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IMPRESSIONS OF A GREAT CITY.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette]

I imagine that one of the most difficult tasks is that of giving a correct and truthful view of facts as they really exist around and amongst us in our daily life, and yet one would suppose it an easy undertaking to set down and write exactly what you have been looking at every day, for months at a time, but you try it once and you will soon see how difficult it is. I am in what is considered a great city, and have walked its streets and climbed its hills, visited its parks, and lived among its people for months, and just now I thought I could write out the impression made upon my mind, and describe truthfully and exactly what does exist in this city of San Francisco in the State of California, and I find it a most difficult thing to do, and am afraid of failure even before I begin. Yet I will give it a trial, but impressions do not always convey the truth, as I have just hinted, so that it may be that my own may not accord with many others that have already been published of this city by the sea.

I will begin by a contradiction, and say that San Francisco is not a great city yet, but she is fast growing in that direction, and no doubt will some day become Greater San Francisco as New York has become Greater New York. What San Francisco needs most at the present time is a better system of government. She has such a great variety of people in her much mixed up population that government is a hard problem to solve. Change the present system, clean out the element now existing and start on a new basis, and new life will spring up and San Francisco will be great. A stranger entering the city, as he emerges from the ferry landing at the foot of Market street is at once impressed that he has set foot within bounds of at least a busy place if not a great one. The street cars all center here, and the overland passengers land here from the ferry across the bay, from Oakland, the terminus of the Southern Pacific Railroad for San Francisco. Thousands of people are going and coming day and night, and the track across the bay is really immense, all of which betokens business and thrift.

Market street is the central and main street of the city, and extends from the bay for two miles towards the ocean beach. It contains quite a number of fine business blocks, some of which are of solid structure, but many are built of wood, and many are small buildings with false fronts and additions, and it is this class of buildings throughout the city that need removing and more solid and larger structures put in their places. It is a wonder that some great conflagration has not yet visited this section of the city.

The prominent buildings on Market street are the Examiner, The Call and the Chronicle buildings, standing on opposite corners, all high and imposing and supposed to be fire proof. The Palace Hotel containing eight hundred rooms attracts some attention with its front of bay windows, but it is constructed of wood, and is liable to be destroyed by fire at any time. This building was erected by Wm. C. Ralston, President of the Bank of California, at an immense cost, and involved the bank to a large extent. Mr. Ralston was supposed to have committed suicide by drowning.

The city has quite a number of fine office buildings, the Mills building and the Heymond building on Montgomery street, and others in different sections. There are a number of sky-scrapers for hotels going up, being built by different estates and some of them to cost several millions. These buildings are scattered, but of course will add much to the general appearance of the city. The hotel business is simply immense, especially during the tourists season. The wealthy section of the city is high up, located on the hills where there is a view of the sea and the bay, and the Golden Gate. The view is certainly all that one could wish, and to look down upon the city from one of these high points you get a splendid idea of the bay and extent of it. You see all around you beautiful homes, with handsome yards and lawns filled with statuary and exquisite plants and flowers, and below you view the city with its thousands of frame buildings, its line of cable cars moving up and down the steep inclines, and off on the bay the immense ferry boats plying between Oakland and San Francisco. The view of the Golden Gate and the Pacific Ocean is well worth looking at, especially at sun set it is really grand. There are many attractions in and around the city, but to go into detail would of course cover much space, and indeed a large volume might be filled with exceedingly interesting reading. Golden Gate Park extends all the way to the sea shore and is a credit to the city, with its magnificent drives, and walks, and the general public appreciate, judging by the thousands of people who assemble there, especially on Sundays. Thirty years ago the sand was shifted by the wind, and covered all this space which now is so beautiful and attractive. The Presidio and U. S. Government Reservation is another nearby attraction, and all reclaimed from the sand hills. Then comes the Cliff House, and the seal rocks and seals, a resort where all strangers visiting here do not often fail to see. The Sutro salt water baths have a wide reputation, and justly so.

Chinatown is a black spot in the city of San Francisco and a filthy spot it is. It takes in quite an area and contains many thousands of Chinese who do an immense business in most of the general lines of trade. Strangers visiting the city always go to Chinatown, where they find a large number of stores containing a great variety of curios from China and Japan. The visitor is shown about by regular guides, licensed by the city for that purpose. Hundreds of gambling dens flourish, and opium abounds. The Chinese theatre is quite a curiosity, and the music is very appalling. One play continues sometimes for several years before the curtain falls on the last act. Some day perhaps this plague spot will be moved into the suburbs and surrounded by sand hills, where they may wall themselves in and imagine that they are in China across the sea. The location of Chinatown is in a section of the city that in a future day will surely become exceedingly valuable, and the sooner it is removed the better for the city.

The shipping interest of the city is large and an important source of wealth to its merchants. There are many fine piers built out into the bay, and the water front is a busy place. It is five miles across the bay to Oakland, and some day the two cities will be connected by a bridge, and a western Greater New York and Brooklyn will spring into existence. The bay of San Francisco is a magnificent harbor with room sufficient for all the shipping of the whole world.

The people of San Francisco seem to take more interest in building theatres than in building churches and on Sundays you will find empty pews in the churches while the theatres tare filled to overflowing. This of course is all wrong and should be corrected by the city regulations regarding the sanctity of the Sabbath Day. It is a difficult problem, but if it is not done away with, and the theatres and saloons closed on Sundays, San Francisco will never be very great.

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