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A large assortment of Ladies and Childrens Hose at 12 1-2 cts.
Good Dress Goods at 12 1/2c.
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An immense stock of New and Seasonable Goods.
Fine Cashmere in every shade.
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The finest stock of French KID SHOES ever brought to this place.
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HAVING OPENED A NEW SADDLE AND HARNESS SHOP ON SIX STREET west of Crain Bros., I am now prepared to furnish everything in that line at the
LOWEST RATES.

Competent Workmen

Are employed, and I will endeavor to give satisfaction to all who favor me with a call.
A. S. CURRIE.

Hard Times.

The hard times in this State are deepening into distress. Scarcely a business house in the city is making money, and many are actually falling behind. Even the railroad company, which usually prospers whether or not the country suffers, is said to be losing thousands of dollars every month. They have taken off half of their freight rates, and those still on are running light, or nearly empty. Within the past six weeks 1500 men have been dismissed—400 from the offices and shops at Sacramento, 200 from the offices and yards here, and 900 from the operating department on various divisions. The officers say simply that the men are not needed. The demand for work on the street car lines illustrates the eagerness for employment. This work is hard, its hours are long, and it is wretchedly paid. It is the common resource of men "flat broke," and is abandoned as soon as possible. Usually there is no difficulty about getting a place. The manager of the Market street-cable line told me yesterday that he had over 100 applications during the past month. Along the docks there are crowds of men looking for chance jobs. The various places which employ women are equally persecuted by applicants even for the poorest paid work.—San Francisco Exchange.

An indisputable fact, acknowledged by the English press, is that many important legislative questions affecting England, Scotland and Wales, would not have come within the range of practical politics if Irishmen had not forced them to the front and secured their partial settlement, in so far as they apply to their own country. But the effective tactics which Irishmen first used in forcing attention to their just grievances are now spreading all over Europe and to this continent. Thus "Boycott" is a familiar word in the French press, and the verb in German is "Boycottieren," both of which are easily conjugated and assimilated to the language. The boycotting system is even being adopted in England in many classes of trade, and in the provinces the butchers have resolved to put a stop to the attempt of the farmers to sell their stock without the middlemen's aid. Thus they are leagued together in the design not to patronize any person or firm who will buy any meat from the farmers direct. It is doubtful whether the scheme will result in England as successfully as it has in the Emerald Isle. So far the experiment of the Dorchester butchers has had the opposite effect from that intended, as the boycotted farmer is doing a thriving business, his efforts to supply cheap meats at fair prices being eagerly appreciated by the middle and poorer classes in these dull times.

Among the miscellaneous articles purchased for the use of United States Senators, and by them charged to the Republic, are baronial envelopes, the English quarterly magazines, the American magazines, including several published specially for children, common sense inks, shears, magic pencils, whistles, silver and porcelain tooth-picks, anti-nervous penholders, pearl glove-hooks, card plates and cards, cork screws, sugar spoons, Apollinaris water, granulated sugar, ginger ale, lemon squeezers, dippers, tumblers, "one punch bowl for lemonade," salts of tartar, spirits of ammonia, castor oil, cologne, soft soap, and repairs to a tricycle.

The death of the leading Chinese banker, Hu Taotai, at Hong-how, recalls many curious features of his career. He began life as a simple clerk in a business house, but his great ability led to the rapid acquisition of wealth, and what is far more rare in China, honors from the Emperor. Hu was for many years regarded as the leader of native merchants, but unfortunate silk speculations swept away his vast fortune and he died in poverty at the age of 60. He will long be pointed out in China as an instance of the marvelous freaks of fortune, so rare is it for a man to rise from poverty to great wealth in the Celestial Empire.

Some Solid Facts.

One of the most curious features exhibited by the annual statement of our imports and exports is that England not only takes 60 per cent. of all our exports of raw materials, but 27 per cent. more of our agricultural implements, watches, clocks and hardware than Mexico, Central America and South America combined. These she sells to South America, South Africa, India, China, anywhere, making the trader's profit on our own goods. An English trader is not tied up with sentimental fancies about patronizing home industry. He buys where he can buy cheapest, regardless of nation, color, or previous condition, etc. Doing this, he is enabled to sell cheapest, and therefore controls a large business. This again gives him advantages in retaining old and getting new customers. He can get at them cheaper and more systematically, and he sells them what they want, whether made in America, France or Timbuctoo. The Republican party, controlled by rich monopolists, has protected manufacturers at the expense of other people in this country.

A young lady of Smithtown returned home a little late the other evening, and, after parting at the gate with a "someone else," crept up to the front stoop and softly inserted the night latch-key in the lock, unfastened the door, and crept into the house so as not to awaken her parents, who were slumbering upstairs. But luck was against her, for she upset a chair and a voice from above immediately asked: "Who's thar?" "Only me, papa." "What time is it, where have you been?" "I only went down to — to spend the evening." Imagine the young lady's feelings when she heard her paternal ancestor get up and prepare to come down stairs. She immediately set her brain to work to avoid the coming storm. She at last fell upon the idea of turning the clock a little back, so she went to the mantelpiece, and as there was no lamp in the room she had to feel for it. She found it and gave the key which turns the hands a twist, and sat down to warm her feet, and await the arrival of her dear papa. In due time he arrived and brought with the lamp. The hands of that much abused clock registered 5:30 a. m. The young lady instead of turning the hands back, had turned them ahead. What followed we don't like to tell.

It is a singular fact that Texas is so cosmopolitan that the Governor's message is printed in four languages—English, German, Spanish and Bohemian. There is a liberal sprinkling of Italians, but not enough to justify the publication of a separate issue of the message. The Chinese are said to be few and far between in Texas, but, as elsewhere, they have had a marked effect on the morals of the community, and opium dens abound in all the large towns. Wherever there is a Chinese washhouse one may expect to find an opium lay-out, with its ruined white votaries.

An anti Chinese agitation at Truckee, Cal., has resulted in the agreement of everyone in the place to refuse to give employment or patronage to the Chinese in any way. Firms engaged in extensive lumbering and wood enterprises have been compelled to annul large contracts with Chinese. No violence has been attempted toward the Chinese; however they have been leaving the town without either threats or invitations, since they have found their bread and butter withheld.

The Jim Blaine faction are after Spraker Carlisle now. The appointment of Perry Belmont as chairman of the House Committee on Foreign Affairs is a direct affront to the court of August 2. It was Belmont who prodded Blaine with an investigation of his South American jingo policy, and brought the magnetic man howling to his knees.

On Friday next Nat. L. Baker, expects to begin the publication of a seven column anti Chinese paper to be called the Oregon Alarm. It will be the organ in this State for the Knights of Labor, and will in all probabilities be a wide-awake journal that deserves to live.

To Remove the Chinese.

Says the Oregon City Courier of Jan. 15: To a member of the labor bureau committee I Jacobs of the firm of Jacob Bros., stated that he would willingly place white help in the woolen factory instead of the sixty Chinamen, but he must have written guarantees that the white help would stay two years at the wages paid to the Chinese, which is ninety eight cents a day, or \$25 50 a month, only four receiving \$1.07 per day. He could not, considering eastern competition, pay out more in wages than he did. The mill had eight drummers on the road trying hard to place its large surplus of goods on the market. Some of them were in Iowa and Nebraska, and his brother had gone to New York in search of customers. If their over production could not be disposed of, they might be obliged to shut up the mills for awhile, though he hoped such a misfortune would be avoided, as it would be a serious blow to his white hands, in whose welfare he took an interest. He wished to see the Chinamen displaced by young ladies and boys of families living here.

The report that the Mormons are going to rise in armed conflict against the government is very unlikely. No doubt the Mormons are very angry, and if they thought themselves strong enough, would cheerfully enter upon a tussle with the government; but in spite of their fanaticism they are by no means fools enough to believe that in a struggle of that kind they have any chance of even temporary success. Small and insignificant outbreaks among them may occur, led on by overzealous and uninformed partisans; but as for a general uprising, that is not to be thought of. The most intelligent among their leaders are recognizing the fact that polygamy must go, and are preparing themselves to see it go quietly.

If a man gets a cent the first day of month and he gets it doubled every day for thirty one days, the 31st day's wages would be over \$10,000,000. The total amount to be paid for the entire thirty one days would be over \$20,000,000.

There is a law on the statute books of Pennsylvania which requires housekeepers to scrub their pavements every Friday. It was passed in 1767.

Wide Awake Druggists.

Messrs E K Luckey & Co are always alive to their business, and spare no pains to secure the best of every article in their line. They have secured the agency for the celebrated Dr King's New Discovery for Consumption; The only certain cure known for Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Asthma, Hay Fever, Bronchitis, or any affection of the Throat and Lungs. Sold on a positive guarantee. Trial Bottles free. Regular size \$1.

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Piles are frequently preceded by a sense of weight in the back, loins and lower part of the abdomen, causing the patient to suppose he has some affection of the kidneys or neighboring organs. At times, symptoms of indigestion are present, flatulence, uneasiness of the stomach, etc. A moisture, like perspiration, producing a very disagreeable itching, after getting warm, is a common attendant. Blind, bleeding and itching piles yield at once to the application of Dr Bosanko's Pile Remedy, which acts directly upon the parts affected, absorbing the tumors, allaying the intense itching and effecting a permanent cure. Price 50 cents. Address the Dr Bosanko Medicine Co., Piqua, Ohio. Sold by Osburn & Co. and W. S. Lee, of Junction.

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