

VARIETIES.

Bret Harte lingers in London.  
M. Pasteur is the son of a tanner.

Chang, the Chinese giant, recently lost \$25,000 by an unfortunate investment in an Australian gold mine.

When you are inclined to stand on punctilio in inter-denominational intercourse, be careful to due allowance for unconscious prejudice. If you err, let it be on the side of charity.

The senators of the nation sit at desks older than the honorable gray-beards themselves. The desks are of mahogany, and, though made seventy-five years ago, they are as sound as a dollar.

According to Edmund Yates, "Poor old Kossuth, being no longer able to earn his living by teaching languages in Italy, has now found a home in the house of his sons, who are shepherds in the valley of Sixt, in Savoy."

You weary of so many calls for clarity, but you would be sorry if such calls were to cease altogether. Be thankful, patient, and discriminating; your Lord has placed his richest benedictions along this line of action.

When you sink from prohibition to high license you give up the principle at issue, and your fight against drunkenness will excite no more enthusiasm among the masses than a discussion concerning the nebular hypothesis.

All of the candidates of the Presidential ticket of 1872 are dead. They were Grant, Greeley, Wilson, and Brown. Gen. John C. Fremont is the sole survivor of the campaign of 1856, Hannibal Hamlin of 1860, George H. Pendleton of 1864.

When you persuade sensible people that the suppression of liquor-selling and drunkenness will destroy the prosperity of a city, it will be easy to persuade the same people that it will destroy a fire that is reducing it to ashes.

Musurus Pasha, who has been Turkey's Minister to England thirty-four years, will retire, owing to his age, which is seventy-eight. He is a native of Crete, a member of the Greek Church, and has translated Dante into modern Greek. Rustem Pasha, his successor, is also a Christian.

Said the old Doctor, after the election of delegates to the General Conference: "Well, the Conference has fallen into the habit of laying aside its old men"—and then, as if speaking from the grave in which his brethren had laid him, he added: "Ye living men, come view the ground Where you must shortly lie."

STATE NEWS.

There was not sufficient business to come before the Circuit Court in Lake county to warrant the holding of the regular term this month, and Judge Webster therefore postponed the session till the next regular term. Lake county is having too much good luck in her finances. She ought to help us out in paying our taxes.—Tidings.

According to the new registry law it will be in order at the next election for each party to adopt a vignette to be placed at the head of the ticket. A copy of the regular ticket containing the vignette should be filed with the county clerk, and any person making bogus tickets and using the vignette or an imitation thereof, is liable to a fine and imprisonment.

The Courier says: Col. Ross, of Jackson county, predicts that Southern Oregon is on the eve of the biggest mining boom that has ever been experienced on this coast. The Colonel's prediction in this direction, we are glad to know, is based upon many rich developments which are now being made in Josephine and Jackson counties.

At a meeting held last week, the county commissioners of Josephine county agreed to locate the proposed new county buildings on the Bourne portion of the townsite of Grant's Pass, instead of in the Abraham addition, as was determined upon before the lawsuit began. The site now selected for the buildings is on the east side of the railroad track, two or three blocks from the depot. The settlement of this vexing question will result beneficially to the prosperity and growth of the town.

The Portland Standard failed to make its appearance yesterday, to the regret of many of its friends. Mr. Pettengill, the proprietor, says the suspension will only be temporary, until he can make some arrangements for continuing the publication on a more substantial basis. The difficulties connected with the publication of a daily paper in these times are innumerable, and the expenses very heavy. It is safe to say that there is no place in the United States where the expense of publishing a daily newspaper is as great as in Portland. Everything connected with it ranges from 25 to 100 per cent higher than in Eastern or Southern cities of equal proportion.

The Standard, under Mr. Pettengill's management, has been dignified in discussion and courteous in its contemporaries, and merited success, if it has not achieved it. The news trusts that the suspension, as announced, may only be temporary.—News.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

Washington, Feb. 26, 1886.  
The President and Attorney General have read and discussed privately and with the other Members of the Cabinet the recent publications regarding Mr. Garland's connection with the Pan-Electric Telephone Company. They understand the whole affair, but the President expressed the wish that his official household should take no part in the controversy at present, nor say anything for publication.

This policy of silence is adopted because the President feels that time will vindicate the Attorney, General, and because the source and motives of the attack upon Mr. Garland are understood. The war waged by certain newspapers now is well paid for by the Bell Telephone Company, and its purpose is to intimidate the Administration and thus prevent the Government from carrying out the program with regard to nitro test the validity of the Bell patent.

But the conspiracy has in no degree discouraged the prosecution of this suit. It will not be delayed any longer than is necessary for preparation, an array of prominent counsel having been already selected to aid the Department of Justice. Solicitor General Goode will conduct the suit, and ex-Senator Thurman, Mr. Lowery of New York, an electrician specialist, and Messrs Eppa Hunton, Jeff. Chandler and Whitman of this city will assist.

It has not yet been determined where the trial will be held. The Bell Company wants it in Boston, and others think it should be argued in some Western city where there has been no previous litigation or feeling on the subject.

The climax of absurdity was reached in comparing the Pan Electric affair to the "Credit Mobilier." In the Credit Mobilier business, officials were bribed to corruptly act in their official capacity and give life and value thereby to a corrupt scheme to filch money from the Treasury. In this affair no one has been will enough even to dare insinuate that the Senators and members of the lower House who invested in Pan-Electric stock had any purpose of legislating the stock into value.

There has been nothing in the official or personal relation of Attorney General Garland to this case up to this time, that is not consistent with the highest integrity and honor. He has not used his official position or influence in the slightest degree to promote the suit against the Bell Company. On the contrary, when application was made to him to bring suit he promptly declined because he happened to hold shares in the Pan-Electric Company. In declining to act, he referred the whole subject to the Solicitor General, and that official, who had no stock in either company, found a state of things that warranted the bringing of a suit.

The matter then went entirely out of the hands of Mr. Garland, and is stated by those in position to speak advisedly that he knows nothing about the preparation of the case, or the plans of the Government. He and Mr. Goode have not exchanged a word upon the subject of the suits, and Mr. Garland instructed the chief clerk of his Department to hand Mr. Goode all letters that are received bearing upon the matter. The President will not even consult Mr. Garland in the selection of a place where the suit should be brought.

All that you hear about Mr. Garland's resignation is nonsense. The President would not be likely to accept it if it were tendered. He was satisfied months ago with Mr. Garland's explanation of his connection with the case, and the Attorney General then expressed his willingness to resign if the Administration felt any embarrassment over the coming discussion. But Mr. Garland will not be driven out of the Cabinet, nor the suits prevented by newspaper abuse.

The great contest between the President and the Republican majority in the Senate threatens to evaporate for want of earnestness or rather because the President will not surrender his constitutional prerogative at the beck of a few Republican managers. It would be very awkward, though, for these Senatorial politicians who are so anxious to make some trouble for the Administration, to abandon their efforts just at this stage of the proceeding. The country has been expecting something dramatic, and they feel that they must not fall too flatly flat.

PATENTS GRANTED.

Patents granted to citizens of the Pacific States during the past week, and reported expressly for THE REVIEW by C. A. Snow & Co. Patent lawyers, Opp. U. S. Patent Office, Washington D. C. D. Bullock, Sumner, Wash. Ter, vegetable cutter; E. H. Gadsby, San Francisco, climbing device; O. W. Garland, Oakland, Cal., Sewer gas trap; A. S. Halliday, San Francisco, Tramway for curves; A. J. Hatch, San Francisco, Fruit drier; F. W. Kroeber, St. Helena, Cal., Vehicle safety rail; A. M. Plato, Portland, Ore., Electric fire escape; W. C. Rendall, Portland, Ore., Cutter head; H. Wilcox, Los Gatos, Cal., Fruit jar.

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