The Weekly Chroniele.


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era seems to have been pretty well wipe but intelligent battle with greed, igno ance and superstution, it to winds of the people to source future pest, and the propention. Consider the fach hat up to the very last moment, yester day at noon, pest roden ships continue
to arive in New York, daily almost, in pite of the President, Governor FFower
Iealth officer Jenkins, and the protest of $60,000,000$ people.
cing scoure reste the blame fors this mena- it dates far back even to the first emigrant ship that
brought to the United States those who could no longer find a home in other
lands. Americans proudy boasted of having a free country, where all nationnations, we have allowed them to to grimly hadow our shores with pestilence and
death, saying nothing of other dangers sams: A Washington corresponient
It is the duty of every good American
citizen to see that this subject is one of immediate consideration. Let the rot-
ers give congresse to understand that this
country has had enough emigration. country has had enough emigration.
EEery year thousand of the poorest,
and frequeatly tha mostabandoned, class
 dness. They swarm into our cities,
welling the masses of the poor, and thcreasing the misery which phar, gradually
frown beeond the aid of Amerian char-
ity, as noble and us widespread as it may e, as noble and as widespread as it may
e. We have had enough of inmiga-
ion," says a Washingtonian, whose hair has grown gray pondering over the
cience of govennment. Itha dereased
wages, increased erime, and flooded the
 beneticial,", as is claimed by those who
favor it. Theetteamshipoonpaies have
reaped millione from their emigrant.
Let congress pass a law making it at Lee congress pass a law making it as
penitentiary ontense for the President
and overy oftial of the companies, and
for the captain and officersof ever shi to land a steerage passenger ou our coasts,
and the probem will vanish. $\begin{aligned} & \text { or own } \\ & \text { poor are to be aided, and unst so long }\end{aligned}$ immigration continued, and just so long as
divide lanve to-
diboc, and this division is beyond numerical caleulation At an an gathering
of distinguiched seholas an American
was boasting of our universal prosperity, was boasting of our universal prosperity,
The great historian Carlye remarked:
TThat is because you have not so many Following up THE Cuteosicue line of
argument, that there is no place like
the Oregon Inland Empire, Hon. A. N.
Hamitoon, of La Gramde, now in Port-
land, says: The fruit crop on the
Snake river and through Baker county
is immense. The vield is heavier than
it has been for years, and the quality is
the very best. No California peaches
can compare with the peaches we have
this year. The grapes also are very
fine, some bunches weighing from two fine, some bunches weighing from two
and a quarter to our pounds. I have
shipped 5 ,000 boves of fruit the shipped 5,000 boxes of fruit this year
and am still gathering. Most of the
fruit is shipped to Idaho, Montana and Colorado. The hay crop is anso very
heavy, and cattle are looking fine and fat. In short, Baker and Union coun-
ties will hare no reason to complain
this year, astho tionally, good. Threshing in the Grande
Ronde valley is nearly finished, and
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 taxpayers. Papers haverns delinquent
parties in Wailla Waila for served on taxes in Whitman county, one case the taxes
delinquent were only $\$ 2.26$, while the
attorney's feeg attorney's iees as allowed by the law
were $\$ 10$. In every case there is an
thorney's fee how small the tax. In Spokane, Monday evening, Senator
Allen made a ringing speech to an im-
mense and enthuin mense and enthisining speech to an impressively proved that the state of arty that brought it into the uni
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New York dispateh gives the following figures of the visible supply of grain:
Whent, $41,369,000$, increase $2,653,000$ : corn, $9,795,000$, in $6,019,000$, increase 604,000 increase 79,000 ; barley, 430,000 , increase 105,000. Choleris oit of Ameri
 The first cholera-infected steamer
arrive in New York was a vesel of
Hamburg-American line. The disen Hamburg-American line. The disease making only a casual reference to th
broke out on the steamer when she was amfuir. These papers must feel terribl
but forty-eight hours out to sea. But rebuked if they sfiould chance to epe the but forty-eight hours out to sea. But rebuked if they Stiould chance to see th
her officers kept her headed straight for Oregonian, which for some day land free from all taint of the piague. devoted about one-lialf of its readin
Since then other vessels of the same columns to details concerning the tw ine have brought contagion to Ameri-
can shores. In all probability the fire Other lines have sent infected boats, tat other lines have been prompt in
takecautions. The HamburgAmerican company has manifested a
majestic indiference to the safety of our people and to the demands of decency.
Still their pest-laden vessels come to us. Suntheir pest-laden vessels come to us,
Another chip, the Bohemia, arrived on
Sunday, with four cases, from Europe. As this ressel was found to be infected,
why are the authorities not perfectly
justified in turning justifed in turning her prow abount and
sending her back whence she came? From greed, indifference or sheer wil-
fulness, the Hambarg-American company is apparently willing to curse this
country with a pest. TTere can be no
law compelling us to sit law compelling us to sit quietly by and
submit to an outrage as heinous as this. It is interesting to look at the condi-
tion and tendency of the wage-worker,
as they appear form the as they appearf rom the angle of vision
of the greatest of capitalists. For this
reason the ntterance of Baron Rothsreason the ntterance of Baron Roths-
child upon the rubjeet of labor is inter-
eating: "I do not believe in the socalled labor movement," Baron Roths-
chitd says. "Oniy the idle good-for-
nothings desire the He brands as "rubbish" the talk that
there is "danger in so much capital being in the hands of a few men." En-
larging npon this latter phase of the eabject, he undertakes to explain why away from Massachusetto during the
it is that the concentration of capital is worked with Searles in whe upholstery Some men are richer, others are poor tions, which sert from to be be appy exveldable
each shares in the capital according to In Seattle on Monday last Rep. Wit-
son pointed out the disastrons effeets that would have followed the Stewart
silver bill, which would have resulted
in the immediate contraction of the
currency by $\$ 100,000,000$, the amount of
silver certificates which would have exchange in gold. Meantime the treaz-
ury woupl have started to coin the $\$ 100$, ,
000 ;000 of silver in its vanlts, and as the
mint capacity was only $\$ 8,500,000$ a
month, it would have been two years before the government would need
pprchase silver from the mines, mest of
which would have to shut down.
$\qquad$ A company has offered the sam of
\$40,000 to Klockmann and his partuers
for their mining claim in the Priest
Lake countra. A shaft has been sunk
on the claim ten feet, and shows $\$ 15,000$ worth of ore in sight. The owners have
refused the offer.
Congreseman Wilson is talking to imCongressman Wilson is talking to im-
mense aadiences in Western Washing-
ton, and Senator Allen has been heard
from in a crushing speech at Spokane, from in a crushing speech at Spokane,
so that the campaign in Washington, as
well as IIthho, can no olonger be said to
be painfully oppressive on account of
its singular silence.
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