

FOR BENICIA.—The new and elegant steamer *Cornelia* has been put upon the route from this city to Benicia. She will leave here at 9 A.M. and return at 5 P.M.

COMMON COUNCIL.—Both boards of the Common Council will meet this evening at their rooms in the City Hall.

BURGLARS.—It appears that the city is full of burglars. Yesterday morning, about 3 o'clock, Dr. Kegensburger was awakened by a noise at his door, and supposing some person had come for medical services, he thrust his head out of the window and saw at the door a man, who immediately ran. Two others in the street, at a distance, evidently accomplices, made off with him. The fellow at the door, was just upon the point of unlocking it when disturbed. Be ready for them with cold lead. There is scarcely a day passes without the occurrence of one or more burglaries, which are not always mentioned by the papers.

LATER NEWS FROM THE INDIAN RESERVATION—ARRIVAL OF CAPT. HOWARD.—The *Stockton Republican* gives the following interesting information from the Indian Reservation :

"Capt. Howard arrived last night from the Tejon Pass. He left the Indian Reservation on the 10th of the present month, and he gives the most glowing description of Lieut. Beale's experiment with the Indians. He is working wonders. There are now some 2300 of these wild inhabitants of the Sierra Nevada profitably engaged in the working of the soil, and the cry is still they come, as every day brings some new accession. It is a mistake to suppose that these are Mission Indians; the vast majority are men who have frequently been brought in conflict with the whites. Runners have been sent to every part of the State, and even tribes of the Sacramento region have sent their representatives to inquire into the condition of affairs, and all are delighted at the prospect. Lieut. Beale had only sixty Indians to commence with, but the news soon reached the ears of one of the most influential chiefs in the southern district, and he brought in every man of his tribe.

"Capt. Howard says that the objection which some urge against Lieut. Beale's plan, namely, that it is situated in the midst of a county which will ultimately be settled by the whites, has no force. It appears that this reservation is bounded on the north by a desert country, on the west by a lake, and on the east by the mountain region; on the south again lies an almost desert country. The Indians reside comfortably in tule houses of their own construction, but in a short time Lieut. Beale will teach them to erect adobe houses. There are no ardent spirits permitted within the reservation. The lake and streams afford an abundance of fish and the prairie abounds with game. Many of the Indians are employed in dressing skins. Some specimens of their work we have seen. Capt. Howard had a 'big talk' with the Merced Indians the day before yesterday. They are nearly all going to the reservation.

"The Four Creek country is fast settling up. On Tule river where six months ago there was only one family, there is now a population of some fifty persons."