Miscellaneous.

THE CHINESE IN SAN FRANCISCO.

Description of one of their Temples—Singular Mixture of Business and Superstition—Josh in his Sanctum Sanctorum, &c.

[From the San Francisco Bulletin, Aug. 26.]

It may not be known to all our readers that there are in California six influential and wealthy Chinese companies, which are partly commercial associations and partly benevolent orders, and with which all the Chinese who come hither are in some sort connected. These companies are known as the Sam Yep, Yeong Wo, See Yep, Ning Yeong, Hop Wo and Yen Wo. They all have their headquarters in this city. Every Mongolian who comes to this coast is either consigned or indentured to the service of one of these companies. They have a complete registry of the names and whereabouts of their countrymen, are bound to look after them in health and sickness, so long as their connection with the company is preserved, and, if they die here, to return their bodies to China. They are not unlike, in their character and objects, those great commercial and colonizing companies that sprang up in Europe after the discovery of America, and that furnished emigrants and slaves to the New World, which they visited in search of gold and furs, for the purpose of establishing settlements and trading posts, and sometimes avowedly to convert the heathen.—The system of the Chinese companies is, however, more thorough, their motives and transactions generally more regular; and they also mix the religious element with their business in a different manner, not seeking to proselyte us "outside barbarians," but to furnish temples wherein the members of their own guilds may worship the wooden gods of the Celestial Empire, and burn Josh sticks and holy paper. The Sam Yep company have long had a temple on Pine street, in a building which rustic visitors to the city during the small-pox visitation of 1862 used to be waggishly misinformed was a pest house. The Ning Yeong Company have recently built a large establishment on Dupont alley, between Pacific street and Broadway, which has been popularly reported to be a pagan temple, wherein all manner of idols are worshipped and mystic rites performed. Popular report is partly right and partly wrong. The Ning Yeong Company, which is said to be the largest and richest in the State, and to have a total membership in California of eighteen thousand, erected a new building for its business headquarters mainly, at a cost of about $16,000, the furniture and outfit costing many thousands more. Its recent completion has been made the occasion of a grand festival, continuing through many days and nights, in which all the Chinese in the city are participating, and to which many Americans have been invited. The ceremonies began with a Chinaman going about throwing water from his mouth upon the furniture and into the corners of the room; and this queer proceeding was followed by a hideous outburst of barbaric music, the burning of incense, bowings before Josh, visiting and feasting. A great many "outside barbarians" have improved the opportunity to study Chinese customs, and to inspect the new temple of trade and superstition, which is worth describing. The main building is of brick, about twenty feet front, forty feet deep, and three stories high. The front is a recess arch under a square cornice, the windows opening upon iron-railed balconies built within the arch and outer square line of the building. This edifice is approached through a square one-story brick, opening into an inner court.

Standing in the courtyard and looking up, one sees that the front of the main structure is hung with long gilt wooden signs, inscribed with raised or sunken blue letter—four letters on each sign—and red and blue signs with gilt letters, while rice paper lanterns are suspended from the balconies. The first floor of the main building is divided into several small reception and smoking rooms, at the entrance to which stands a police officer, who admits whoever has one of the invitation cards issued by the company. In these rooms visitors are sometimes handed a cup of tea, some fried cakes, or a paper segar, and Chinese may be seen reclining on lounges and smoking pipes of wood and metal, which emit a very villainous smell. Back of the reception rooms is a sort of an altar, with gilt and red hanging, the front being open and showing what resembles a succession of small steps or shelves, which are covered with paper and inscribed with Chinese characters. This is the register of the dead. Here are inscribed the names of all the members or Wards of the Ning Yeong Company who have died in California. In front of this ghostly record lamps are kept burning night and day. The furniture of all the apartments on the first floor is of the plainest description. On the second floor is the company's business room, or exchange, where the president or Sing Song whose name is Wing Ga, and his head manager, Ah Wee, sit and smoke and talk, receive visitors, preside over meetings of the company, and direct its ordinary concerns, relieving the tedium of these occupations with an occasional tune on some of these thrilling two-stringed instruments for which Chinadum is so famous. The apartment is supplied with chairs and tables of very hard, black wood, that Ah Wee assures his American friends will break the edge of a steel implement. The walls are papered and hung in tapestry of crimson and yellow silk or satin elaborately embroidered in gold and high colors, and heavily fringed. Ah Wee says it cost $150 a yard, and was presented to the company by some of its friends. Ah Wee mixes a little English with his native language, and can answer almost any question, except it relates to abstract subjects, such as the religious opinions of his people, when he shakes his head and says, "No shabbee." He is glad to show his sleeping apartment, where he reclines upon an elegantly embroidered mat, and to exhibit his fine silken jackets and breeches, and his straight sword. He will even lay aside his dignity to play you a dismally doleful ditty upon the Sam Yen, a two-stringed banjo, the small drum of which is made of gay colored snake skin, or upon the Food Kim, a three-stringed instrument, which has a larger drum of wood. These instruments with several variations of them, larger or smaller, are thrummed upon by nearly every adult Chinese, with smooth bits of bone. Although this singular people have no written music, they have quite a variety of melodies which are transmitted from generation to generation, as were the ancient ballads of our own ancestors in Europe. The courtesy with which Ah Wee serenades his guests is delightful; but imagine the head of an American trading house of equal wealth pulling down a banjo in his back office to entertain a stranger during business hours.

Wing Ga, the President, or Sing Song of the company, has more dignity and longer nails than Ah Wee. Three of the nails on his left hand are fully three inches long, two of them bent like a bird's claws, one curled like an augur, and all the color of gutter mud. These long nails are a sign of blood—of aristocratic breeding; a proclamation to all whom it may concern that he, the great Sing Song of the Ning Yeong is not obliged to labor. He has fairer skin than the Chinese *canaille*, wears silk, smokes a great deal, says little, and keeps up a great deal of thinking. The room occupied by these worthies, like every other one in the house, has hung upon the walls a number of his wooden signs bearing the everlasting and inscrutable Chinese characters, which look like a bunch of triangles on a spree.

But the wonder of the whole building is the temple in the third story. The first glance at it reveals only a confused heap of gilt, crimson and blue cabinets, brass ornaments, crimson hangings, and gaudy signs, while the air is laden with warm and sickening odors. A more careful survey extracts something wonderful and systematic from this melange of barbaric tinsel and furniture. The walls and ceilings are nearly hid with the huge crimson; blue and gilt signs, each bearing four large letters, supposed to be a motto of some sort—and some inscriptions in smaller characters on one end. These are said to be presents from other companies and from their friends here in China. Across the centre of the room are placed three cabinets, each about ten feet long by two feet wide and four feet high, made of exceedingly dark and heavy wood, and the fronts carved in high relief in the most grotesque and elaborate manner. Some of the carvings represent the interior of houses, with figures of men, beasts, birds and insects in strange juxtaposition, while others consist of trees, vines and scroll work—all gilded, the background being the original dark color of the wood. On top of these massive cabinets are large braziers filled with incense, or containing live coals, in which sticks of sandal wood are slowly burning; fantastic wax tapers, sticks of punk three feet high and four inches thick, lofty vessels of a metallic like tin, whose use is not apparent; small images, peaked yellow flags, pyramids of fan-shaped bunches of artificial flowers, peacock tails and insects, and mixed with tinsel ornaments; blazing lamps, carved and gilt sticks of sandal wood, &c.—Along the sides of the room, at the end of these cabinets, are banners of embroidered silk, round, and square, and fringed; drums, brass emblems, military, civic and weapons of war. Much of the furniture and trumpery described was presented to the company. The front cabinet, which Ah Wee says cost $400 in China, where wages are less than a cent a day in some districts, was a gift from the Chinese employed at Mission Woollen Mills. In the rear of all this splendor stands the altar of Josh, the wooden god of the almond-eyed idolaters. This is a square alcove of carved and gilded wood, about one hundred feet high and perhaps as wide, in which sets the awful Josh himself—a bigpaunched Chinaman, with a brick red face, long strips of red cloth flowing from each side of his head, three long tails of black horse hair sprouting out of his chin and corners of his mouth, and his person bedizened with blue, green, crimson and gilt earvings, studded with bits of glass, to represent his small clothes, and above his head a brass sun as if the celestial superstition had mixed with it a bit of Persicism. We are asked to believe, while in this awful presence that Josh, when alive on earth, stood fifteen feet in his bare feet, wielded a battle axe that weighed a ton, and one day killed thirty thousand of his foes. In proof of this story we were shown by Ah Wee, in a manner that admitted of no controversy, a wooden battle axe, highly carved and gilded, which is an exact representation of the one that Josh swung with such fatal fury. Under Josh's august nose blazed several oil lamps; and sticks of burning sandal wood and punk, and braziers of incense powder, sent up wreaths of smoke filling the room with an odor that was rather pleasant after awhile. Before this altar the heads of the companies clad in long blue robes and black skull caps, appear daily during the festival, bowing, kissing the floor and chanting, while the Som Yen and Good Kim are twanged, and drums are beat in horrid dissonance. Hither are brought offerings of baked and raw meat—whole sheep and hogs. A record of these is kept, but with the exception of the left hind quarters of the baked animals, they are taken away again by those who bring them. This is an economical form of sacrifice, and probably does Josh as much good as though his votaries did not save their bacon so carefully. The religious ceremonies are soon over, (and that is another wise economy,) though during the current festival they are frequently repeated. It is a curious fact that the Chinese do not resent or apparently object to the presence of Americans during these rites. Perhaps they are willing to give us every opportunity to be converted, and desire to set us an example of liberality and courtesy which we will be long in following. It will be seen from the above sketch what a queer world there is within our own—what a queer civilization, older than ours by thousands of years, and representing in the glare of the nineteenth century the intellectual achievements, the manners and costumes of a people who seem to have been revived and transplanted from an epoch that antedates the flood.

Smoke for Wounds.

A correspondent of the Country Gentleman mentioned the case of a horse, which was just ready to die of an old and festered wound. Fortunately, he adds, at this stage of the case, an old Pennsylvania teamster came to our relief and recommended smoking with old shoes. A smoke was made of old shoes, soles and all, cut in pieces, in a hog trough, and placed under the swollen parts. In a few hours the swelling wholy subsided, and the sore commenced discharging matter—the horse was saved.

Some years after this I heard two persons talking about a horse which had been gorged in the abdomen. In this case everything had been tried in vain. The poor creature must die. At my suggestion he was smoked, and when I next heard from him the old horse was well. So much for old wounds.

In the same year I cut my foot with an axe. The lady of the house, seizing the fox while it was yet bleeding freely, held it over a pan containing smoking tag-logs. In a few minutes the bleeding stopped, and the smoke was removed, and a bandage applied to protect it from accidental blows. The wound *never maturated* and consequently *never pained me*. I have seen this remedy tried in many similar cases, and always with same results. Let the reader bear in mind that no liniment or salve, drawing or healing, should be applied. You have merely to smoke the wound well, and nature will do the rest.

I suppose the smoke of burning wood would produce the same results, but it would not be so manageable. There is a principle in the smoke of wood, which when applied to the flesh coagulates the albumen, thus rendering it unsusceptible of putrefaction. The same principle stops bleeding by coagulating the blood. It promotes healing, and may be applied with decided benefit to almost all ulcers wounds and cutaneous diseases. See Turner's Chemistry, by Liebig and Gregory, p. 1242.

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ASSESSMENT NOTICE.—ASSESSMENT No. 10 of the Lancaster County Mutual Insurance Company.
The Members of said Company are hereby notified, that an assessment of 3½ per cent. has been made on all premium notes, deposited for policies issued by this Company, prior to the 8th of March, 1864, and 1 per cent. on all policies issued after the 8th of March, and up to September 13th, 1864.—[Note policies issued after September 13th, 1864, are not liable for this assessment, and where any alterations have been made in policies of insurance issued previous to the 8th, March, '64, and new policies issued on account thereof, which changed the amount of premium notes of each 1 per cent. is only to be changed on the present amount of note, and 2½ per cent. on the former amount of notes.] to pay for losses to the Company, for the past two years, to wit:—
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Sec. 12th: Of the By-Laws.
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Legal Notices.

ESTATE NOTICE—ESTATE OF JOHN WELSH, late of Lancaster city, deceased.—Letters of administration on said estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted thereto are requested to make immediate settlement, and those having claims or demands against the same, will present them without delay for settlement to the undersigned, residing in said city.
MARGARET WELSH,
no3 6tw 6t* Administratrix.

ESTATE OF JOHN C. HINDMAN, Dec'd.—The undersigned, appointed Auditor by the Orphans' Court of Lancaster county to report distribution of the balance in the hands of John M. Heyburger, administrator of John C. Hindman, late of Bart twp, in said county, dec'd, will sit for that purpose at the Court House, in the city of Lancaster, on THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8th, 1864, when and where all persons interested may attend, if they see proper. REUBEN H. LONG, Auditor.
nov 16 4tw 45

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—ESTATE OF Susanna Eaby, late of Leacock twp., dec'd. The undersigned Auditor, appointed to distribute the balance remaining in the hands of Moses Eaby, Administrator, to and among those legally entitled to the same, will sit for that purpose on SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17, at 1 o'clock, P. M., in the Library Room of the Court House, in the city of Lancaster, where all persons interested in said distribution may attend.
JOHN C. MARTIN, Auditor.
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ESTATE OF JOHN SEHNER, DEC'D.—Letters of Administration Cum Testamento Annexo, on the estate of John Sehner, late of the city of Lancaster, dec'd., having been granted to the undersigned, residing in said city, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims will present them without delay, properly authenticated for settlement.
JOHN F. SEHNER,
Administrator with the will annexed.
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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—ESTATE of Margaret Wise, late of West Cocalico township, deceased.—Letters of Administration on said estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted thereto are requested to make immediate settlement, and those having claims or demands against the same will present them without delay for settlement to the undersigned, residing in East Cocalico twp. CYRUS REAM,
nov 16 6tw 45] Administrator.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—ESTATE OF Christian C. Lapp, of East Lampeter twp.—The undersigned Auditor, appointed to distribute the balance remaining in the hands of John S. Lapp, Assignee of C. C. Lapp, aforesaid to and among those legally entitled to the same will sit for that purpose on WEDNESDAY, the 7th day of DECEMBER, 1864, at 2 o'clock, P. M. in the Library Room of the Court House, in the city of Lancaster, where all persons interested in said distribution may attend.
JOHN QUIGLEY
nov 16 4tw 45] Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—ESTATE OF Rebecca Schner, late of the Borough of Washington, dec'd. The undersigned Auditor, appointed to distribute the balance remaining in the hands of Jacob B. Shuman, to and among those legally entitled to the same, will sit for that purpose on WEDNESDAY, the 21st of DECEMBER, A. D. 1864, at 10 o'clock, A. M., in the Library Room of the Court House, in the City of Lancaster, where all persons interested in said distribution may attend.
D. G. ESHLEMAN,
nov 20 4tw 47] Auditor.

REGISTER'S NOTICE.—THE ACCOUNTS of the respective decedents hereunto annexed, are filed in the Register's Office of Lancaster county, for confirmation and allowance, at an Orphans' Court, to be held in the Court House, in the City of Lancaster, on the THIRD MONDAY IN DECEMBER, (the 19th,) at 10 o'clock, A. M.
Ann Mary Nunnemacher, Executrix of Martin Nunnemacher.
David Zook, Administrator of Thomas Finney.
Dr. H. E. Muhlenberg, Guardian of Rose Ann Bear.
Ann Maria Waitz and Elizabeth Etter, Administratrix of Martin Baumfiler.
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Jacob L. Landis, Executor of Benjamin L. Landis, who was Guardian of Emanuel Landis.
Jacob S. Landis, Anna Landis, (now Delp,)
John Landis and Benjamin Landis.
Mary C. Porter, Administratrix of George W. Porter.
Andrew Gerber, Administrator of Abraham Fry.
Robert Killough, Administrator of Mary E. Hoops.
John Denlinger and Tobias Denlinger, Executors of John Denlinger.
Samuel Triscett, Administrator of John Felix.
Philip Fassnacht, Administrator of Susanna Fassnacht.
Benjamin Snavely and Christian Snavely, Executors of Christian Snavely.
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John Rauck, Administrator of Philip Hook.
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Charles A. Heinitsh and William E. Heinitsh, Executors of John F. Heinitsh.
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Samuel Nissly, Administrator of Geo. Becker' who was Guardian of Henry C. Roth, John Roth and Salinda Roth.
Alexander Danner, Attorney in fact of Michael M. Deitrich, Administrator of Elizabeth Locher.
Samuel Nissly, Administrator of George Becker, who was Guardian of Susan Emma Hertz.
Magdalena Gibbel, Executors of Fanny Gibbel.
Samuel Shimp, Administrator of Susanna S. Shimp.
Samuel Elser and Samuel Nissly, Executors of Elias Wechter.
John Lawer, Administrator of Mary Doner.
Jeremiah Brown and John N. Russel, Executors of George Morrison.
George Nauman, Guardian of Anna E. Nauman.
Jeremiah Brown, Administrator of Lewis Bradley.
Peter Eby, Administrator of Elizabeth Eckert.
Henry S. Musser and Mary Shill, Administrators of Henry Shill, who was Guardian of Henry Dugan and Mary Dugan.
William F. Stauffer, Administrator of Jacob Erb.
Archimedes Robb and Henry Barton, Administrators of Mark Connell.
Samuel P. Bower, Executor of Barbara Hoffman.
Benjamin F. Kinzer and William W. Kinzer, Executors of George Weidler.
Jeremiah G. Hess, Executor of Samuel Boyd.
Jacob G. Pfahler, Guardian of Emily Heise, (now Mrs. Buckius.)
Jacob K. Hoffman, Administrator of John M. Gibbel.
Samuel Eby, Executor of Samuel Shrode.
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Michael Horst and Abram Horst, Administrators of Samuel Meckley.
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Real Estate.

VALUABLE CITY PROPERTY FOR SALE.—On SATURDAY, the 17th day of DECEMBER next, the undersigned Executor of the Will of Mary Ann Gilbert, deceased, will sell by public vendue, at the public house of Philip Fitzpatrick, in South Queen street, in the City of Lancaster, the following described real estate, late of said deceased, to wit:
No. 1. A Lot or Piece of Ground, situate on the west side of South Queen, between Cherry and Hazel streets, in said city, containing in front, on South Queen street, 33 feet and 4 inches, and in depth about 215 feet to Beaver street, on which it contains 34 feet and 3 inches, adjoining No. 2 on the north and No. 3 on the south, with a DOUBLE ONE-STORY HOUSE and other improvements thereon.
No. 2. A Lot of Ground adjoining the above described Lot on the south, and a 3 feet wide common alley on the north, containing in front, on South Queen street, including the one-half of the width of said alley, 37 feet, and extending in depth about 245 feet to Beaver street, on which it contains 34 feet and 2 inches, with a double TWO-STORY FRAME DWELLING HOUSE and other buildings, and an excellent well of water with a pump therein.
No. 3. A Lot of Ground adjoining No. 1, above described, on the north; and ground of John Holton the south, containing in front, on South Queen street, 23 feet and 2 inches, and extending of that width about 245 feet to Beaver street.
If desired the said properties will be sold in one Lot, containing in front, on South Queen street, 92 feet, and extending westward to Beaver street, on which it contains 99 feet and one inch.
The sale will begin at 6 o'clock in the evening. Terms cash on the 1st of April next.
JACOB ZECHER,
nov 16 tsw 45] Executor.

PUBLIC SALE.—ON FRIDAY, THE 23D day of DECEMBER, A. D., 1864, the subscribers, being the surviving Executors of the last will and testament of Michael Kline, dec'd, will sell at Trostle's Hotel, in the village of Hahnstown, in Ephrata twp., Lancaster county, the following real estate, to wit:
Purpart No. 1. Consisting of a small Tract of Land or Lot of Ground, situate in said village, adjoining properties of James Troutand others, and the road leading from Reamstown to said Hahnstown, containing 2 ACRES, more or less: whereon are erected a ONE AND A HALF STORY WEATHERBOARDED DWELLING HOUSE, and a