

PEOPLE OF NOTE.

The Kellogg family were here last Sunday.

Dr. Buckley, of San Francisco, is visiting Redwood.

Young Walsh will graduate from West Point in 1923.

Miss Kate Felton is visiting Miss Pierce, of Santa Clara.

Treasurer Wilson's father was visiting him during the last week.

Ex-Senator Grimes' family were camping near La Honda last week.

Harry Rosenblum, of Half Moon Bay, says the call was in the city during the week on business.

Judge Hunt of the San Francisco Superior Bench, comes down weekly through the season to fish in the bay.

Professor Tom Dugan of Redwood has got back from Oregon, with an exceedingly unpleasant opinion of the Webfoot country.

D. O. Mills, Jr. gave a farewell lecture at the University of California, March 24th, to his sisters and best man. His marriage to Miss Ruth Livingston takes place on Tuesday, the 11th inst.

Vance mine host of the Menlo Park House while trying to save a child from a fall out of a buggy was himself severely injured one day last week, almost losing one of his eyes. He is rapidly recovering now however, although still suffering pain.

The Spring meeting of the Pacific Coast Blood Horse Association, will be held April 25th, 27th and 29th, at the Bay District Course. On the programme are thirteen races to be given at various distances. All the most noted horses in the State will contend, and the stakes for young horses have a large number of entries. The stables of Winters, Stanford, Baldwin and Hearn are to put forward their best performers.

REDWOOD SPLINTERS.

The O. K. flour from Oakland, is the best and cheapest in the market; don't let anybody persuade you to buy some other brand. feb19f

Cocktails at the Imperial at Excelsior.

The Town Trustees will meet on Monday night next.

Milwaukee beer, the best in the market, at the Excelsior. m11-f

Communications were left over until the next issue on account of the pressure of ads.

Easter was becomingly celebrated in all the churches last Sunday, large congregations attending exercises.

Compound Essence of Pepsin—A remedy for Dyspepsia and Indigestion. For sale by Wm. Stewart, druggist, Redwood City.

The Schenck "Shooting Star" has been sold by Capt. Minner, to San Francisco parties for \$400.

"Our Own" Rose Tooth Paste for cleansing, beautifying and preserving the teeth and gums. For sale by Wm. Stewart, druggist, Redwood City.

Claus Hadler is laying in an immense stock of merchandise, and is getting in more daily in anticipation of the summer rush.

Compound Fluid Extract Buchu—in treatment of diseases of the urinary and genital organs. For sale by Wm. Stewart, druggist, Redwood City.

A Memorial service for Frank Felt, late a resident of this place, will be held at the Baptist church on (to-morrow) Sunday, Rev. Dr. Buckley conducting the service. All citizens cordially invited to attend.

For Sale—John Christ, is now prepared to furnish any kind of coal, coke, wood or charcoal, also lime and plaster desired at the most reasonable rates. Inquire at Martin Kuck's Warehouse. oc4-f

"Our Own" Compound Syrup of Sarsaparilla, for removing from the blood those humors or principles which disturb its purity, directing them towards the natural excretory channel. For sale by Wm. Stewart, druggist, Redwood City.

Oscar Wilde came very near being caught in a bad scrape on the occasion of his first lecture in San Francisco.

His lecture including the famous knee-breeches, did not arrive in time and the lecture having been advertised, he was almost compelled to go on the stage without them—not bare legged by any means, we don't mean that; but in an ordinary pair of trousers, which he wore undoubtedly have resulted in his being rotten-legged, for it was to see him make a "guy" of himself and not to hear him that the audience paid. Fortunately somebody suggested Jones of 712 and 714 Market street, who knew every thing in the clothing line and who later on, fungared, and he was speedily relieved of his embarrassment.

Syrup of Tar and Wild Cherry—For recent and chronic Coughs and Colds, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Loss of Voice, Irritability of the Larynx, fauces, and other inflamed conditions of the lungs and air passages. For sale by Wm. Stewart, druggist, Redwood City.

BORN.

DAY—In Menlo Park, April 12, 1922, to the wife of Robert Day, a daughter.

MARRIED.

STALEY-SULLIVAN—In Mayfield, April 9, 1922, by Father McCallahan, M. O. Staley, to Julia A. Sullivan, of Mayfield.

DIED.

PINCE—In San Francisco, April 7, 1922, Herman Pince, aged 35 years.

WILL YOU SUFFER WITH DYSPEPSIA AND LIVER COMPLAINT? Shiloh's Vitalizer is guaranteed to cure you. For sale by Will Frisbie, Druggist, Redwood City.

You have no Excuse.

Have you any excuse for suffering with Dyspepsia or Liver Complaint? Is there any reason why you should go from day to day complaining with Sour Stomach, Sick Head-ache, Heart Burn, Water-brash, Bloating and burning pain at the pit of the Stomach, Yellow Skin, Constipated Tongue and disagreeable odor from the mouth. Coming up of food after eating. Low spirits, etc. No! It is positively your own fault if you do. Go to WILL FRISBIE, Druggist, for a bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer. It is guaranteed to cure you. If you doubt this get a Sample Bottle for 10 cents and try it. Two doses will relieve you. oct4-70-o-o-w.

QUEER CARRIAGES-ON.

A Half Pound of Powder in a Stick of Stove-wood.

A GREAT WASTE OF WORDS.

Annals of an Angry Neighbor—Specimens of a Spirited Debate—The Last Word.

On Aguello street in Redwood, fronting the commons, resides the Lynch family, and next door the Goulds. They are neighbors, but they are as distant as if they lived on the opposite ends of the Southern Pacific Railroad. On Wednesday evening Mrs. Lynch showed to the manager of the GAZETTE the foundation for a neat and somewhat original informal machine such as is occasionally left in the Russian Czar's wardrobe by his affectionate subjects. Briefly described, it was simply a small piece of cordwood, stove length, with a seven-eighths auger hole running in against the grain for about eight inches. There was a plug in the end of it, and the joint was ingeniously plastered over with dirt. It had been split, and inside the bore of this deadly munition were grains of blasting powder. Mrs. Lynch said that she had sent her son, perhaps 12 years old, out for firewood. He had caught up the stick from the pile and casually splitting it, had exposed the load of gunpowder. She was more indignant than terrified, and insisted that no punishment could be too severe for the person who could conceive so murderous a scheme; and one liable to injure innocent outsiders as well as those against whom it was particularly directed. The cavity would hold more than a half pound of powder, enough to spoil any meal he might be cooking, and the Lynch household into the bargain.

Miss Lynch, the daughter, had seen their neighbor toss something over the fence on the same day. This neighbor was unfriendly, disagreeable and dangerous. More she would not say; names she withheld; but they proposed to punish them. The man from the GAZETTE examined the wood and made up his mind that only a handy man could bore eight inches in the butt of a lilac stick as straight as this hole was. So he waited until morning, and went over to Aguello street.

The only other house in the block is the Gould house. Gould was not at home. Mrs. Gould was as much excited over the story as Mrs. Lynch. She had been indignant. She said: "Well, I never—what next?"

And then she expressed her opinion of Mrs. Lynch in terms of great force and fluency. The newspaper man attempted to remind her that he was interested in the affair only as a matter of news, but the lady ran on until she was exhausted, and said not one word of the loaded stick except a general denial that it had ever been her property. Finally Mrs. Gould suggested that they find her husband and hear what he had to say. He was weeding a garden a short distance away.

The head of the house of Gould, might just as well have been dumb, for all the opportunity he got to take the floor. For the first fifteen minutes Mrs. G. was a marvelous orator. She recapitulated what she had said on the porch, and she added a few fresh facts highly interesting, no doubt, but having no particular relation to loaded cordwood. You couldn't have driven a wedge between her sentences anywhere. And her husband listened with the patience of a man who was used to it, keeping a firm grip meanwhile, with great presence of mind, on the hoe-handle he had been working with. Just as his enthusiastic helpmeet was catching her second wind, so to speak, he did manage to get in edgewise "that the Lynch's was an aggravating lot, and it was impossible to get along with them."

He thought that Mrs. Lynch had fixed up the stick herself, and then trumped up the charge against them. Mrs. G. then cut him short by a proposition to confront Mrs. Lynch on this new issue, to which the newspaper assented, "provided she would make no scene, but would simply demand proof of Mrs. Lynch."

The ladies met with no great effusion of cordiality, but with much dignity. They argued the question with the animation of a Dublin Land League Club, and in language that would have discouraged rival country editors. Their argument was confined principally to the events of the last seven years, with an occasional reference to things that happened before that time. They were fluent. They talked as if they were well acquainted, each with the others domestic affairs, and the reporter learned something also of what the neighbors had said on various interesting occasions.

"You're a vagabond in your heart," said Mrs. Gould.

"Thank you," scornfully returned Mrs. Lynch. "And you're a murderer in yours!"

"You hear that sir, you're a witness to that!" said Mrs. Gould to the reporter.

"I'm a little hard of hearing, madam. Won't you ask her to say it again, and say it slow," replied he by this time Mr. Gould had arrived on the scene. He brought with him a long-handled rake. Possibly he thought he might need it to gather up the remains. He looked as if the discussion made him weary.

"Did I do what you say I did?" inquired Mrs. G. of Mrs. L.

"I shouldn't wonder if you did," sarcastically replied the lady thus addressed.

"Why don't you say Mr. Gould had a hand in it?"

"Because he's a gentleman," Mrs. Lynch retorted, with infinite irony. While the ladies were engaged in the headful pursuit of recrimination, and the struggle for the last word, the reporter, who had been sitting aside, and he solemnly and firmly asserted that he knew nothing at all of the matter. Powder, he said, was something unknown in his house. He certainly doesn't look like a nihilist. The case is a peculiar one. And it has a good healthy moral. There's more than one scandal a-rye in Redwood, it seems.

THE EDITOR'S NIGHTMARE.

A Battered Rider, and the Same Sort of Nag.

It was night, and the entire editorial and local staff of the Journal slumbered. He slept with his mouth open. That was to guard against lockjaw. And it may be to keep his coppers cool.

While he slept slumbered behold he fell into a deep dream—a nightmare. Four fingers of fresh oxygen had inebriated him. He dreamt that he was drowning in the depths of the sea, and that although there was water all about him, yet he was dry. Dreams always go by contraries.

Presently the scene shifted. He dreamed that he was miraculously restored to earth. And then he was indeed dry. And then he was a great change in his head. His imagination was affected. He had become rattled.

Under this impulse he dashed off a remarkably comical alliteration which he read from proof slips in the bath-house that he frequented when he was very dry.

It was a dry story, but not more so than its author. It was a fish story, and it was one of the best he ever wrote for that chaste family Journal. It was said to be the best story since last year's Almanac.

As the dream continued, again the scene changed, and the editor was dead. He died of drought. The surgeons examined him and in his stomach they found the joint cause of his dreams, his romance and the failure of his irrigating system. It was a red herring.

The editor had been picknicking too freely at the lunch counter.

THE IODINE TRICK.

It is astonishing to what peculiar methods people will sometimes resort to endeavor to advance their own and injure others' interests. One of the latest and most unfair expedients is that of certain manufacturers of bak-

powders, who are endeavoring to pre- judice consumers against all other preparations than their own, by exhibiting from house to house a trip purporting to show the quality of various powders. The facts are, this so-called trick, which we are told simply consists in adding a little iodine to a sample, can in no way reveal the true value of a baking powder, and is only calculated to deceive and prejudice the minds of the ignorant and unwary. Some powders are injurious, but this can only appear by analysis. The true value of a baking powder consists in the amount of leavening gas which is given off when heat and moisture are added to the flour, and it is only the chemist, with the aid of a chemical appliances, who can determine the volume of gas which any powder can evolve. We will venture to say that there is not an article prepared for food that might not be manipulated by chemical tests to prove that something was wrong about it, and when a person goes into a kitchen, or before a housekeeper, who is not to be presumed to understand chemical relations, and performs an experiment of even the simplest character, it is not difficult to impress one that something awful is the matter. As to baking powders, we could suggest a dozen tests that would be as ridiculous in giving a fair idea of their relative merits to an untrained mind as the one here mentioned. The truth is, that best test to make of a baking powder is to try it in making bread, and see which makes the most and best. To this practical test all of the established brands of powder have been put, and housekeepers have very generally made up their minds which they prefer, and the iodine testers will find ultimately that households that have for years used a favorite brand will not be apt to make a change on the test proposed.—American Grocer.

NEW TIME TABLE.

The new time table on the S. P. R. R., went into effect on last Monday. Four trains are now run in the afternoon through San Mateo County and four in the morning going north; and three morning and four afternoon trains from San Francisco south. At 6:27 (Sundays excepted) and 8 p. m., every day there are special trains to Menlo. The Monterey express stops only at Redwood and San Mateo in passing through; 4:21, p. m. The running time from Redwood in the morning is, 5:02; 7:02; 8:02; 9:10, a. m. On Sundays only there is an extra train to Menlo leaving San Francisco at 9:30 and Redwood at 10:45. The time of the Monterey express from San Francisco to Redwood is just 51 minutes.

THE MAIL DELIVERY.

The Post Office Department, should be notified of the frequent irregularity of the mail service in San Mateo County. Complaints are made that letters directed to Spanishtown or the coastwise stations from Redwood and other places on the line of the S. P. R. R. are first transported to San Francisco, and rapid communication must therefore be made by Wells Fargo & Co. at a cost of 10 cents per letter, which is rather expensive where there is much correspondence. Occasionally too the Redwood mail is exchanged for that of Santa Clara or some other place. There is no reason why the Wells Fargo delivery should be better than that of the government, yet it is. The Postal Agent of this Coast should attend to this matter.

A General Stamped.

Never before was there such a rush made for the Drug Stores as is now, for a Trial Bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Severe Coughs, or any affection of the throat and lungs, get a Trial Bottle of this great remedy free, by calling at the Pioneer Drug Store. m4-ly

OUR OWN IMPERIAL FLUID.

An elegant and useful Dentrifoe for cleansing and preserving the teeth, hardening the gums, rendering the breath sweet and breath fragrant, arresting the progress of decay, and removing all tartar from the teeth. For sale by Wm. Stewart, Druggist, Redwood City.

SOCIAL CIRCLES.

Beginning of the Season Succeding Lent.

MARRIAGE OF D. O. MILLS JR.

The Summer at Menlo—Personal Notes—Events at Home and Abroad—Odds and Ends—Etc.

D. Ogden Mills, son of D. O. Mills of Millbrae in this County and Miss Ruth Livingston were married at one o'clock last Tuesday, in Grace Church, by Rev. Dr. Henry C. Potter, rector of the church. The chancel was decorated with groups of palms, red and white callas and other plants. The coheir of the bride party were butch-hole bouquets of lilies-of-the-valley. The best man was Mr. Bozard. The ushers were Geraldine Redmond, H. Hoyt and Carol Bailles. The bridesmaids were Miss Gertrude A. Hoyt, Miss Ogden, Miss Estelle Livingston and Miss Cornelia Bailles.

Their dresses were made of white brocade, with full French trains. The front of the dresses were of plain white satin, draped with three rows of white cut crystal. The corsages were cut to point, and were bordered by wide English collars, with crystal embroidery. The drapery of the skirts were caught up with white lilies. The sleeves were of lace, with panels of cut crystal. The bridesmaids also wore long gloves and tulle veils fastened with lilies, and carried large bouquets of pink roses tied with pink satin ribbon. The bride was attired in a robe of heavy white satin, the front of which was thickly veiled with crystal-embroidered lace. The dress was made with a long train, and garnished with natural lilies and apple-blossoms. The veil, of point lace, was of nearly equal length with the train and was fastened with white ostrich tips, three diamond stars and three diamond crescents. A necklace of large brilliants and a diamond brooch were also worn. The usual bouquet was carried by the bride. Mrs. Matrin Livingston, the bride's mother, wore a dress of white brocade, silk, trimmed with point lace. The organist, S. P. Warren, played a Nuptial March from Oberon, Weber's "Jubilee Overture," and wedding music of Mendelssohn and Wagner. The church was filled with a large and fashionable assembly. After the ceremony there was a reception for the relatives and intimate friends at the house of the bride's mother, No. 30 West Twenty-fourth street. The presents were numerous and of the costliest kind. A necklace of very large pearls was given by the groom. The bride and groom will sail for Europe on the 22d, and will spend some time with Mrs. George Cavendish Bentinck, sister of the bride, in London.

THE SUMMER AT MENLO.

The Chronicle says of Menlo Park: Much gaiety is anticipated during the summer at this point. The residence of Mr. Hertz has been purchased by the estate of the late James Donahue, and will be the home of Miss Mamie after her marriage. The adjoining place, formerly owned by Thomas Day, and presently owned by Mrs. Simms of San Francisco, has been purchased for occupancy by Mrs. James Donahue's brother, J. O. Kane.

The opposite place, owned by Mr. Castle, has been taken for the season by Edward Hopkins. Edgar Mills has just completed extensive improvements in his house, formerly owned by Gansel. The family of Peter Spreckles left the Baldwin last Monday to return to their residence here. Mr. and Mrs. William Adams, with their trio of lovely daughters, will leave this city shortly for their country-seat, which, aside from Governor Stanford's, is considered the most perfect, the grounds being an immense piece of tapestry work.

Colonel William Harney's residence will be occupied by his family this week; A. Hecht will take possession of his country house in a few days. Besides these later in the month James Flood, Mrs. Alchert, Major Rathbun and Mrs. Coleman return to their country-seats. Mrs. McDonough, who is now in Europe, generously opens her house, with its retinue of servants, for the pleasure of her personal friends.

The hotels also have more applications for accommodations than ever before.

The London Truth of a late issue contained this paragraph: "Sir Thomas and Lady Fernor-Heath have taken up their residence for a time at Easton-Neston, Northamptonshire, the hereditary seat of the Earls of Pomfret, which, with its estate, Sir Thomas inherited from his mother. It was at Easton-Neston that the Pomfret collection of marbles was kept, before they were presented to the University of Oxford."

THE ST. CHARLES.

The new hotel opposite the Court House which opened this week under the management of C. T. Swaney is to be called the St. Charles. The gentleman who is to conduct business there, is an experienced caterer and he promises a first class house. Every thing is neat, new and comfortable. The dining room is to be a feature of the establishment, and the kitchen will be presided over by a skillful white cook. Special arrangements are being made to accommodate summer visitors. From the style of the furniture and fittings it may safely be said that the new landlord "means business" and is determined to have his share of the patronage.

WHEN I publicly testified that I had been cured of a terrible skin humor by the Cuticura Remedies, I did so that others might be cured and do not regret the time given to answering inquiries.—Hon. Wm. Taylor, Boston.

CUTICURA—Relief in five minutes in every case, gratifying, wholesome and safe. Money values. Cure begins from first application, and is rapid, radical and permanent. Ask for Standard Cuticura. Complete for \$1.

THE TOWN OFFICERS.

Grimenstein Anxious for a Popular Verdict.

Marshal Grimenstein at the Saturday night meeting of the Redwood Trustees furnished a new \$1,000 bond with John Solon as security. It was accepted by vote of the Board and will probably end all proceedings for his removal. He announces that he is a candidate for re-election, for the very reason that his official character and administration has been brought into dispute by the Trustees. He wants an acquittal by popular vote. D. W. Ford is said also to be a candidate for Marshal.

Peter Early put in a modified bill charging \$150 for his services as Street Superintendent. Considering this exorbitant the Board promptly rejected it.

The Street committee were authorized to buy a water-cart. The work of laying the summer dust will then be contracted for.

Trustee Henry Kuck intended resigning, but finding that special election to fill the vacancy so made in the Board would be necessary, he is privately considering the matter. It appears that in order to have elected his successor at the general town election, he should have given notice so that this office might be included in those mentioned in the proclamation. Otherwise the matter will have to take the usual course. It does seem that if the gentleman really intends to relieve himself from duty the Board might strain a point and amend the call. Who is to contest it?

Candidates for offices are modest. It is reported that next week a caucus will be held to arrange for nominations. Trustee Smith thinks of going to southern California to locate, and will in that event be out of the fight.

MUSCULAR MEN.

Sparring Events that are Talked of Hereabouts.

There is some talk of Sullivan the pugilist, being exhibited in San Francisco under the management of Prof. Pasty Hogan. By the array of challenges with which he has been favored through the N. Y. Sun it looks as if he would not be able to come this summer.

Crawford of Mayfield, and Spaulding, of Redwood, did not wrestle as agreed last week, the former being out of condition. They were to try a fall or two to-night, but the Redwood champion is sorely smitten with boils and the match is consequently postponed.

The Manly Art of Self Defense is still "carelessly cultivated by the y. fellows of Redwood. The 'gloves' are in use nightly.

A SUDDEN BREREAVENT.

Herman Finger the adopted son of Theodore Finger of Redwood, was killed on last Friday afternoon while at his work in the store of Holbrook, Merrill & Co., of San Francisco, by the fall of a heavy piece of machinery which he was loading on a truck. The deceased having been raised in this community, was well known, and has many friends. He was a remarkably steady man, but the care of a wife and four children, had left but little leisure for accumulation. He was but 35 years old and just in his prime, when suddenly called away. Ray View Lodge of Odd Fellows, with a large attendance of friends to the family and acquaintances, met the remains at the railroad station, from whence the funeral march to Union Cemetery, where the interment took place.

THE WALLACE COMPANY.

The Wallace Sisters Dramatic Company playing in Germania Hall on Monday and Tuesday evenings of the past week, was admitted by general consent to have been about the best entertainment of its kind ever given in Redwood. It is a great pity that the patronage they got was not better. For two nights performances, the receipts were about \$120, a sum insufficient to pay more than expenses. It seems to be an outrage to charge a town license of \$6, per night, to people who leave the best part of what they earn in the town. Half that sum is a heavy tax. Pending an engagement in Portland, Oregon, the company has gone to Gilroy to play.

ODD FELLOWS PICNIC.

Ray View Lodge I. O. O. F. elected representatives to the Grand Lodge as follows: P. G. A., D. F. Hawkes, George C. Ross, and P. P. Chamberlain. One week from next Wednesday the lodge picnic in Turn Verein Park. The attractions on that occasion will be augmented by dancers and pipers from the Calcedonia Club.

At the last meeting of the lodge a proposition to purchase the property owned by Stafford & Dugan, adjoining their stables in size 50 x 140 feet, was reported on by the committee having the matter in charge. Messrs. Ross, Huid and Hawkes. Owing to some confusion regarding an easement on the property, the business was laid over until the next meeting.

THE NEW COURT HOUSE.

Two thousand dollars worth of furniture is expected for the offices and Supervisors rooms in the new County Court House. It is now being made in San Francisco.

Supervisors Green and Lawrence, a committee for that purpose, have decided to advertise for bids to build a fence around the Court House grounds.

The Word "Sesodont."

Which has already become a household word, is derived from the Greek, and composed of two words, Sesoo and Odontes. "Sesoo" translated means to preserve, and "Odontes" the teeth. "Sesodont" a preserver of the teeth. And it is true to its name. It beautifies and preserves the teeth, hardens and whitens the gums, rendering the breath sweet and fragrant, and removing all tartar from the teeth. It is as harmless as water. Sold by druggists and perfumers. m25-m

COAST AND COUNTY.

News From Pescadero and Half Moon Bay.

THE PEOPLE OF BELMONT.

The Candidates for Office—The Weather and the Crops—A Mountain Lion Aways—Etc.

If the farmers had the weather in their keeping, they could not have made it to suit them better than it has of late. The genial days, and balmy nights, are maturing the crops more successfully in a single week than in ordinary seasons would be in a month. April is our showery month, and there seems to be no reason to doubt that the last few drops necessary to recuperate the soil will be denied it.

From Half Moon Bay we have advice that the weather has been perfect for growing grain. A heavy frost on Sunday evening, damaged the potatoes slightly. The men who run threshers "calculate" on having a most prosperous run in the coming harvest.

The fishing has not been very good thus far, and the usual crop of exaggerated catches has not to be chronicled. Those who think of a trip after game fish, would do well to wait a few days, says the experts. On the Pescadero side are perhaps the best waters, from the Purissima southward.

SPANISHTOWN SECTION.

Items of Interest from all Along the Coast.

Geo. W. Lovie has been appointed District Deputy Grand Master of the A. O. U. W. for San Mateo county.

Robert Walker has gone to Calaveras county to try his luck at stock-raising.

Some days since a man named Lyas Marsh, who works for G. R. Borden, on the Mills ranch, saw a mountain lion crouching on the road as he was riding along. At first he thought it a strange dog, but when he recognized the critter. He tried to frighten the brute, but being unsuccessful galloped off, the great cat tracking him for some three-quarters of a mile, when it disappeared. Mr. Corbican who farms near the Mills ranch, has of late lost about ten young pigs, and he thinks the lion made away with them. On Saturday his big tracks were seen again.

Adam Simmonds was called home from his duties at San Quentin on account of sickness in his family. Mr. H. M. Templeton has taken his place for the time being.

Several nights ago an attempt was made to rob the premises of J. S. Wiley. About midnight the side door was opened, but the first step was heard by the vigilant watch dog who raised the inmates from the bed and caused the burglar to take his departure in some haste.

Several of the boys have had their dander raised by the report in last Monday's Call about the great catch of trout by several gentlemen. Mr. H. S. Pitcher, Geo. Wyman, and several others declare that it is impossible to catch over two hundred fish during several hours. They caught between 7 and 8 pounds each, and that only after hard work. The trout fishing law ought to be changed from the last of April to the 1st of May, as a large number of trout that have been caught have been found full of spawn.

W. H. Griffith who was home for several days on account of illness, returned to his post at San Quentin, having recovered from his indisposition.

John Strother who departed for Canada several months ago, arrived here on Monday last.

Mrs. Chas. Elkins, after lingering with severe sickness for several months, died April 5th, aged 34 years. Several doctors here and in the city used all their professional skill but without avail. The deceased was a native of Kildare, Ireland, and was widowed some years since. The remains were interred in the Catholic Cemetery. Four children remain to mourn her decease.

The Pacific Bridge Co. have sent down several men to build the wharf to the wreck of the Alice Buck. Mr. Peter Burk of this place has the contract for hauling the piles and timbers which are sent down by schooner to the landing. Holes are to be drilled into the rocks to a depth of six to eight feet and the piles placed in. The wharf must be substantially built to withstand the shifting rocks and the breakers.

Every few days brings to public notice, candidates who are willing to sacrifice their time to their State or their country's good. Harry J. Hatch (Constable for several years) is a candidate on the Democratic side for Sheriff. The young man is well known on the coast and no doubt if nominated will make a good fight for the position. William Nelson, who has been Road Overseer for several years, is willing to go to the Assembly on the Republican ticket. He is a good man and well known in the County. Another candidate now also looms up in the person of J. B. Doloff for Supervisor on any anti-Chinese ticket.

Prospects are splendid for a great rush of visitors this coming summer to Half Moon Bay and Purissima.

Mrs. Bowman who has a most charming spot at Purissima is repairing and renovating her house in first-class style. She has a number of friends who have engaged every room in the house; in fact she can not accommodate all who desire rooms. It is Doherty is also renovating his Purissima house for his expected guests. He thoroughly understands his business, and when he entertains a guest he is sure to call again. At Spanishtown Jas. S. Wiley is a man that is hard to beat for supplying his tables with the best of the season. He also has a number of the airy rooms at his Ocean Shore Restaurant. James Schuyler's hotel is so well known that further comment is unnecessary. Last, but

NOT LEAST, FRED. DUNN IS STRIVING

to gain the public's custom at his restaurant on Main street. Rooms can also be had at his house. The beach along the coast is as fine as any in the State. Shells of many handsome varieties can be had, as well as the most delicious clams. At the moss beach many sorts of the beautiful mussel can be secured without trouble. Fishing, hunting, bathing, etc., can be indulged in to the heart's content, and take it for all in all, Half Moon Bay and vicinity affords ample advantages for several weeks' leisure. The expense to and fro is reasonable, and charges at the hotels are modest.

Road Overseer J. C. Bennett has had the streets of the business portions of the town put in good order.

NEWS FROM BELMONT.

J. Butler of Santa Cruz was in town last week.

Mrs. Fayette Reed of Portland, Oregon, is visiting at Mr. Hull's.

Eugene O'Neill killed two wild cats last week on Mr. Sharon's chicken ranch.

Thos. Reed has had his large dairy driven over to the Burke ranch for two or three months.