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It is by this line that the long-established and
well-known firms of Wells, Fargo & Co., and Adams
& Co., have their express matter transmitted; and
the promptness and dispatch that has ever charac-
terized the agents of these two companies, cannot
but command the entire confidence of our business
community.

Democratic Meeting.

At a meeting of the Democracy of Placerville,
Precinct No. 1, on the evening of the 14th instant,
G. D. Hall was chosen chairman, and A. C. Barry
and W. Wadsworth, Secretaries. The following
persons were duly appointed as delegates to the
County Convention, to be held at Coloma on the
21st instant:

H. Doyle, Alex. Hunter, W. Wadsworth, W. D.
Williams, W. J. Burwell, J. O'Donnell, C. W. Ture-
man, J. L. Shober, G. D. Hall.

Resolved, That H. Doyle, J. H. Murphy and F.
A. Bee, be and they are hereby appointed Precinct
Committee, to correspond with the County Central
Committee.

G. D. HALL, *Ch'n.*

A. C. BARRY,
W. WADSWORTH, } *Secretaries.*

At a large meeting of the Democrats of Plumbo
Hill and Smith's Ranch Precinct, on the 14th inst.,
Col. Plumbo was chosen chairman, and Charles E.
Goodale, Secretary. The following elections were
made:

Col. John Plumbo and Samuel Silliman, Dele-
gates to the County Democratic Convention.

Dr. Wicker and M. Traverse, Precinct Standing

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