

255.26 treasure....The body of Alexander Bowman was found floating in the Bay, at the foot of Stockton Street....A man named Nicholas Rash, aged 35 years, was instantly killed by the caving of a bank at the north end of Russian Hill.

Oct. 2. A fire broke out about ten o'clock p.m., in the tannery of Sedgley & Davis, on the east side of Mission Creek, near Twentieth Street, destroying the main building and ten or twelve smaller ones. Loss estimated about \$60,000.

Oct. 3. Mr. J. B. Delabigne, aged 75 years, a prominent merchant of San Francisco, committed suicide by shooting himself through the head....Wilson Potter, aged 19 years, was run over by a train of cars on the San José Road, and instantly killed.

Oct. 5. A colored man named Henry Davis was drowned at India Dock.

Oct. 6. Michael Walsh was shot by a man named Thomas Byrnes, in a saloon on the corner of Jackson and Kearny Streets....A man named Tifel was drowned in the Bay, near Goat Island, by the capsizing of a boat.

Oct. 7. A fire broke out at 12, m., in a frame building on Shipley Street. Damage about \$1,100.

Oct. 8. The ships Clara Bell and Nightingale arrived from Russian America, bringing one hundred and thirty-five men, who had been employed there by the Western Union Telegraph Co....James Henry Wade, an ex-member of the State Senate, died from the effects of lock-jaw, aged 46 years.

Oct. 9. An attempt was made by a party of armed men to drive off some persons who had "squatted" on lots near the corner of Howard and Twenty-second Streets, resulting in a sanguinary riot, in which one man was killed and three wounded.

Oct. 10. Two fires occurred, one at 3 a.m., on the corner of Sacramento Street and Prospect Place, and the other at 4½ p.m., on Midway Street, both causing but trifling damage....The Pacific Mail Steamship Montana sailed for Panama with passengers and \$771,981.72 treasure.

Oct. 11. Two fires occurred: one at 9 p.m., at 1315 Dupont Street, causing but slight loss; and the other at 10 p.m., at 246 Third Street, destroying a stable and two or three dwelling houses; loss estimated at \$30,000....Maj. Gen. McCook, in company with Gen. McDowell and other officers, visited the fortifications in the harbor....The Pacific Hygienist, a monthly journal, was issued for the first time....A man named Bernhardt Fehnemann committed suicide at 423 East Street, by swallowing strychnine.

Oct. 12. The steam tender Ancon was launched at Owen's Ship-Yard....About 2 a.m., a fire occurred on Pacific Street, destroying a small frame building....Michael Walsh, who was shot by Thomas Byrnes, died at St. Mary's Hospital....A man named John Brown, aged 37 years, dropped dead while sitting at a table in a saloon on Pacific Street.

Oct. 14. The P. M. Steamship China sailed for Yokohama and Hongkong with a number of passengers and \$1,076,000 in treasure....Juan Morelos was shot on Jackson Street by a Chileno woman....James Kennedy was stabbed on Beale Street by a man named Jordan....J. Wason Thomas, a son of Gen. Thomas, U. S. A., died suddenly of an epileptic fit at the What Cheer House.

Oct. 16. An election held for the offices of Judge of the Supreme Court and Superintendent of Public Instruction, resulted in the success of the Democratic candidates.

Oct. 17. William Irwin, aged 52 years, died very suddenly of apoplexy....A woman named Quinn died suddenly while on a drunken spree in a house on Hunt Street.

Oct. 18. Oliver H. Rand, aged 54 years, died very suddenly at his residence on California Street.

Oct. 19. A. M. Chapelle, a well known real

estate dealer, aged 57 years, committed suicide by jumping from the Oakland ferry boat, while suffering from a temporary aberration of mind....A boy named Held was run over by a car on Market Street, and almost instantly killed....The P. M. Steamship Golden City sailed for Panama with \$529,645.54 treasure....A fire occurred about 10 p.m., corner of Main and Bryant Streets, destroying a frame building.

Oct. 21. A fire broke out about 1 a.m., on Broadway, partially destroying two or three small buildings; damage about \$500. Also at 5 p.m., on the corner of Jessie and Sixth Streets; damage slight....The body of an unknown man was found in the bay near Lime Point.

Oct. 22. The body of a man named Patrick Hayne, aged about 60 years, was found in the bay near the foot of Fifth Street.

Oct. 23. About 10 p.m., fire was discovered in a store on the corner of Third and Jessie Streets; damage trifling.

Oct. 24. A fire broke out about 5 a.m., in the Grotto Saloon, on Sacramento Street; damage slight.

Oct. 25. John Flint, a pioneer printer on this coast, died aged 65 years.

Oct. 26. A fire broke out at 9 p.m., in a frame house 207 Tehama Street; loss estimated at about \$300.

Oct. 27. Capt. Chas. E. Lovett, a pioneer citizen, died aged 57 years....A fire broke out at 11 p.m., No. 559 Hayes Street; damage trifling.

Oct. 28. The body of a female infant was found floating in the bay off Mission Street Wharf....Isador Williams was stabbed by William Smith at the Four-Mile House, on the Old San José Road....Joseph McGregor, a pioneer citizen, died aged 55 years....A fire broke out at 10 p.m., in a house on Larkin Street; damage, about \$1600.

Oct. 29. Capt. Hepburne, aged 47 years, was found dead in his bed at the Cosmopolitan Hotel....Capt. E. Howes, a well known citizen, died at his residence on Devisadero Street.

Oct. 30. The United States war steamer Tuscarora arrived in the harbor of San Francisco, from Honolulu....The P. M. Steamship Sacramento sailed for Panama with passengers, and \$505,957.75 treasure.

NOVEMBER 1. A fire occurred in a store on Kearny Street, near Pine; damage trifling....Delos Lane committed suicide, at 911 Sacramento Street, by taking strychnine.

Nov. 2. The body of a colored man named William Hitchings, was found in the Bay near Greenwich Street Wharf.

Nov. 4. A blast of 90 kegs of powder was exploded at Telegraph Hill, for the purpose of obtaining rock for the sea wall.

Nov. 5. William Carey Jones, a prominent lawyer and old resident died, age 51 years....The body of A. Marins Chapelle, was found floating in the bay, near Blossom Rock.

Nov. 6. A fire broke out at 9 p.m. on the corner of Drumm and Oregon Streets, destroying a two story frame building.

Nov. 9. The P. M. steamship Constitution sailed for Panama, with passengers, and \$324,472.11 treasure.

Nov. 10. A fire broke out about 5 p.m. at No. 1022 Washington Street, destroying the building and contents.

Nov. 12. Dedication exercises and banquet at the Chamber of Commerce, in the Merchants' Exchange Building, about 200 persons, including a number of invited guests were present.

Nov. 13. Dr. William J. Knox, an old Californian and member of the State Senate, died at the Lick House, age 47 years....An affray occurred among some of the students at St. Mary's College,