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OCCIDENTAL MELANGE

Pennoyer Vetoes the Salute on Inauguration Day.

EXTENSION OF THE OREGON PACIFIC.

Tray of Diamonds Stolen From a Jewelry Store in Sacramento—Marine Engineer Pardoned.

Riverside packers and growers are holding the orange crop back until the Florida fruit is well out of market.

The contract for the construction of the South Gila canal has just been let to Los Angeles packers. The work when completed will cost \$2,000,000.

The wife of R. T. Barle, late superintendent of the Stockton combined harvester works, believes he has gone to Mexico with a married woman.

O. W. Hollenbeck, the Auburn (Cal.) banker, has been acquitted on an embezzlement charge, owing to a variance between the indictment and the proof.

The Gage canal, which furnishes the water supply for the new cable settlements of Riverside, is being cemented for a distance of six miles, and the work is nearly completed.

Phoenix, A. T., is apparently in earnest in an endeavor to do its share toward building the proposed San Diego and Phoenix railway. San Diego offers to build to the Colorado river.

The Los Angeles Board of Supervisors favor the passage of a State law providing that new counties cannot be formed without the consent of a majority of voters residing within the area of the original county.

The Bradstreet mercantile agency reports fourteen failures in the Pacific Coast States and Territories for the past week, as compared with thirteen for the previous week and sixteen for the corresponding week of 1892.

The case of the Illinois Trust and Savings Bank of Chicago against the Los Angeles cable road has been opened in the Superior Court at Los Angeles. This is an effort to foreclose \$1,644,000 worth of outstanding mortgages.

The Governor of Washington has pardoned Lucas Gonzales of San Francisco, a marine engineer. Gonzales has served two years in the penitentiary, but recent circumstances prove him innocent of the crime for which he was committed.

Traces of strychnine have been found in the stomach of the wife of Henry Bentley at Los Angeles. Bentley married the woman, who was quite wealthy, and it is charged that he had boasted she would be dead at about the time she died.

A small bird inhabits the valleys and canyons putting into Death Valley, making his home in the mesquit groves abounding there. His principal occupation seems to be a war of extermination against scorpions, which he is very skillful in killing.

The Bee Hive, the old residence of Brigham Young at Lake and recently owned and occupied by his son, John W. Young, has been sold out on judgment for \$67,413.44. The Bee Hive brought \$62,867.73 and the other property enough and more to satisfy the judgment.

J. A. Pfister of Los Angeles, who was thought to have been murdered, has turned up in San Francisco. Pfister disappeared about a year ago and much talk was occasioned over the fact that a barber was accused of killing him and burying him in the yard, which was dug over to find evidence.

A railroad contractor has just arrived in Albany, Or., from California, where, it is stated, he gave up a contract to do so, and will go to work shortly on the extension of the Oregon Pacific, which is to connect with the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad. He says it is business this time and no more foolishness.

Sergeant Levin of Victoria, B. C., who was suspended owing to his investigation into the manner of the death of A. J. Davis, the Montana millionaire, has been reinstated. The Sergeant believed that the daughter-in-law of Davis pushed him while he was drunk, and he fell down stairs and was killed. No criminal intention was discovered.

A tray of diamonds was stolen from H. Wachorn's jewelry store at Sacramento the other evening. One man broke the plate-glass windows and another covered the clerk with a pistol, while the first grabbed the tray, when both men dashed up the street and disappeared in Chinatown. They had false whiskers and could not be identified.

The prospects for an early resumption of operations at the Temescal tin mines in San Bernardino county, Cal., are not very encouraging. During the past week the Sheriff sold at auction a quantity of the movable property of the company to satisfy the accounts of parties to whom the company was indebted when the mine was closed down some months ago.

The arrest of Mrs. Yester at Seattle, Wash., on the charge of having destroyed the will of her husband, is now believed to be a part of a conspiracy to prejudice the appointment of Mrs. Yester's choice as administrator of the estate, and Lawson, the disgruntled heir, is the head of the conspiracy. There is much feeling in the city. The Mayor will not involve the suit.

FROM WASHINGTON CITY.

Postmaster-General Wanamaker Creates Something of an Innovation in Official Life.

Senator Dolph has the Siletz Indian reservation bill in proper shape and ready to pass as soon as an opportunity occurs for calling it up.

Senator Cullom has introduced a joint resolution requesting the city authorities of Philadelphia to lend the United States the Liberty bell for exhibition at the World's Fair.

By direction of the President Secretary Foster of the Treasury Department has directed the Collectors of Customs at New York, Philadelphia and Boston to suspend the refund of duties upon hat material until further advised.

It is understood that M. E. Bell, superintendent of the Chicago public building, against whom a report of malfeasance in office was made by Assistant Secretary Lamberton, has tendered his resignation to Secretary Foster. It will probably be accepted.

The experiments in the treatment of lumpy jaw under the direction of the Department of Agriculture are completed. Results show that of eighty-five cattle treated sixty-eight were completely cured. Secretary Rusik is highly delighted with the showing.

The Oregon delegation has been in receipt of numerous letters recommending H. L. Rees of Oregon for appointment as paymaster in the army, and have endorsed him for the place, but the President is very likely to name some of his personal friends for these places.

Senator Mitchell has introduced a joint resolution providing that where an officer of the United States has been presented with a medal and the medal has been lost or destroyed a duplicate should be issued. This is meant to secure a duplicate medal for General H. B. Compson of Lakeview, whose medal for distinguished services was stolen by the Indians.

The House Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce has ordered a favorable report on the Senate bill appropriating \$350,000 for the construction of a ship canal to connect Lakes Union and Washington with Puget Sound. The bill was reported with an amendment striking out the proposed route by Smith's Cove, leaving the route to be decided upon by the Secretary of War.

The rumor is in circulation that, if the present Congress does not repeal the Sherman act, Cleveland has said that he will convene the Fifty-third Congress in special session within thirty days after March 4. Representative McMillin, a member both of the Ways and Means and the Rules Committees, says he has been over the ground carefully, and can see no possible chance of the repeal of the silver act.

The Treasury Department at present holds less gold than at any time since the resumption act of January 1, 1879, and in the language of a Treasury official the gold obligations are greater, with less than \$5,000,000 free gold to meet them, and \$2,500,000 gold engaged for shipment from New York for Europe. Treasury officials do not venture a prediction when the outflow will stop, but state that they see nothing serious in the situation.

The Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee has appointed the following subcommittee to consider the Nicaragua canal bill: Patterson of Tennessee, Baynor of Maryland, Price of Louisiana, Geary of California, O'Neill of Pennsylvania, Storer of Ohio and Honk of Ohio. At least one member of the committee is strongly opposed to the canal bill. This is Baynor of Maryland. Some others are believed to be lukewarm, and Geary cannot be relied upon with certainty to favor the bill according to some men who are familiar with the situation.

Postmaster-General John Wanamaker created something of an innovation in official life recently by giving a reception at his residence to the employees and attaches of every department of the Post-office Department, as well as of the local postoffice. The event was preceded by a dinner, to which quite a number of the friends of the Postmaster-General and his wife were invited. This is the first reception of the kind that has ever been given by a member of the Cabinet, and it is expected to form an interesting precedent that will be extensively followed in years to come.

What is considered in Washington as one of the most significant moves in the entire Hawaiian discussion was the earnest speech made by Senator Dolph the other day in favor of the United States assuming control of the islands. Senator Dolph is one of the most influential members of the Committee on Foreign Relations, and his action in these matters carries great weight. The speech was full of statistics, giving everything of any value concerning the commercial advantages of Hawaii, and will bear text for the discussion that will ensue after the arrival of the Commissioners. It is replete with such information as both House and Senate will need to act intelligently upon the great question.

The report of the Siletz Indian Commission, with the draft of a bill for the adoption of the agreement which has been reached with those Indians for the cession of a portion of their lands, has been received in the Senate, and upon the request of Senator Dolph, immediately sent to the printer, so that it may be considered at an early date. The Senator says he is going to make every effort to push the bill through, although it is so late in the session that he may find it difficult. The bill provides that the land shall be thrown open upon the proclamation of the President, but Mr. Dolph is of the opinion that this will be stricken out and the lands opened so soon as the agreement is ratified by Congress. He considers the agreement reached with the Indians very satisfactory.

BEYOND THE ROCKIES.

The Large Amount of Natural Gas Wasted in Indiana.

NEW YORK BEGGARS TO BE ARRESTED

A Negro Hanged in Delaware Nineteen Years Ago for Criminal Assault Was Innocent.

Northwestern Iowa is liable to be involved in a meat famine.

Citizens of Memphis are endeavoring to suppress the gambling evil.

About forty employes in the New Orleans Mint have been discharged.

Kansas sends in the best wheat report of any of the wheat-growing States.

An investigation of the ex-officials of the Illinois Penitentiary is asked for.

The Michigan Liquors-Dealers' Association has organized an insurance order.

Small game is reported to be very abundant throughout Alabama this year.

Extraordinary precautions against the cholera have been taken at the city of Mexico.

Philadelphia capitalists are figuring on starting a new bank in Wall street with \$1,000,000 capital.

A Philadelphia syndicate has made extensive purchases of coffee lands in the State of Oaxaca, Mexico.

The managers of the Chicago Fair are counting upon \$6,000,000 in receipts for concessions granted by them.

Mexico's exports to the United States during the past fiscal year aggregated \$4,949,588 more than during the previous year.

The fifty-cent Columbian stamps, it is discovered by a St. Louis puzzle fiend, contains the picture of a man smoking a cigar.

The Union Pacific threatens to make the rate from Oden to Missouri river points \$20, and a hot rate war is expected.

Barbers in Ohio are agitating for a law which shall make it legally possible for a white barber to refuse to shave a colored man.

Six of the public schools of Milwaukee have been closed by the Health Commissioners because of their unsanitary condition.

In Louisville a man named Manning has been arrested who is charged with selling charms warranted to cure all sort of illness.

The Senate has passed the bill to refer to the Court of Claims the claim of Jessie Benton Fremont to certain lands in San Francisco.

A Chicago lawyer has suggested that ex-Presidents, when they possess the legal requirements, be named for Supreme Court Justices.

Four saloons were erected in the middle of the Ohio river, which was entirely frozen at Louisville, and did a thriving business for many days.

As the result of a recent order by the government the immigration commissions paid by railroads to steamship companies will be reduced.

Governor Hogg of Texas, in his message to the Legislature of that State, advocated the taxation of vendors of deadly weapons and cigarettes.

Senator Warner Miller says Huntington and the Southern Pacific interests are in opposition to the Nicaragua Canal, and their agents are at work in Washington.

A bill to prohibit prize-fighting in Indiana, providing that principals should be fined \$5,000 and the newspapers \$3,000 for printing advance notices, was killed in the House.

The Geologist of Indiana says that enough gas has been wasted in its belt to supply every family in the State for two years, and that \$2,000,000 is but a fair measure of the loss.

Police Superintendent Byrnes of New York has issued orders to the police to arrest all beggars caught plying their trade. They had made general nuisances of themselves.

Four thousand new postoffices were established during the last year, 667,646 unmailable letters poured into the boxes, 32,612 of them wholly without any outside sign, symbol or address.

An election contest in Massachusetts has developed the fact that the successful candidate for Representative in the Wellington district was naturalized only the day before he was elected.

The Minnesota Legislature is getting ready to try a new form of paternalism. It is proposed to amend the State Constitution so as to enable the State to insure all farm buildings at cost.

To the British emigrants who will take up land in the northwest of British Columbia the Canadian government is offering through the London Emigrants' Information Office bonuses of \$5 to \$10 a head.

Miss Nellie Ahern will be the next State Librarian at Indianapolis. This was decided at a caucus of the two Houses in which sixty-four votes were for Miss Ahern and only eight for the male candidate.

A Washington dispatch says it has information from a thoroughly reliable source that M. K. Estee upon the part of San Francisco has offered the Santa Fe \$10,000,000 if the road would build into the city.

The Chickamauga National Park Commissioners have offered \$17,000,000 for eight acres of ground on Orchard Knob, Tennessee, where Generals Grant and Thomas stood and watched the battle of Missionary Ridge.

INDUSTRIAL BREVITIES.

The Gold and Silver Output of Mexico for the Past Twelve Years—The Ivory Trade Increasing.

Four-fifths of the engines now working in the world have been constructed during the last twenty-five years.

In making champagne the grapes are squeezed six times, each pressure making wine of a different quality.

One of the oldest and most conservative trust companies in Philadelphia holds \$380,000,000 of trust estates.

Electricity is used for making forgings, ankers, railroad spikes, ball bearing and other articles hitherto made by hand.

The value of the honey and wax produced in the United States during the past year has been estimated at \$20,000,000.

It is said all the building trades of Chicago will on April 1 demand increased pay and a contract excluding non-union workmen.

Horses are so plentiful in Buenos Ayres that everybody has at least one. It is said that even the beggars beg on horseback.

English capitalists are reported to have become interested in the coal fields of Ohio county, Ky., and propose to develop them.

The Languedoc Ship Canal in France, by a short passage of 148 miles, saves a sea voyage of 2,000 miles by the straits of Gibraltar.

The hours of 7,000 men on the Union Pacific railroad system have been reduced from nine to eight and only seven on Saturday.

A druggist at Chicago believes that if he could secure the soda water privileges at the World's Fair his fortune would be made for life.

An ingenious Boston man has just patented an electrical device designed to automatically play banjos, mandolins, guitars and harps.

A year ago there were only fifty people in the mining settlement of Gripple Creek, Col. Now it is a thriving town of 10,000 inhabitants.

Four hundred acres of land in Linn county, Mo., fenced and seeded to timothy, but without buildings, was recently sold for \$30 an acre.

The largest telephone center in the world is that in the Exchange in Berlin, Germany, where 7,000 wires are connected with the main office.

An inventor who recently had an idea patented in every country of the world where the patent law exists had to pay just \$14,550 for the privileges.

One hundred thousand tons of silver and 300 tons of gold, representing a money value of \$4,320,000,000, have been produced in Mexico since 1881.

A recent invention is a new type of refrigerator car that can be run for twenty days without re-icing. It is charged with ice and certain chemicals.

There is a scheme on foot for the establishment of a \$5,000,000 steel plant at Galveston, Texas, similar to the steel works at Chicago, Pittsburgh and Cleveland.

In 1880 the United States produced 60,000 tons of paper. In 1890 the production was 1,200,000 tons or 160,000 tons more than the total product of European paper mills.

Four million tons of the finest ice ever housed and 500,000 tons stacked for early use, is the Hudson river winter harvest. It has been gathered at an estimated cost of 20 cents per ton.

A glass factory at Liverpool has "glass journal boxes for all its machinery, a glass floor, glass shingles on the roof and a smoketack 105 feet high, built wholly of glass bricks, each a foot square."

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