

## OCCEIDENTAL NEWS.

### Several Pests New to Southern California Discovered.

Arrangements have been made for excursions of colored people from the South to the World's Fair, and it is expected that 250,000 will thus be added to the attendance.

### OREGON'S BRILLIANT DISPLAY.

The Brutality of the Foreman of a California Mine—Davis Will Case Again in Court.

Five large ships will load grain at San Diego this season.

The total valuation of the estate of W. S. Ladd, who died at Portland some time ago, is \$7,500,888.

The Atlantic and Pacific railway is suing the Prescott and Arizona Central for \$25,000 for use of material.

Portions of Southeastern Oregon are said to have been devastated by grasshoppers and crickets this summer.

Stockton is willing to contrive a city, 100 and the right of way into the city if it can be assured of a competing railroad in the San Joaquin Valley.

Edge Hoop at Los Angeles has overruled the picture in the case of the Southern Pacific vs. J. M. C. Arata, involving a large amount of railroad lands.

A bar of gold valued at \$10,000 was brought to Virginia City by a silver miner. The bar is the result of the crushing of eight tons of ore from the Oest mine.

The famous Davis will case is again before the State (Mont.) courts. His heirs of John Davis will divide the estate between them.

A resolution has passed the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce indorsing the initiative and referendum bills, and a special session of the Legislature be called to make an appropriation.

Gerónimo Elizalde, a Frenchman who has resided in Coahuila county, A. T., for years, has just arrived at Yuma. He says the story of Ferguson, Cline and party relative to the finding of a lost city west of Yuma is without foundation.

O. B. Anderson, an engineer, has by triangulation established the height of Glacier Peak, Snohomish county, Wash., as 11,500 feet. Mount Rainier is 10,900 feet high; Mount Baker, 11,000 feet. Mount Shuksan, Whatcom county, Wash., is said to be taller than Mount Rainier.

Senator White visited Mare Island yard recently, and thoroughly inspected the business methods of the government. Through the heads of the various departments he obtained much information, and was enabled to take notes of many things that are needed to place the island in close business conditions with Eastern yards.

United States Judge Berger at Portland has ruled that a Chinese woman who was refused landing by the Collector of that port on the ground that she was only the wife of a Chinese man, was entitled to land.

The San Diego Union says: Several points new to this continent, and which have lately been discovered by Horticultural Commissioner Gunnis, among which are the black aphid, the woolly aphid, the Norfolk Island pine scale and the telegraph wire scale, are commonly known as the six-spotted mite. Some of the above have never before been known west of the Rocky Mountains.

John McLaughlin, foreman of the Providence mine, has been arrested by Capt. Charles Runge over the head with a two-pound weight, and fractured his skull. This enraged the miners, and after McLaughlin had been escorted by officials to his hotel, a crowd following and shouting to "hang him." If there had been a leader among these men, it is believed that McLaughlin would have been strung up.

Twenty-seven canneries are packing salmon on the Fraser river this year, and 1,325 boats are at work. Sockeye salmon, which is the most valuable, are being packed in large quantities, are running now in immense numbers, the average take by steady fishermen being 1,000 for twelve hours. The fish are very plentiful at present, and the fishermen cannot get away with the quantity of fish packed in one trip, though some of them are packing 1,500 cases daily. Recently the pack was so full that the boats were unable to sell. If the run continues ten days longer, the total catch of the pack will average fully 450,000 cases, the largest ever put up on the Fraser river, while some canners expect the pack to run over 500,000 cases.

The following item is from a recent issue of the World's Columbian Illustrated, the official organ of the exposition: "Oregon has adopted a variety of practical and practical method of displaying the woods produced in that State. At Jackson Park there is a house constructed entirely of Oregon woods. It is ten feet square and nineteen feet high, and is surrounded by an open cupola. The body of the structure is a yellow pine. The roof is of red cedar shingles, and is supported by four small Doric columns. The columns are of maple, and are very richly carved. The roof of the cupola is supported by four small Doric columns of carved oak. The interior is finished with panel work containing all the woods of the State, among which are manzanita, madrone, yew, laurel, myrtle, ash, maple, oak, spruce, balsam, fir, sugar pine, bird's-eye pine, cherry, cypress, maple and alder. The house forms the Oregon pavilion in the forestry building."

Here is another adjoining in a recent editorial correspondence to the St. Joseph (Mo.) Herald: "Compound the exhibits of Missouri in both the horticultural and agricultural buildings are the displays of Oregon. The Legislature of which State appropriated \$250,000 in all for the purpose of properly representing the State's resources and industries at the World's Fair. The contrast between the two displays is so great as to put all Missourians to shame. In the Oregon booth six varieties of apples are shown fresh and beautiful on plates, while there are countless bars and boxes of peaches, plums, prunes, etc., so arranged as to demand the attention of all who pass. Visitors rush through the dusty Missouri space to get into the Oregon booth and admire the products of the far Western State as arranged so captivatingly. The same is true of the agricultural exhibits. While the Missouri pavilion is more favorably located it does not command one visitor, while dozens visit Oregon and inspect her honest exhibits of grain and grasses and the general product of the farm. Her wheat is shown in two-bushel sacks, and all who wish to examine it have only to delve into the sacks and try a handful."

## EASTERN MELANGE.

### Secretary Hoke Smith Hanged in Effigy in Ohio.

### NEGROES SUPPLANTING WHITES.

Trouble Apprehended Between the Whites and the Seminoles in Southern Florida.

Reading (Pa.) Council has voted \$5,000 to fight the smallpox.

Grasshoppers have destroyed several crops of corn in the vicinity of Pilot Knob, Tex.

Canada's total wheat crop this year will be about 10,000,000 bushels larger than last year.

Baby Ruth is to have a Shetland pony thirty-eight inches high, which has been sent to the President from Scotland.

Louisiana has a large prospective sugar crop in sight, and she is anxious to know what Congress is going to do with it.

Three negroes by a stranger robbed the Pacific Express Company at Wichita, Kan., of about \$7,000 in currency and silver.

It is said that fully 25,000 whites have settled on the Cherokee Strip and threaten to make trouble if the government attempts to eject them.

A radical reorganization of the coast survey is contemplated by Secretary Carlisle. Some of the changes may require Congressional action.

The Pennsylvania railroad system is said to have decided to substitute the long-distance telephone for the telegraph in the operation of its lines.

The death rate of children under 6 years of age in New York week before last was 63 per cent of the total number, or 793 out of a total of 1,257.

For the first time on record passengers have recently been able to breakfast in London on Sunday, and dine in New York on the following Friday.

From present indications the country will have fully 400,000,000 bushels more of corn and 60,000,000 bushels more of oats than were produced last year.

Two hundred and three inmates of the Kansas Soldiers' Home, who have been treated for alcoholism, have left the home, able to maintain themselves.

A St. Paul special says it is estimated that 5,000 to 4,000 ill men are there and hundreds are dying daily. Many are from railroads and mining regions.

All fears of trouble from idle workmen at Denver have disappeared. Those who have not left the city will be given employment in contemplated public improvements.

The new Chinese Minister, who will arrive in Washington about the middle of this month, will replace the present one, who is a man with a much more imposing suit.

There is apprehension that trouble may arise between the whites in Southern Florida and the Seminoles Indians over the sharing of one of the chief's sons, who was caught poaching.

The slaughter of the innocents now going on in Cleveland is something terrible. Twenty-two deaths from cholera infantum and kindred diseases were reported at the health office yesterday.

A defalcation of \$10,000 has been discovered in the cash of the National Bank of Paterson, N. J. Abram Fardon, the paying teller, was arrested, and confessed. He is 50 years old and unmarried.

Because a reporter at Denver had criticized the conduct of Governor Waite the latter and his nephew threw the reporter out of the Governor's office when he called to see if there was a new item to be got.

It is reported at Springfield, Ill., that William Whitman, the American Express Company's absconding cashier from Chicago, has been arrested in London, and is being held for extradition.

The reported robbery of Mrs. Ammon at Chicago by men who personated detectives is said to have been simply a ruse of the woman to secure a present to make up for the supposed loss of her old and wealthy friend.

The fight of the miners in Southeastern Kansas is still on, but the importation of negro miners from Alabama has checked the strikers for the new year. The local area workmen and fill the places of the men who quit work.

The Brooklyn pharmacists are endeavoring to break up the practice of selling drugs to the big drug stores, and have asked the District Attorney to make a charge against one of the merchants in order to make a test case.

It is stated at Providence, R. I., that 215,000,000 worth of certificates of the Northern Pacific Grain Elevator Company of Minnesota are about in the country and there is but 50 per cent of their value in what is sight as security.

For the first time since the passage of the Sherman silver law the Treasury in July failed to fill the quota of 4,500,000 ounces of silver. The total quantity of silver for the month was 2,384,000 ounces, leaving a shortage of 2,116,000 ounces.

Secretary Hoke Smith was hanged in effigy by enraged citizens of Rome, a little town in Adams county, O., Saturday night. A number of persons had been suspended there, and the climax was reached when the pension of J. L. Reed, a veteran of the Eleventh Illinois Cavalry, aged 83 years, was dropped.

## BUSINESS BRIEVITIES.

### The Terre Haute distillery, the largest in the world, will soon resume operations.

### The export of American hay to Europe creates much comment "across the water."

### India ink is made in Japan from the soil obtained by burning the shell of an oyster.

### Jerusalem has taken a new start in the line of progress and established a brewery.

### Liberia exports 1,000,000 pounds of coffee annually. One-half of it goes to Germany.

### Shunks are bred on New York farms. Their skins are deodorized, and become valuable in the fur markets.

### One of the most curious farms in the United States and one of the most profitable is a frog farm in Illinois.

### The Iron Foundry's Union of North America is expected to close the thirty-fifth year of its existence July 5 last.

### In Japanese seas the teeth point to wood the handle, and both saws and planes cut toward the workman.

### From the American alder tree is made thread, muslin, ropes, cables, paper, clothing, soap, sugar and brandy.

### Ventilated boots are an improvement welcomed by many who think their feet need a little fresh air all the time.

### A cloth of very fine texture is made from the hair of the Angora goat, a millberry growing in the South Sea Islands.

### The maize crop of the United States covers an area greater than England, Scotland, Wales, Ireland and Denmark.

### The Mexican Land and Improvement Company of Kansas will experiment with coffee-raising on a large scale in Mexico.

### The city of London drinks every year 45,000,000 gallons of malt liquor, 8,000,000 gallons of wine and 1,500,000 gallons of beer.

### The linen industry in Ireland gives employment to upward of 100,000 persons, and has an estimated capital invested of \$75,000,000.

### The world's agriculture occupies the attention of 280,000,000 men, represents a capital of \$224,000,000,000, and has an annual product of over \$20,000,000,000.

### We have stored in the Federal Treasury 302,000,000 silver dollars; we have \$5,000,000,000 silver dollars in circulation and about \$50,000,000 in smaller silver coin.

### Wall paper is made to imitate cretaceous closely, and in these designs is enjoying a wide sale among artists, who find it useful in the restoration of the ornamentation of the room.

### Some idea of the slaughter of elephants can be secured from the fact that in Zanzibar alone some 500,000 pounds are killed and exported every season from the tusks of 10,000 elephants.

### Statistics of new mill construction, compiled by the Textile World, show that 102 new mills were erected in the six months ended June 30, 1893, as against 135 for the corresponding period in 1892.

### The human hair is absolutely the most valuable commodity in the world. It is worth \$100,000,000 in London. The Parisians harvest upward of 200,000 pounds, equal in value to \$80,000,000 per annum.

### The development of the lace industry over the thriving of one of the chief's sons, who was caught poaching.

### In embroidery alone 12,000 girls are employed, and 1,005,000 dozen handkerchiefs were sent for a year to the American market.

### By irrigation 25,000,000 acres are made fruitful in India alone. In Egypt there are about 6,000,000 acres and in Europe about 5,000,000. The United States has just begun the work of improving waste lands, and has treated about 4,000,000 acres of irrigated lands.

### General Alejandro Ybarra, who has been mentioned as a coalition candidate for the Presidency of Venezuela, is now residing in London. He is the son of a daughter of Thomas Russell, who was United States Minister to Venezuela under President Grant.

### K. S. Hanjitsintji, a young Sikh Prince, who is a great actor after a study of her constitution says that she has used up just eighty years worth of nervous force. Her life is now existing for a mere representation of nature.

### Ex-Premier Merivier, accompanied by O. Demarais, has left Montreal on his tour through the French-Canadian centers in New England, where he will deliver addresses advocating the advantages of a free trade with the United States.

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## FOREIGN FLASHES.

### Influenza in London Believed to be Dying Out.

### A POSITIVE CURE FOR LEPROSY.

### The Farnese Palace in Rome Bought by the German Government—The King of Assam.

### Ohio, the Insane King of Bavaria, is said to be dying.

### Italy officially announces "eminently satisfactory" health reports.

### Milan is so satisfied with its municipal lighting experiment that it is now building a street-railway system.

### A pestiferous and hot have been placed over the graves of the late Charles Bradlaugh at Brookwood, England.

### Sympathy for the unemployed poor of London would be greater if so many of them were not seen intoxicated.

### The Prussian Home Secretary has issued an order to the provincial departments to expel Russian immigrants.

### The Italian Catholic mission at China Yang, ninety miles from Hankow, China, has been destroyed by native rioters.

### Revolutionary movements have begun in the provinces of Buenos Ayres and Santa Fe, Argentina, led by the Radicals.

### A continental medical journal says that of 545 morphinomania brought under observation 289 were doctors of medicine.

### The German Emperor is said to "personally" visit the retirement of Hon. W. W. Phelps, the former American Minister.

### Ex-Premier Depretis of Italy is reported to have received 100,000 francs from the imprisoned ex-manager of the Bank of Rome.

### From an observation tower on the Brocken in the Harz Mountains eighty-nine cities and 688 villages can be seen in clear weather.

### The Cardinal Manning memorial fund in London has reached a total of \$30,000. The money will be given to the homeless poor of that city.

### The Indian government has refused to modify the terms granted to exchange silver dollars, which were applied to England against the decision.

### It is announced that during the Carowitz visit to England Queen Victoria will confer on him the Order of the Garter at Windsor Castle.

### There was something pathetic in the French King's retirement to the French invaders that they should stop shooting and let diplomacy have a chance.

### The Siam franchise has spread more generally than elsewhere in the East. It is estimated that 100,000,000 people have been enfranchised.

### Cholera has broken out in St. Louis, Senegal, capital of the French possessions in West Africa. The deaths have already reached an average of fifty daily.

### The remarkable price of \$800 was paid in London recently for a fossil egg of the extinct bird that lives in the uninhabited Madagascar in prehistoric times.

### The new Belgian Constitution will provide that three-fourths of the Senate shall be elected by direct universal suffrage and the other fourth by Municipal Councils.

### Austria is having a hard time over the resumption of gold payments. The gold in London has reached a total of \$30,000,000, which is nearly as much as the total of the gold in Vienna, as it is everywhere in Europe when wanted in any quantity.

### It has been calculated that the annual income of the London Hebrews is nearly \$5,000,000. The number of them is eight and one-quarter times richer than the Gentiles.

### Shippers were astonished to learn recently that from the comparatively unimportant port of Kowloon, universal public, 100,141 tons of wheat were exported last May.

### The German War Minister has decided that the handles of all hatchets, axes and bedging material of the French army must hereafter be made of American hickory wood.

### An overhead electric railway for Naples is proposed by Sig. Avena, a local engineer, and his efforts to raise the money are being actively supported by the city authorities.

### The chief incident in the history of the light costs and straw hats.

## PORTLAND MARKET.

### Wheat—Valley, \$1.06; Walls Walla, 95c per cental.

### Flour—Standard, \$3.40; Walls Walla, \$3.40; Graham, \$3.00; superfine, \$2.50 per barrel.

### Oats—White, \$2.43c per bushel; gray, 40c; rolled, in bags, \$6.25c; 50c; barrel, \$6.50c; 75c; cases, \$3.75.

### Multigrains—Bran, \$18.00; shorts, \$21.00; ground, \$22.00; docket, \$18.00; whole feed, barley, 80c; 85c per cental; middlings, \$23.25c per ton; chicken wheat, \$1.22c per cental.

### BUTTER—Oregon fancy creamery, 22c; 25c; fancy dairy, 17c; 20c; fair to good, 15c; 16c; common, 12c; 15c per pound; California, 18c; 20c; 22c; 24c; 26c; 28c; 30c; 32c; 34c; 36c; 38c; 40c; 42c; 44c; 46c; 48c; 50c; 52c; 54c; 56c; 58c; 60c; 62c; 64c; 66c; 68c; 70c; 72c; 74c; 76c; 78c; 80c; 82c; 84c; 86c; 88c; 90c; 92c; 94c; 96c; 98c; 100c; 102c; 104c; 106c; 108c; 110c; 112c; 114c; 116c; 118c; 120c; 122c; 124c; 126c; 128c; 130c; 132c; 134c; 136c; 138c; 140c; 142c; 144c; 146c; 148c; 150c; 152c; 154c; 156c; 158c; 160c; 162c; 164c; 166c; 168c; 170c; 172c; 174c; 176c; 178c; 180c; 182c; 184c; 186c; 188c; 190c; 192c; 194c; 196c; 198c; 200c; 202c; 204c; 206c; 208c; 210c; 212c; 214c; 216c; 218c; 220c; 222c; 224c; 226c; 228c; 230c; 232c; 234c; 236c; 238c; 240c; 242c; 244c; 246c; 248c; 250c; 252c; 254c; 256c; 258c; 260c; 262c; 264c; 266c; 268c; 270c; 272c; 274c; 276c; 278c; 280c; 282c; 284c; 286c; 288c; 290c; 292c; 294c; 296c; 298c; 300c; 302c; 304c; 306c; 308c; 310c; 312c; 314c; 316c; 318c; 320c; 322c; 324c; 326c; 328c; 330c; 332c; 334c; 336c; 338c; 340c; 342c; 344c; 346c; 348c; 350c; 352c; 354c; 356c; 358c; 360c; 362c; 364c; 366c; 368c; 370c; 372c; 374c; 376c; 378c; 380c; 382c; 384c; 386c; 388c; 390c; 392c; 394c; 396c; 398c; 400c; 402c; 404c; 406c; 408c; 410c; 412c; 414c; 416c; 418c; 420c; 422c; 424c; 426c; 428c; 430c; 432c; 434c; 436c; 438c; 440c; 442c; 444c; 446c; 448c; 450c; 452c; 454c; 456c; 458c; 460c; 462c; 464c; 466c; 468c; 470c; 472c; 474c; 476c; 478c; 480c; 482c; 484c; 486c; 488c; 490c; 492c; 494c; 496c; 498c; 500c; 502c; 504c; 506c; 508c; 510c; 512c; 514c; 516c; 518c; 520c; 522c; 524c; 526c; 528c; 530c; 532c; 534c; 536c; 538c; 540c; 542c; 544c; 546c; 548c; 550c; 552c; 554c; 556c; 558c; 560c; 562c; 564c; 566c; 568c; 570c; 572c; 574c; 576c; 578c; 580c; 582c; 584c; 586c; 588c; 590c; 592c; 594c; 596c; 598c; 600c; 602c; 604c; 606c; 608c; 610c; 612c; 614c; 616c; 618c; 620c; 622c; 624c; 626c; 628c; 630c; 632c; 634c; 636c; 638c; 640c; 642c; 644c; 646c; 648c; 650c; 652c; 654c; 656c; 658c; 660c; 662c; 664c; 666c; 668c; 670c; 672c; 674c; 676c; 678c; 680c; 682c; 684c; 686c; 688c; 690c; 692c; 694c; 696c; 698c; 700c; 702c; 704c; 706c; 708c; 710c; 712c; 714c; 716c; 718c; 720c; 722c; 724c; 726c; 728c; 730c; 732c; 734c; 736c; 738c; 740c; 742c; 744c; 746c; 748c; 750c; 752c; 754c; 756c; 758c; 760c; 762c; 764c; 766c; 768c; 770c; 772c; 774c; 776c; 778c; 780c; 782c; 784c; 786c; 788c; 790c; 792c; 794c; 796c; 798c; 800c; 802c; 804c; 806c; 808c; 810c; 812c; 814c; 816c; 818c; 820c; 822c; 824c; 826c; 828c; 830c; 832c; 834c; 836c; 838c; 840c; 842c; 844c; 846c; 848c; 850c; 852c; 854c; 856c; 858c; 860c; 862c; 864c; 866c; 868c; 870c; 872c; 874c; 876c; 878c; 880c; 882c; 884c; 886c; 888c; 890c; 892c; 894c; 896c; 898c; 900c; 902c; 904c; 906c; 908c; 910c; 912c; 914c; 916c; 918c; 920c; 922c; 924c; 926c; 928c; 930c; 932c; 934c; 936c; 938c; 940c; 942c; 944c; 946c; 948c; 950c; 952c; 954c; 956c; 958c; 960c; 962c; 964c; 966c; 968c; 970c; 972c; 974c; 976c; 978c; 980c; 982c; 984c; 986c; 988c; 990c; 992c; 994c; 996c; 998c; 1000c; 1002c; 1004c; 1006c; 1008c; 1010c; 1012c; 1014c; 1016c; 1018c; 1020c; 1022c; 1024c; 1026c; 1028c; 1030c; 1032c; 1034c; 1036c; 1038c; 1040c; 1042c; 1044c; 1046c; 1048c; 1050c; 1052c; 1054c; 1056c; 1058c; 1060c; 1062c; 1064c; 1066c; 1068c; 1070c; 1072c; 1074c; 1076c; 1078c; 1080c; 1082c; 1084c; 1086c; 1088c; 1090c; 1092c; 1094c; 1096c; 1098c; 1100c; 1102c; 1104c; 1106c; 1108c; 1110c; 1112c; 1114c; 1116c; 1118c; 1120c; 1122c; 1124c; 1126c; 1128c; 1130c; 1132c; 1134c; 1136c; 1138c; 1140c; 1142c; 1144c; 1146c; 1148c; 1150c; 1152c; 1154c; 1156c; 1158c; 1160c; 1162c; 1164c; 1166c; 1168c; 1170c; 1172c; 1174c; 1176c; 1178c; 1180c; 1182c; 1184c; 1186c; 1188c; 1190c; 1192c; 1194c; 1196c; 1198c; 1200c; 1202c; 1204c; 1206c; 1208c; 1210c; 1212c; 1214c; 1216c; 1218c; 1220c; 1222c; 1224c; 1226c; 1228c; 1230c; 1232c; 1234c; 1236c; 1238c; 1240c; 1242c; 1244c; 1246c; 1248c; 1250c; 1252c; 125