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THE DALLES OREGON

KING OF THE GULF.

The Resident and His Home—Among the Motley Crowds of Bushire.

Bushire is the capital of the English protectorate in the Persian gulf. Here our resident lives, who may be styled king of the gulf, and before whom all the petty potentates along its shores, be they on the Arabian or Persian side, bow down.

Bushire is a truly horrible place, built at the edge of a split of sand running out into the gulf. Its population is very mongrel—Arabs, Persians, Hindus, are all hopelessly mixed up therein.

It is confidently asserted that, if the Karoun route is opened out into the heart of Persia, Bushire will cease to be the seat of our resident, and the capital of our Persian gulf protectorate will be removed to Fao or some other spot which has not yet got a name.

TREES THAT GIVE MILK.

South American Natives Do Their Milking Without Using Their Hands.

Dr. Spruce, the renowned South American traveler, mentions a tree, a member of the dog bane family, the juice of which is used as milk, says Chambers' Journal.

In Guiana, the natives employ the milk from a tree belonging to the same family as the just named, in the vernacular it is known as hyahya, and to botanists as Tabernaemontana utilis.

Missouri Spanish. A drummer who had traveled all over California sat in a Pullman car with a Missourian, and as the latter was a newcomer, gave him much information about the state.

"By the way," said the Missourian, after awhile, "you seem to know most of the towns in this yer state. Ever been in As-you-say?"

"No; As-you-say is a new one on me. I have been in several outlandish named places, but never in As-you-say. Where is it?"

"I got the letter here," replied the Missourian; "it's from a friend of mine as lives there." And he handed over an envelope stamped "Azusa, Cal."

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with neuralgia and rheumatism, his stomach was disordered, his liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength.

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MIDWINTER FAIR.

CALIFORNIA MIDWINTER INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION.—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLICITY AND PROMOTION.

(Weekly Circular Letter—No. 13.) SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31, 1894.

Nothing was lacking to make the official opening of the California Midwinter International Exposition a success in every sense of the word. In the first place, the sun came up gloriously, in a sky as clear as a bell, and all day long it shone down upon happy San Francisco.

The opening exercises took place on a grand stand especially erected for this occasion, with a seating capacity of 7,000. The seats were all taken and tens of thousands of visitors gathered on the greensward in front of the speakers' platform.

When the opening overtures had been played, James D. Phelan, the president of the day, made his address, introducing at its close the Rt. Rev. Bishop Nichols, who offered up the invocation.

The scene was one that no stranger could fail to be impressed with, and so it was also when the governor of California, Hon. H. H. Markham, came to extol the managers of the exposition for the wonderful things they had accomplished within the five short months which had passed since the original conception of the idea.

The act of starting the machinery was signaled by the shriek of every whistle in the exposition grounds, by the blare and fanfare of artillery within full sight of the assembled multitudes.

It was in the concessions, however, that the holiday spirit of the crowd was made more prominently manifest. The '49 Mining camp immediately established itself as one of the most popular institutions in the exposition.

All this established beyond a doubt the popularity of the Midwinter Exposition. Since the opening day there has been an average daily attendance of 8,000 people, or as many as paid admission so the great World's Columbian Exposition during the first few days after the official opening.

The great glory of a California winter is just now at its height. People riding in the open street cars read of the blizzards and snow blockades that harass their eastern friends, and once more the word of welcome passes along every line of eastern railroad: "Come to California, see the great Midwinter Fair, and get warm."

City Warrants. All those holding city warrants of date prior to September 1st, 1891, will be paid on presentation at my office. Interest on same ceases after this date.

I. I. BURGET, City Treasurer. THE DALLES, Or., Jan. 8, 1894.

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