where he will in future dispense the good things of life to the hungry. He provides an excellent

An election for city officers took place last week, which resulted as follows. Mr. Chapin was

re-elected Mayor :--Mayor-G. S. Chapin. Marshal-W. D. Kirk.

City Attorney--H. E. Ralf. Assessor-S. Rolfe. Treasurer-R. F. Walkinshaw.

Treasurer-K. F. Walkinshaw. Common Council-John Brown, D. Dixon, W. C. I. Morse, C. S. Kingston, N. Vise. Fourth of July-S3d Anniversary of American Independence. With pleasure we call the attention of our readers to the announcement, in another column, of the Southern Rifles. The names of the gentle man composing the committee, guarantee tha this will be a grand affair. The grounds will be made entirely level, and as the trees of the Arroyo Seco form a delightful shade, it will be cool and pleasaut. Rooms will be prepared for danc-ing, and everything will doubtless be arranged to the satisfaction of all. It will be necessary that all should have their tickets as early as the 6th of June, so as to enable the committee to com-plete their arrangements as soon as possible. Proceedings of the day will be announced in time.

New Goods, &c. Mesers. Winston & Welsh, druggists, have this week completed the improvements on their store. It has been refitted and painted, and a choice se-

lection of drugs just procured from San Francisco. Messrs. Prager & Morrishave received by steam-er a large addition to their elegant stock of ladies goods, which should be inspected early, to secure the new and beautiful styles. There is not a neat er store, nor a more varied stock, out of San Fran-

San Francisco. KILLING.—On Monday night a difficulty occurred between two persons, across the river, in what is called the Pueblico, named Dolores Sepulveda and Ramon Olivas, resulting in the death of the latter. Sepulveda was arrested and is now in grape vines are healthy and promise with the latter of the second latter. Sepulveda was arrested and is now in jail.

Major Blake, in command of the military post at Fort Tejon, arrived in our city on Tuesday, on his way to San Diego, on business connected with his command.

Mr. Banning was awarded the contract for Gov ment transportation from San Pedro to Fort rejon at \$4,74 per 100 pounds. Mr. Timms offer-ed proposals at \$4,75. The hay contract was not awarded. There were seven bidders, each at \$50.

PORT OF SAN PEDRO .- Arrived, on Wednesday, rehooner Julius Pringle, Gercia, master, from Sar Francisco, five days, via Santa Barbara ; assorted

are the camels brought through Bishop's ranch. to this country by Lieut. Beale, and left in charge of Mr. Bishop; there you may see them quietly grazing on the hill sides, or in the valley, perfect-ly tame, under the charge of the Turk, Hijolike, who is perfectly happy, apparently, with his

narge. I presume ere this you have learned of the safe arrival of Lieut. Beale at Washington city; of course we all await with great interest the action of Government upon his report. I also noticed that our fellow townsman, J. Lancaster Brent, Esq., is now in Washington, and has been appoint-

Eq., is now in washington, and has been appoint ed a visitor to West Point. Kern Lake is about sixteen miles from the Res-ervation, and abounds with small fish of every description. Some three miles from the Lake, will be found a slough of the Kern River, where the votaries of Isaac Walton can rest assured of solver terest according from one to fifteen nounds finding trout, averaging from one to fifteen pounds each-glorious sport; the bait generally used at this time of year is the grasshopper, with which he plain abounds.

To any one fond of fishing, hunting or field To any one fond of using, nutring of neo-sports of any description, I would say, shoulder your gun or rifle, take a good supply of ammuni-tion, select some good lines and hooks—small size are preferable—and wend your way to that part of the world; a laways, of course, supplying yourself with the necessary "doings" for the in, ner man. Arriving at the Fort, enquire for Dar-line, the justic selected hear builter, and Dalee

ing, the justly celebrated bear hunter, and place yourself entirely under his guidance, and you will have a glorious time. The hospitality extended to citizens, at Fort Tejon, by the officers of that post, is too well known for one to comment here upon it; suffice

are, besides, the aprice, peach, pomeranate, pears, apples, &c. &c.---all doing well, the elimate being suitable for their cultivation. Other part foulters repecting the Reservation, will be found in the communication of our friend "Harrie."

The fine steamer Senator arrived at the Port of San Pedro at an early bringing us files of Atlantic papers to 20th April. bringing us hies of Atlantic papers to 2001 April Among her passengers, we notice the arrival of Wm. M. Johnson, Beq., U. S. Coast Survey, and his lady; Miss Foster; our representative, Hon. Henry Hancock; H. N. Alexander, and C. M. Bache, U. S. Coast Survey.

To J. W. Sullivan, we are under obligations for package of papers.

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from Provo. Three streams of water pass through it, which irrigate some 2000 acres of land, owned it, which irrigate some 2000 acres of him, owned by the citizens of the place, upon which are raised excellent crops of small grain. Still south seven miles we arrive at Spanish Fork, upon which a fort is situated, with some colo inhabitants, and also an Indian farm containing several hundred acres of and, located and established by Dr. Garland Hurt, Indian agent in 1856. By traveling four miles fur, ther south, we make Peteetnet City, a pretty place, ther south, we make recently only, a pres-containing some good farming lands. The next place we strike is Summit Creck, upon which a Fort is built, but owing to the severity of the weather crops seldom mature. Salt Creck, or Nephi City, is situated some twenty miles south of this, the

is situated some twenty mues south of tols, the country between being entirely occupied as stock range. This place is noted for its abundant supply of plaster of Paris, which is used in all the finest buildings in the Territory. It has also a large quan-tity of arable land, well watered. South-east some forty miles is San Pete Valley, celebrated for its coal mines and large quantity of arable and grass coal mines and large quantity of arable and grass lands. It contains two Forts, one of which is inha-bited principally by Danes, the other by Americans-In this valley Dr. Hurt also established an Indian farm for the benefit of the Utah Indians. They cultivate it themselves, having a Mormon to superintend. From this place south-west sixty miles, and intend. From this place sources have hiles, in Fillmore from Salt Creek south sixty-eight miles, is Fillmore City, the capital of the Territory. At this place is the State House built by Government—a large and handsome red sand stone building. There are no other good buildings in the city, and very little good land nearer than six miles. It is watered by Chalk Creek, the dod of which is salid chalk and a good Creek, the bed of which is solid chalk, and a good article. The people residing here are mostly poor, article. The people residing here are mostly poor, having no market nearer than Salt Lake City for their grain, and that at a distance of 160 miles.-

 and provided from France an elegant stock of fancy goods, and has extensive assorities that he met with a serious accident in New York in the met with a serious accident in New York is in the met with a serious accident in New York is in the found in derivation of four and site in the county is a secient at fort Tejon that he met with a serious accident in the serious accident in the terms of and situate in the county jall, to await passage by the Senator, and was the serious accident in the serious accident in the terms of and situate in the county jall, to await passage by the senator of the analytic fort and series as a visit? Not our city in the county is a secient at fort Tejon, faale a "visit" to our city in seck, and attracted considerable attention, the terms of all will be one-half cash, and the series as account of early frosts. Parawan is the next city, the east care well with the long train of pack mules, we constant and the terms of all will be one-half cash, and the series as account of early frosts. Parawan is the next city is week, and attracted considerable attention, the terms of all will be one-half cash, and three of his ribs. He was expected to join the terms of the subset has been constanting about were well with the long train of pack wells, we constant from the city of Santa Barbars, is the divided into loss, beautifully cultivated as gardens, this is the "dull seasen," we constant from the city of Santa Barbars, is mith, the founder of Mormonism. He owns the principal buildings in the fort, having several of his is and the fact and so regring purposes. The found in the first the serious injuries in New York, in the first the serious injuries in New York, in the first the serious injuries in New York, in the first the serious injuries in New York, in the first the serious injurice in New York, the was knocked of the set of the second of A young grizzly was on exhibition at the Bella Union this week, which had been caught at Fort Tejon-it is about three months old, and quite a pet. We believe our friend "Juch" has it in charge, to convey to the "express menagerie" in San Francisco.

> There are, in addition, three or four small forts and settlements south of this place-one at Panther Creck, another on Santa Clara, and the last one, Los Vegas, which is in the Territory of New Mex-tes. These are all the settlements owned by the Mormons south of Salt Lake. All these settlements, as also those north, are go-verned by a President, Bishop and Council. In these men, authority and power is vected to govern and control all, temporally and spiritually. Nothing is done without consulting them, and if any should be guilty of acting in any business matter, without this comeutication, they are arraigned before the Council and cut off from the Church, for disobedi-ence and disregard of the servants of God. nd settlements south of this place-one at Panther

-----From Hon W. M. Gwin we have received sev eral valuable Congressional publications.

Wells, Fargo & Co. favored us with files of pa pers by this arrival.

ed the rewards accounts, or many the produce of California vineyards into money. LICENSES.-It appears that "free groceries" have been very common in our city, liquor being dispensed free from city license. In such deas the genuine "minnie whiskey" is dealt out to the genuine and here it is that the Indians procure GENUINE JAMAICA their supplies. To prevent, if possible, the de-grading scenes which are of weekly occurrence among the Indians, warrants were issued against all suspected persons, and those found guilty duly unished.

FINED.---Marijiidro Moriso, found guilty of sell-ing liquor to Jadians, was brought before Justice Sackett and fined \$100, he being an old offender. So profitable is this trade, that one follow stated he could afford to pay a \$40 fine monthly. The fine in this case will cut in a little to the profits of the nefarious traffic.

THE LAURA BEVAN .- Fears are entertained that the schooner Laura Bevan, Capt. Morton, is lost, as nothing has been heard from her since she cleared from San Pedro-some twenty days since Having had freight for Santa Barbara and Point Conception, and not putting in at either place, it is a sad probability that she may have been lost between those two points.

EXCURSION TO SAN DIEGO.--The steamer Sena tor arrived at San Pedro on Thursday last, from San Francisco, at an early hour in the morning. Previous notice having been given by her worthy commander, Capt. Thomas Seely, of his intention to make an excursion to the above named place and invitations having been extended to the citi zens of this city, many availed themselaes of the opportunity.

FOR THE STATE PRISON .- Mr. Joseph Bridger Sheriff of San Bernardino county, arrived in town to say, that no one ever leaves the post without being deeply impressed with the kindness and af-fability of the officers stationed there. Show the second of the second

An interesting letter from Fort Tejon will be found in our columns to-day, over the signature of "Harrie."

SERASTIAN RESERVATION.-Col. Vineyard, the superintendent of this Reservation, visited our city this week. The affairs of the Reservation The Indiana are the interval of the reservation in the interval of the reservation in the interval of the reservation interval of the reserval of the reservation interval of the reserval of the reservation interval of the reserval of the res In on SUNDAY, (May 256.) ne will open an **ICO Croam Saloon**, on Main Street, opposite the Montgomery House, where ice Creams, Fountain Soda, Syrups, Cattes, Sc., can be had from 10 A. N. to 12 P. M. A. M. to 12 P. M. A private spartment has been fitted up express-ly for the reception of families. He respectfully solicits the patronage of his friends and the public generally. Los Angeles, Mny 22, 1858.

An author who can write a book that will in-stract, and at he same time anuse, is a public throughout the land. Unfortunately we do not praise, but the book, which is the main thing, at rer all, is the manual of health, published by the Graefenberg Company of New York. It is re-plete with valuable information, and the aston-ishingly low price at which it will be sent to any plate of the country by the California agents: places it within the reach of every one. Buy one, and our word for it, you will never regret the tweenty-five cents.

sale of **NATIVE WINE**, on commission, or otherwise, for which advances will be given if desired. The advertiser, having been engaged in the wine trade in Europe, he became practically ac-quainted with the processes employed at all the chief wine growing districts of France. Spain, Portugal, the Rhine, &c. &c., and will therefore be found an eligible medium for coverting the produce of California vineyards into morey. A large and varied assortment of Syrenge.

TRANSPORT CONTRACT A most exquisite tropical drink, esteemed in all warm elimites for its fine flavor and delicous coolness, particularly when diluted with ice or coolid soda water. T. R. is the sole agent for

CROWTHERS BITTERS being superior to all others ; they are extensively consumed by the UPPER RANKS OF ENGLISH SOCIETY, as an agreeable and gentle encitant to APPETITE. my22

UNITED STATES HOTEL.

MAIN STREET, TOS ANGERLIES. THE SUBSCRIBER having leased the above establishment, bega leave to inform the public that he has reflicted and refor-nished the same, and that it will be con-duced in the very best style. The table will be hording an upplied with everything the market af-fords, and every care will be taken to marke the UNITED STATES HOTEL a comfortable home for boarders.

for boarders. A tached to the Hotel is a BAR, where the best of liquors and cigars are kept Terms, moderate to suit the times. T. WEAVER.

Los Angeles, May 22, 1858. Administratrix Sale.

BY virtue of an order of the Probate Court of the county of Santa Barbara, the undersigned, Administratrix of the estate of M. A. R. de Poli, deceased, will cause to be sold at public auction, in front of the C urt House, in the city of Santa Barbara, on Monday, June 7th, proximo, at 12 of clock, M., all that tract of land, situate in the county of Santa Barbara, known as the Ex-Illission of San Suemaventual excepting from such sale the homestead of the widow. The terms of sale will be one-half cash, and the remainder on a credit of four and six months, in two equal instalments, secured by boad mortgage on the property sold. The above Rancho, containing about twelve leagues of I and, is situated on the coast, thirty miles distant from the city of Santa Barbara, is watered by the San Buenaventura river, and abounds in the finest lands for agricultural or grazing purposes. The title has been confirmed by the Board of U, S. Land Commissioners. Santa Barbara, May 19, 1858. ENCARNAICON S. DE POLI, my22 2w Administratrix.

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NOTICE. THE owners of the following described proper-L ty, now in my possession, are requested call for them at my office, within one month from this date, or they will be sold at public auction for Wm. L. McIntyre, one package: extension ble; received June 11, 1857. Geo. Q. Cannon, two packages merchandize, one mai; received Dec. 7, 1857. J. O., San Pedro, one sack marble dust; receiv-ed Dec. 15, 1857. Isane W. Smith, San Bernardino, one box mer-chandize, one trunk ; received Feb. 2, 1858. P. O., one case merchandize ; received Feb. 127, 1858. ble

C. D., one quartz crusher, one package mer-chandize; received April 23, 1858. PHINEAS BANNING. Los Angeles, May 22, 1858. 3w Los Angeles Vineyard Society. Los Angeles Vineyard Society, residing in THE stockholders of this society, residing in the County of Los Angeles, are hereby notified to call on and pay the Sixth Instainment on each share, amounting to seventy five dollars (875 00) by the 15th day of June, to the undersigned. FELIX BACHMAM, Sub-Treasure. Los Angeles May 20, 1858. my2% 00)

