Place,
L. BIEN,
224 J. st. southwest corner
8th street, SACRAMENTO.

NOTICE:
Having established a PURCHASING AGENCY, Mr. L. Bien will give his personal attention to all orders of any kind, such as Boots and Shoes, Furniture, Crockery, Carpets, Millinery Goods, Groceries, etc., etc.
Being in constant business relations and having a thorough acquaintance with all the leading houses, ladies ordering through Mr. Bien will receive the full benefit of his experience and find it more advantageous than doing their own shopping.
Address letters P. O. Box 340.
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MERCHANTS.
N. DELBANKO E. REINHART,
E. REINHART & CO.,
Forwarding and Commission

Merchants,
.....DEALERS IN.....

GENERAL MERCHANDISE,

WOOL AND HIDES.

Winnemucca, Nev.

NEW FURNITURE STORE,
On the First Corner
ABOVE THE COURTHOUSE.
Winnemucca - - - Nevada.
GRAND OPENING.
FURNITURE
.....AT.....
Wholesale and Retail.
THE most extensive stock of the latest styles of furniture ever brought to Humboldt county, and of every variety, all of which will be sold at the very lowest prices FOR CASH.

We are also the sole Agents in this section of country for the New Wilson Sewing Machine Company, and have a lot of the best, cheapest and handiest machines in the world. They have taken the premiums in all the Expositions of America and Europe. All have the latest improvements and the mending attachments, which is the greatest invention of the age. All orders promptly filled, and all kinds of REPAIRING in our line done neatly and with dispatch.
BONNIFIELD & HILL,
Winnemucca, December 26, 1877.
W. J. PULLING, R. C. ADLER,
PATRONIZE HOME INDUSTRY.
CIGAR FACTORY
No. 1.
WINNEMUCCA, NEV.

ADLER & PULLING, Proprietors.
The Finest Brands of Cigars at
Wholesale and Retail.
OUR CIGARS ARE MADE FROM THE best Havana and Connecticut leaf tobacco by WHITE MEN.
No Chinese Employed About the Factory.
Orders from abroad will be promptly filled.
Address, ADLER & PULLING.
[June 27-78-tf] Winnemucca, Nev.

Republican County Central Committee.
A MEETING OF THE REPUBLICAN County Central Committee will be held at their Rooms on
Wednesday, August 21st, 1878,
to transact business of importance. All the members are requested to be present. By order of
ALEX. WILSON, Chairman.
Winnemucca, August 14th, 1878. td

Dissolution of Partnership.
THE CO-PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between the undersigned, under the name of Bonnifield & French, in the law business, has been dissolved by mutual consent.
W. L. FRENCH,
Winnemucca, August 13, 1878. 1m
M. S. BONNIFIELD,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR
AT LAW.
WINNEMUCCA NEVADA.
Will practice in all the Courts in the State.
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STORES AND SHOPS.
CITY DRUG STORE.
C. A. DESAUSSURE.....Proprietor.
On the east side of Bridge street, opposite the Central Hotel.

WINNEMUCCA, NEVADA,
Where they keep on hand a full and complete assortment of
FRESH DRUGS AND MEDICINES,
TOILET ARTICLES,
Chemicals, Varnishes, Paints, Oils,
and Patent Medicines in
Endless Variety.
CLOSE ATTENTION WILL BE GIVEN to calls from the Medical Fraternity, and Prescriptions will be put up with the greatest care.
June 13, 1877. tf

C. CHENOWETH,
NEWS DEPOT,
Corner Bridge and Third Sts., Winnemucca,
Nevada.
DEALER IN
Newspapers,
Periodicals,
BOOKS, NOVELS, BLANK BOOKS,
Stationery, Legal Blanks; keeps on hand a general assortment of
Candies, Nuts, Pipes, Tobacco, Cigars,
and Fancy Notions.
Just received, a supply of
Cattley, Tissue Paper, Baby Dolls, Toys,
Willow Ware, Toilet Goods, Sheet Music,
Musical Instruments and Instruction Books,
Pianos, Melodeons and Organs furnished to order at Eastern Prices.
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BULLION TAX.
NOTICE is hereby given that the tax on proceeds of mines for the quarter ending June 30 1878, is now due and payable, at my office in the Court-house of the County of Humboldt, and that the laws for its collection will be strictly enforced.
JAMES BUCKNER, County Assessor.
By S. BUCKNER, Deputy Assessor.
Winnemucca, Aug. 12, 1878. 1m

CHEAPEST
CASH
STORE
.....OF.....
Humboldt County:
F. C. ROBINS

Winnemucca, Nevada

KYLE'S HOT SPRINGS!
(Ten miles east of Unionville, Nev.)
T. W. Clark, Prop'r

I WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM THE people of this County, and the public generally, that I now have charge of these Springs, and am prepared to
SERVE ALL COMFORTABLY who may favor me with their patronage.
THE CURATIVE PROPERTIES of these Springs cannot be surpassed, if equaled, by any other in the world.
MY WAGON will leave Mill City every Saturday at 10 o'clock A. M. direct to the Hot Springs. FARE, \$4 00.
BOARD & LODGING (week), \$12 50
Good Beds and Board!
T. W. CLARK, Manager.
Mill City, July 23, 1878. tf

CITY BAKERY.
Chris Diehl Prop'r.
(OPPOSITE THE COURT HOUSE.)
French Rolls, Square Loaves
Brown Bread, Pies, Cakes,
Doughnuts, Etc., Etc.
Always on hand, served to order fresh from the oven in quantities to suit, in any part of town.
Having purchased the City Bakery, I will spare no pains to merit the patronage of the public.
CHRIS DIEHL,
Winnemucca, July 20, 1877. tf