

ASHLAND TIDINGS.

FRIDAY, JULY 24, 1908.

EDITORIAL NOTES AND NEWS.

A special dispatch of July 24 to the San Francisco Chronicle says: It is now virtually decided that there is to be a grand world's fair to be held in the United States in 1912 in the celebration of the discovery of America. Up to this time there has been some question as to whether the exhibition should be located, whether in New York, Washington, Chicago or some other great city.

The Mayor alone seems not to have made his voice heard in asking for this prize. After some newspaper squabbling the fair has apparently been conceded to New York, and it is now proceeding to make all the preliminary arrangements. So far that the Mayor has received many letters, all approving of the scheme and promising financial aid. "There seems no doubt," said Mayor Grant to the Chronicle correspondent yesterday, "that there will be a grand exhibition celebration after the style of that in 1876 in Philadelphia, only larger."

The question next to be considered is as to where it will be placed; that is, what part of New York, and what its character will be. Many favor Central Park, but in order to make that available it would have to be torn up and its present beauty, the result of thirty years' labor, be temporarily destroyed and great expense to the city incurred. Locations at Staten Island are proposed with great reason, and it is likely that some such a place will be chosen. Those who have taken an interest in the matter are most enthusiastic. They say that the exhibition will be grander than that at present in Paris; that it will last longer, the buildings will cover more ground, and the exhibit be more typical. It has been argued steadily that the fair should be largely American, showing the growth of the two American continents in their four centuries of history, picturing to the eye the primitive beginning and gradual development to their present state.

For several months before the last election many Democratic newspapers contained elaborate articles showing the hopeless condition of Illinois farmers, who it was alleged, were burdened with heavy mortgages that were the direct result of the protective tariff. An effort was made to tie to the political effect of those articles by declaring that nine-tenths of those mortgages were in the hands of foreign syndicates of capitalists, who gave no consideration to the more conservative farmers of the state.

Secretary Noble in a letter to the Commissioner General of the Land Office, modified in a very important particular the application of the rule as to time of certain timber culture cases. The Timber Culture Act of June 14, 1878, provides that any person who shall plant, protect and keep in healthy condition, for eight years, ten acres of timber in any quarter section of any public lands of the United States, shall be entitled to a patent at the expiration of said eight years, on the condition that he shall have made a report to the land office at the expiration of the term, and that he shall have made a report to the land office at the expiration of the term, and that he shall have made a report to the land office at the expiration of the term.

The Mormon vote is a considerable factor in politics in Idaho. The Democratic politicians have for years been formulating a policy of nursing and fostering it, and the matter is a bone of contention in the expected convention now in session. The Republican majority of the committee on suffrage has submitted a report which will exclude the Mormon vote, and the Democratic minority of the committee has submitted a report which is in effect a complete veto of the Republican action through which the Mormons may crawl to the franchise. The discussion of the point has as yet reached no conclusion.

A dispatch from the constitutional convention at Olympia, W. T., says: The California judicial system, with few exceptions, has been adopted by the convention in committee of the whole. The supreme court will consist of six justices, to be elected for six years, and vacancies are to be filled by the governor until election. Sessions of the supreme court to be held at the capital of the state. Salaries of supreme judges four thousand dollars; of superior judges, three thousand dollars.

Under the law passed by the legislature some foreign insurance companies offer Oregon real estate but refuse to assign the mortgages to the treasurer. State Treasurer Webb declines to accept them, unless assigned.

Less than a week ago, beneath the roof of the American legation in London, three men met, each the son of a president of the United States—Jesse Grant, Russell B. Harrison and Robert T. Lincoln. Such a meeting has seldom occurred, certainly never before in British soil.

After the Wagon-Road Frauds.

United States District Attorney Johnson, appointed special attorney for that purpose, is engaged in preparing bills in equity against the military wagon-road companies of this district.

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Jacksonville Brevities.

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RED HOUSE COLUMN.

There are TWO WAYS Of doing business, one the Deadly Upas.

Buying tax-laden credit goods and selling them for every cent they will bring. The other, Pure Gold.

The old idea of extracting the last drop of blood has lived its day and done its worst. Modern aggressive ideas demand a change from ancient usages that dwarfed and shriveled and destroyed.

There is many a level-headed, hard-working fellow to whom from the snatches of slumber in the dreams of Fairy Land comes many a fitful vision of a better and brighter day, who knows that buying on credit is disastrous, but with the hard, cold cash is looking for a place where he can buy the best and most goods for the least money.

Not by favor but by merit alone have we gained an envied trade. Each week sees more goods arrive and each week sees them sold—all on account of buying and selling for cash at the smallest possible margin.

We carry Thibodeau, Cutler, Hand Sewing, Machine Sewing, Ladies' Dressing, Children's Wear, and a fine line of Novelties.

LADIES' Elegant Embroidered Hats, Vests, Veils, Shawls, etc., Lace, Fur, and Silk Trimmings, etc., etc.

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Men's Fine Clothing, All at cost.

Men's Light Check Suits, Below cost, only \$4.15 a suit.

Men's Heavy Suits, reg. price \$8. To be closed out at \$5 suit.

Men's Nobby Light Colored Suits, Reduced to \$8 per suit.

Men's Nobby Dark Check Suits, Reg. pr. \$20, to be closed at \$15.

Men's Fine blk. Diagonal, reg. \$20 To be closed at \$15.

Men's Navy Blue Overshirts, Reduced to \$1.

Men's Red Flannel Shirts, Reduced to \$1.

All Kinds of Tobaccos, At cost.

Men's Silk Handkerchiefs, All at cost.

Hats of All Kinds, All of them at cost.

Men's Nobby Hats, Only 75 cts. each.

Boys' Hats, Reduced to 35 cents each.

Gents' Collars, Cuffs, Jewelry, &c., All at cost.

Examine these large plugs of Tobacco—below cost—only 25c.

ALL LINES of Underwear, At cost to close.

Men's Fine Clothing, All at cost.

Men's Overall, reg. price 75c. Will be closed out at 55c.

Boys' Overall, To be closed out at 40c.

Men's Fine Shirts, All at cost.

Men's Fine Woollen Shirts, All at cost.

Men's Common Overshirts, All at cost.

Men's Boots and Shoes, All at cost.

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ALL LINES of Underwear, At cost to close.

Men's Fine Clothing, All at cost.

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Boys' Overall, To be closed out at 40c.

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Children Cry & Pitcher's Castoria