

AMERICA'S PROBLEM.

Shall the Nation Remain Hermit or Extend Its Dominion?

Views of Prominent Citizens of Sacramento and the Nation on the Question.

Within the last three months the United States have been confronted with grave problems that affect the very foundations of government...

Stated from any viewpoint the problem is complex and full of difficulties. If this nation adheres to the old Jeffersonian idea that there should be no alliances with foreign powers...

The following definite expressions of opinion by two representative public men—ex-President Cleveland, standing for the old view, and Representative Smith, of Michigan standing for the new—show in sharp contrast the two prevailing ideas on the duties and functions of government.

In a recent speech at Princeton on Founders' Day Grover Cleveland expressed the traditional idea that this nation should remain a hermit, as set forth below under the head of "For Tradition."

Representative Smith is one of the many who stand for progress, who believe we have reached the parting of the ways and that the traditions born before steamboats, telegraphs and railroads were invented, are too narrow for this age of unexampled growth and international development.

FOR TRADITION, FOR EXTENSION.

The American people have been argued every day and night for the last century to abandon vision for a colonial ways and enter into a system of international development.

If, then, the suggestion which now bears the name of extension is made, it would mean that we should give up our old traditions and our old ways of life, and that we should attempt to employ the simple methods of the civilized world.

The following expressions of opinion by representative citizens of California show the way the problems discussed by the two speakers are viewed in Sacramento:

Judge A. C. Hinkson—I am decidedly in favor of the acquisition of necessary territory. Mr. Cleveland's views do not meet the situation, for we cannot be confined in the swaddling

Five Days for Luffran. Fred Luffran was sentenced by Justice Davis yesterday to five days in the County Jail. He denied Chief of Police Dwyer's right to restrain him from entering the city.

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clothes of our ancestors. The founders of this Government were wise and far-reaching in their day, but it was not given to human nature to foresee all the possibilities before this great people.

President Frank Miller of the National Bank of D. O. Mills & Co., whose son is an Ensign on the Oregon—In each of the four points of the compass this nation is already entangled with the affairs of every nation on the earth.

Grove L. Johnson—I frankly admit that I am undecided whether I favor the taking of Hawaii or not. While in Congress I introduced a bill that prohibited absolutely all foreign immigration, and on principle I oppose departing from the beaten path.

Winners of Games Played During the Week. The winners at the Whist Club during the week ending yesterday were:

Monday evening, compass whist—North and south, George M. Mott and West, C. F. Gorman and J. G. Berger, score 9 plus.

Tuesday afternoon, ladies' guest day, drive whist—Mrs. C. B. Martin and Mrs. J. A. Green, 718 per cent.

Wednesday evening, hoteling duplicate—E. H. Hook and W. H. Treichler, score 5 plus.

Thursday evening, special contest, team composed of George M. Mott, Fred Broch, J. H. Whitbeck and James L. Pond defeated a team composed of C. T. Milliken, F. H. Kiefer, C. F. Gorman and J. G. Berger in 24-board duplicate contest, by 11 tricks.

Friday afternoon, compass whist for ladies only—North and south, Mrs. William Schaw and Miss Ann Schaw, score 8 plus; east and west, Mrs. James Seidler and Mrs. A. A. Redington, score 4 plus.

The Tournament of the Club Nearly Over—Probable Winners. The tournament at the Capitol City Chess Club is now drawing close to an ending. The probable winners will be: First prize, Colonel Robert L. Peeler, Presley B. Johnson second prize and the third prize to Ebert A. Brown.

Chess Notes. The club very much regrets the absence from the tournament of Dr. G. M. Dixon, but professional duties prevented that gentleman from continuing in the contest.

City Finances. Following is the report of City Auditor Young for the week ending Saturday, June 20, 1898.

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MOTHER GOOSE.

The Old Woman and Her Brood at the Carnival. Old Mother Goose, before taking her summer vacation, having brushed the cobwebs from the moon and put her house in order, will receive her friends on July 1st at Oak Park.

Mistress Mary, quite contrary, Polly (put) the kettle on, and we'll all have tea. Pollys three will serve the tea.

Little Boy Blue won't lend you his horn, but will sell it to you. Little Miss Muffett, with the original spiders; every one guaranteed, or your money back for the asking.

Queen of Hearts will sell tarts, sweetened by the sight of her. Look out for the Kave.

King Cole, jolly old soul, will tire himself listening to his fiddlers three. Humpty Dumpty will sit on the wall and see there's no shoplifting.

The old woman who lived in a shoe, will be accompanied by her small family. Little Tommy Grace, with a pain in his face (getting to be a big boy now), will chew gum and also sell it.

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CHOSEN FRIENDS. Friendship Council Elects Officers for the ensuing Term. Friendship Council, No. 65, O. C. F., has elected officers for the ensuing term as follows: Past Councilor, Willard M. Lee; Councilor, Mrs. M. S. Daniolth; Vice Councilor, Mrs. Emma Lee; Instructor, Mrs. Annie E. Monaghan; Secretary, E. R. Tiel; Treasurer, F. H. Kiefer; Prelate, Miss M. L. Pilovich; Marshal, Wm. McCaw; Warden, Mrs. B. Pritchard; Guard, Mrs. E. T. Winters; Sentry, F. H. Schardin; Pianist, Mrs. A. M. Tiel; Trustees—F. H. Schardin, Gondia S. Jurgens and Marian E. Schardin.

A Bacteriological Examination of the Pasteur Water Filter. Sacramento, June 20, 1898. To the Pasteur Filter Company—Gentlemen: In accordance with your request I have made a bacteriological examination of the Sacramento River water, as delivered from the hydrant, and of the same water after filtration through the Pasteur filter in use in my office.

By two separate occasions, roll cultures and plate cultivations were made in the usual manner, with the result that after four days the unfiltered water yielded colonies of bacteria equal to about 600 bacilli per cubic centimeter of water, a number below the average for river water.

I am therefore of the opinion that in this series of tests the Pasteur filter justified the claim made for it, and did entirely remove all the bacilli and their spores from the river water, as bacilli smaller than the typhoid bacilli were removed from the water in these tests, the latter, if present, would without doubt have been equally removed.

Commissioner Price Returns. Highway Commissioner Price is back again at his office, having returned from a trip to Nevada and Placer Counties, where he has been collecting data in regard to the cost of building bridges in those counties.

Balloon Ascension. At Oak Park this afternoon there will be a balloon ascension.

The Bartlett Springs Stage Line via Sites is one of the best equipped stage lines on the coast. Backed by the C. O. and I. Stage Company, and having the most careful of drivers, you cannot help but feel assured that your safety and comfort is assured while under their care.

Trimmed Hats Reduced. Children's \$1.75 hats of July Trimmed Lughorn Hats for 85c, etc., \$1.00 to \$1.45. Ladies' Trimmed Hats, a special group that we are closing from \$1.25 to \$2.95. At the Old Red House.

Music to-night at the Oakland. A pretty line of Fourth of July hats. Van Alstine's, 607 J.

The bankrupt shoe stocks of J. B. Russell and Pringle Bros. of San Francisco on sale during June at 25c on the \$1, at 605 J street.

For a cool, sharp glass of steam or lager, El Dorado, 826 J.

Elegant miniature portraits in water colors given away at Boyesen's, 318 J.

Save money by buying your tea and coffee of J. McMorry, 531 M.

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Try McMorry's 45c tea. 531 M. Electrical lamps at Scott's, 303 J. Try McMorry's Blend Coffee, 35c.

MARRIED. ALLEN-TURLEY—in this city, June 25th, by Rev. A. C. Herrick, at the home of the bride, 227 P street, Harry F. Allen of Woodland to Mary E. Turley of Sacramento.

DIED. MEASURE—in this city, June 22d, Edward, beloved husband of Helen S. Measure, father of John H. A. and T. W. Measure, Mrs. Helen Glasgow and Mrs. Celia Fisher, a native of New Jersey, aged 78 years, at his late residence, 1111 J street, between Seventh and Eighth, Interment City Cemetery.

ROUTIER—in this city, June 25th, Louise Leonide Andrieux, Router of Bulemon, wife of the late Joseph Router, grandchild of Louis H. Router and Lucy Catlin, a native of Paris, France, aged 82 years. Funeral notice hereafter.

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Cigar Talk. There has been a lot of Cigar Talk in this space during the past six months. Some of you smokers haven't tried a Dominguez yet. Do you suppose we would keep hammering away as we have unless we had a really good article? HALL, LUHRS & CO. Agents.

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS. MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Equalization of Sacramento County, California. Notice is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Sacramento, State of California, will meet as a County Board of Equalization on the first Tuesday in July, 1898 (the first Monday being a legal holiday).

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