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Christmas does not vary much form year to year in its essential characteristics of love and good cheer. The world is to be greatly congratulated that its welcome recurrence brings mankind more nearly to he same plane of kindly feeling and of

has been no full in the rush of shoppers from morning until nearly midnight, during the whole of a preliminary fortnight. The merchants have driven a thriving trade and their customers have paid them their tribute of generous profit with giaddened and ungrudging hearts.

The CHRONICLE shoerely trusts that no one may be found on this great holiday either so lean in purseor so poor in hope that he may not heartily partake of the forcest writted the time. To every one that he may not heartly partake of the joyous spirit of the time. To every one who reads its pages it warmly wishes a merry Christmas and to the world at large that peace and good will which can alone conduce to the greatest degree of prosperity and general happiness.

SPIRITS AND WINES. Comment has already been made at sor Comment has afready been made at some length in these columns on what may be termed the Randall plan of reducing the revenue. We have before us a letter on the same subject which takes ground against the proposed reduction of the tax on distilled spirits, mainly because the concection of cheap and deleterious wines will thus be encouraged.

To suppress it."

Mrs. A. I. Murphy, executrix of the Those Individual of the State of Daniel T. Murphy, deceased, has made return to the Court of sales of cerminary in the Court of sales of very urgent necessity for a more stringen law against the adulteration and artificia

with him a considerable number of the younger members of the Conservative party, composing its most vigorous element. While the personal importance of Lord Randolph Churchill in his own eyes and those of his followers may easily be exaggerated, such a sum total of defection as this would be can not well be afforded. rlain to gravitate back to the side of and l'arnell's strong desire b eep the Irish party within such bounds at its methods of agitation may not England and Scotland, will give it greater strength in those countries as well, and will, it may be hoped, earry it forward to a speedy and triumphant conclusion. Churchill's dissatisfaction with the Tory Cabinet has this paramount significance—that he desired his party to secure a longer lease of power by stealing all the thunder of the librals. It may live to see the folly of the Liberals. It may live to see the folly

WHY AN EXTRA SESSION?

p is considered probable if the present agress fails to take any effective action step is considered probable II the present Congress fails to take any effective action for the arrest of the steady accumulation of a useless surplus in the Treasury. This would be equivalent to a confession that one Democratic House of Representatives has lacked both the ability and the respect due to an Executive of the same political complexion as livelf, that, one would think, would have induced it to deal with this crave. Escal question in a suitable this grave, fiscal question in a suitable manner. All the facts regarding the sur-plus, the condition of the national debi-and the legitimate means of reducing the revenue have long been before it.

It is hardly conceivable that President
Cleveland can have the hardlhood to call
an extra session of the Fiftieth Congress

THERE is considerable doubt contenting the course the Senset will pursue in regard to the Interstate Commerce bill. It is highly probable, however, that if that august body permits the measure to become a law it will not hurt the corpora-

THE FISHERIES QUESTION. The prospect of an amicable adjustmen of the difficulties between our Government, and that of Great Britain regarding the fisheries rights is apparently a good deal less probable than it was at the beginning of the controversy. The Dgminion Government certainly possesses a great advantage in the one-sided terms of the treaty of 1818, and is evidently determined to make the most of it. That treaty denies to American fishermen almost every privilege which is essential to the successful prosecution of their calling; at least such is the construction put upon it by the British authorities. The former can only enter Canadian ports when in distress or land upon Canadian soil in search of wood and water. They have no business there under any other pretense, the object of this stringent interpretation being ostensibly to prevent them from

and it. was so charged by Minister

the Churches. A DIRECTORY OF THE DAY.

CHRISTMAS SERVICES.

Music and Decorations of

10:30 o'clock, and at the latter hour a solemn high mass, followed by the benefiction of the Blessed Sacrament. At the second solemn high mass the "Kymer end of the Blessed Sacrament." At the second solemn high mass the "Kymer end of the Blessed Sacrament. At the second solemn high mass the "Kymer end of the sung from Masaris "Twelfth Mass." At the offertory Miss Fanny Denny will sing Adam's "Noel." The body of the church is not decorated, but the sanctuary is a mass of evergreens, holly berries and bright flowers, which, tastefully arranged as they are, when filluminated by hundreds of candles will have a beautiful effect.

At 21. Stephen's Church on Fulton street, between Webster and Fillmore streets, Christmas will be celebrated as usual, and the opening of the new organ will be one of the evenus of the day. The organist, Mr. Southwell, will play selections from "The Messiah." commencing at 10:45 o'clock, and morning service will begin at 11. The following is the musicat programme: Opening anthem in E flat, Milard; "There Were Shepherds Abding in the Field;" "Venite," chant in E: "Gloria," by Joseph Mosenthal: "Te Deum" in D, Lejedi: "Jubliate," in F, John B. Marsh; liymn 17, "Hark! the Herald Angels Sing," Mendelssohn: "Gloria fish," in E flat, Vincent Morello: Hymn 20, "Hark! What Mean Those Holy Voices," George W. Warren; offer tory, "Hear the Sweet, Angelic Voices," Danks; Hymn 29, "Gloria in Voices," Danks; Hymn 29, "Gloria in Voices," Danks; Hymn 29, "Gloria in Voices." nurches of the city have been hand-mely decorated in honor of Christmas, and in most of them especially selected

How the Anniversary Will Be

Observed in San Fran-

the music to be sung in each.

St. IGNATUS.

There will be seven masses celebrated at
St. Ignatius' Church to-day. The first will
be a solemn high mass at 5 o'clock, at
which kev. Joseph Sasia will be the cel-

in the assets and capital stock of the part neiship firm of Murphy, Grant & Co., ex-cept the claims known as the Alabama

A Receiver Asked For.

An action has been commenced in the Superior Court by Celia Hagan, as executivized in the will of the late Renjamin Hagan, against Isaac Manhelm. The plaintiff avers that Benjamin Hagan and the defendant were, from 1548 until the date of Hagan's death, in October last, partners in the stockbroking business, from which profits amounting to \$20,000 a year were realized. Since Hagan's death, as the plaintiff alleges, Manheim has refused her access to the books of the firm, and she therefore sketche Court to compel him to allow the inspection of the books by her, and that he be ordered to render an account of the business and that it be placed in the charge of a receiver.

Music at the Park.
The Second Regiment Band will play
to following music at the Golden Gate

c, Credo; d, Sanctus; e, Agnus Del.

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Dvertus; William 15.

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(first time by any military band in Amer(ca).

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Flood's Christmas Glits.
In accordance with his custom on the approach of Christmas, James C. Flood yesterday sent checks for various amounts of money to the following charitable institutions: Orphans' laylum Society (Protestant), S1000: Magdalen Asylum, in charge of the Sisters of Merce, S500; the Orphan Asylum, in charge of the Sisters of Graity, S1000; Bop's and Girls' Aid Society, S1000; Bop's and Girls' Aid Society, S1000; Pacific Hebrew Orphan Asylum and Home Society, S1000; California State Woman's Hospital, S250; Ladles' Protection and Rellef Society, \$1000. San Rafsel Orphan Boys' Asylum, \$1000.

Kustel & Wightman.

A Suit for Stander.

Frank F. Myers has sued his divorced wife, Lona M. Myers, to recover \$5000 damages for stander. The plaintiff alleres that the defendant in the presence of winnesses referred to him as a forger, this and sooundful." The orientant is a seacher in the Columbia Grammar School.

Muhlenberg, in D.; "NIX Fraum.

"LXV Psalm," Gregory: "LXXXV Psalm,"
Dr. Woodward; "Te Deum," Berg, in Bb;
"Jubilate," Berg, in Bb; "Creed," Dr.
Hodges: 17th hymn, "Hark! the Heraid
Angels Sing," Mendelssohn; "Responses
to Commandments." Taylor: "Gloria
Tibi," Thomas Hastings, Mus. Doct.; 24th
hymn, "Augels From the Realms of
Glory," Henry Snart, Mus. Doct; offertory, "Sing, O Heavens." Tours, in A:
"Trisaglon and Sanctus," Dr. Camidge;
505th hymn, "Humberg!: "Gloria in Excelsis," ancient chant. The church is
tastefully decorated with evergreens.

CHERCH OF THE ADVENT.

The decorations of this church, on Howard street, optosite New Montgomery, are
original and elaborate. The chancel is
banked with green and holly berries, with
calls lilles and ferms in profusion. In front
of the chancel stands the masterpiece. It
is a representation of an old English wood
screen and consists of dive arches, com-

choir will render Haydn's Mass No. 3.

At St. Francis Church in the Mission Dolores masses will be celebrated at 3, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10:30 o'clock and a sermon will be delivered after the last mass. The sitar is tastefully arranged with evergreens and vases of flowers, and the galeries and gas jets are ornamented with vereaths and festoons.

St. PIVL'S CHURCH.

Christmas services will be held in St. Paul's Church, on of Church street, near Twenty-minth street, at 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10:30 o'clock. The altar and chancel are decorated with festoons of evergreens and cut dowers. A sermon appropriate to the

nd 10:30 o'clock. At the last mass hoir will render Haydn's Mass No. 3.

SAN FRANCISCO CHRONICLE, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 25, 1886. CAUSES OF THE WRECK

Inebriety and Inexperi-

ence Alleged. A GREEN HAND'S STATEMENT.

Men Locked in the Hold and Scenes of Disorder and Confusion.

The last will and testament of Davi-

project in transfer testants, and reled yesterday morning. The waiter struck the cook over the head with a sugar bowl, and the fight was still in progress when Officer Conboy arrested the waiter and took the cook to the receiving hospital for treatment.

his profession, and was the prime mover in the founding of the California Women's Hospital. He was a Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ireland, and Vice-President of the Ameri-can Gynecological Society. Dr. Scott was an earnest worker in the California Soci-ety for the Suppression of Vice from its inception. He leaves a widow and two daughters.

Freight Rates Unsettled—New Ticket Offices.

Local shippers have of late become chary of the bestowal of patronage upon the railroad companies whoso agents quote the tarift, or rather half-tariff rates supposed to be maintained by all the members of the project of the project

prominent merchants claim to have re-ceived cut rates from certain lines, and they refuse to give shipments to other roads which are not inclined to meet the reported cuts. Still the affairs of the Freight Association have run along so smoothly from the time of its formation in the latter part of April up to the pres-cut, that the circulation of reports yester-day afternoon that the disrunding of the rominent merchants claim to have re

The Norwegian Society.
The following gentlemen have been elected officers of the Norwegian Society: Caplain B. Rasmussen, President: Severe Gullixson, Vice-President: F. Gulbandsen, Secretary; S. J. Bensen, Financial Secretary; J. Larsen, Treasurer; J. Stevens and O. Olsen, Finance Committee; Henry Lund and A. Trondson, Revisors.

Snyder's Sentence Postponed The passing of sentence upon John H. Snyder, convicted of rape for outraging Mrs. Louisa Bell, was postponed by Judge flunt Thursday for two weeks. Tom Collas, convicted of the same crime, is sery.

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LAMPS! STRIKES AND MONOPOLIES. Labor and Capital.

The Land and Labor Reform Club held a meeting in Judge Maguire's Court room on Thursday evening. Judge Maguire delivered an address upon "Strikes and Monopolies." He said that while strikes involved a waste of wealth, they were not for that reason to be condenned, for they were merely protests against the enslavement of labor. Strikes of themselves could not remove the wrongs of labor because they only deal with effects. He thought the underlying cause of all strikes and labor troubles was the monopoly of land.

After the conclusion of the address the following resolution was adopted:

\*\*Involved.\*\* That the testimony address the following resolutions was adopted:

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OF INTEREST TO MEN Senator Stanford Sued.

J. P. Sweeney & Co. brought suit in the Superior Court yesterday against Leland Stanford for goods sold and delivered to the defendant by the plaintif in 1877. Suit was begun in the Twelfth District Court in 1878 to compet payment of this debt, and a judgment was rendered in the plaintiff favor in 1892 for \$1101 10. This decision was reversed by the Supreme Court, and the plaintiff now sues to recover the original amount. A. S. GRAFF & CO.,

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