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A French riding master is going to ride his favorite horse from Dayton, O., to San Francisco within fifty-three days, if he can, for a prize. We would feel like contributing to the purse if it were to be given to the horse for riding such a cruel master that far in so short a time.

A dispatch dated San Francisco, July 19, says: The United States transport Sheridan arrived this morning from Manila with 612 men of the Thirteenth infantry, 154 men of the Third cavalry, 594 casuals and 16 sick. The cavalry will join the headquarters of their regiment at Fort Assiniboine, Mont. and the Thirteenth infantry will be assigned to duty at Angel island and Alcatraz, Cal.

BETTER THAN GRANITE.
Mayor Low of New York has made an appeal for funds to be used in the erection of a monument in Manila to Doctor Rizal, the Filipino patriot. Rizal, it will be remembered, sacrificed his life in the cause of Filipino liberty. It will occur to a great many people that a Philippine republic would be a better monument to this patriot, than any block of granite that could be carved by the hand of man.

WHERE THE RECOMPENSE.
A cablegram from Manila under date of July 16 says that "cholera is still spreading in the provinces. The provincial totals are 14,567 cases and 10,937 deaths. Manila averages forty cases daily." Will some imperialist be good enough to explain what advantage the people of the United States are to gain by this policy of imperialism, or expansion, as you please? Millions upon millions of dollars are to be expended each year and in the expenditure we are to confront ourselves with strange problems not only with respect to the government of people, but also as to the public health; and where shall we find recompense? We shall not find it in our conscience, for conscience revolts at the policy we all pursuing. We shall not find it in commerce, for as Andrew Carnegie said, "the fatal fact of distance is against us." We shall not find it in the ordinary considerations of profit because it is all loss and no profit.

The Chicago Chronicle takes offense at Mr Bryan's suggestion that Mr Cleveland's "business interests" were such as to make his return to the democratic party improbable. No wonder the Chronicle objects, for it is owned by a republican, Mr John B Walsh, whose business interests will make that paper's return to the democratic party improbable.

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A visit to the livestock exhibit at the State Fair will be worth many times the price of admission. No state in the Union will have a better livestock show, and ever farmer should make an effort to see the biggest show ever held this side of the Rocky Mountains.

A Free Scholarship.
Last spring President Penrose of Whitman College, Walla Walla, Washington, offered a scholarship to the one standing highest in the Cottage Grove high school. The following letter was received by the winner:

July 22, 1902.
Miss Ethel Downing,
Cottage Grove, Oregon,
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I have just received word from Prof Briggs that you have won the scholarship offered by trustees of Whitman College to the highest stand graduate of your school. Let me congratulate you upon your success.
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Within a few days I will send you a illustrated pamphlet now in press, which will give you information concerning the college and its equipment.
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Sincerely yours
Stephen B L Penrose.

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CROP BULLETIN
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The fall wheat harvest is nearly completed in southern Oregon, well advanced in the Willamette Valley, and making good progress in the eastern sections of the State. Thrashing will be general this week.
Spring wheat is filling and ripening nicely. In the Umatilla district wheat will probably turn out better than expected a few weeks ago. In the section about Marion county it is not thought the fall grain yields will be as heavy as last year, but the sown grain is doing nicely. In some few sections of Lane County, the reports are that club spring wheat is badly injured by rust.
Hops are doing well, and no complaints are made of lice being sufficiently numerous to cause damage. All late crops, including corn and potatoes, would be benefited by rain. Pastures are drying up fast, but stock continues in good condition. The outlook for a good crop of late apples in the Hood River and Ashland districts is excellent. Early peaches and blackberries are plentiful in the markets.

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