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CITY AND COUNTY OFFICIAL PAPER.

THE workings of a policy of government that will disfranchise the citizen who may have the desire to strike out for the more thinly settled parts of the United States and become a prominent factor in the settlement of the western territories, is a wrong one. To those who have been in Arizona long enough to see the evils attending the ruling over our destinies by carpet baggers and those who have no interests in our prosperity and only live here for the time being, to gather the spoils of office and return to their luxurient homes in the east; to those who have witnessed all this, what an air of freedom would they feel, and what benefits would accrue to them under home rule.

As a State, capital will be anxious to find investments in working our mines, stocking our valleys and grazing lands with herds and flocks, and aiding farmers to settle on and cultivate many an acre that is now valueless. With every dollar of capital comes a working man to do his part in making that dollar productive, and so with both the money and the muscle we will soon create a commonwealth that will become a pride to the sisterhood of States that comprise the nation.

DURING the year 1888, a total of 280,500 tons of ore was extracted from the Comstock mines, yielding bullion valued at $86,500,000. The total cost of extracting this ore and handling it until the bullion was taken out was about $3,640,000, or at the rate of about $13.50 per ton. The Sutro Tunnel company derived about $280,000 in royalties on the ore. The Virginia and Truckee railroad received about $250,000 for hauling a portion of it to the mills on the Carson river. The stamp mill owners derived nearly $2,000,000 for crushing the ore, and it is safe to say that about $1,000,000 of this was clear profit and this profit would have been much larger had it not been for costly changes and improvements which it was necessary to make at some of the mills. The silver portion of the bullion produced was subject to a heavy discount when sold.

THE PROSPECTOR is not posing in the role of a dictator when it asks the Cochise delegation to beware of false friends. The Legislature is made up largely of old time politicians; their ways are dark and let us hope that their tricks will be vain.

HON. GEORGE CHRIST, who is the most prominent candidate for Governor now in the field, would, if selected for that high office, do something toward advertising the mining resources of Arizona.

Notice.

To the patrons of the Pony Saloon, I would again call your attention to the fine line of goods now on hand at the old stand, consisting of Hill & Hill's fine hand-mad Sour Mash Bourbon Whisky, spring of '80, Guckenheimer and Ripy Straight Ryes, spring of '83, the finest goods ever brought to Tombstone. I also keep on hand a full line of California Brandies, Wines, &c., Tom and Jerry, Hot Scotch, Spiced New England, Santa Croix and Jamaica Rums, all made in the finest and latest style. My Carma and Key West Chippies are made expressly for me and cannot be beat for the price anywhere. St. Louis Lager Beer on draught. J. H. CAMPBELL,
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THE TERRIBLE STORM.

Further Particulars of the Great Loss of Life.

Yellow Jack Drives Out All the American Vessels from Hayti.

A Gigantic Pool of Railroad Interests of the Country.

The Father of Young Foster Makes Good Part of his Son's Stealings.

SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO PROSPECTOR.

A Father's Wisdom.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11—Wm. R. Foster, father of William R. Foster, jr., who recently robbed the Produce Exchange Gratuity Fund of $198,000, and decamped, sent to-day a check for $50,000 for the benefit of the gratuity fund. In a note enclosed the old man said he had intended to divide his fortune among his children, but had concluded to give his son's share to the gratuity fund as a partial payment of his stealings.

Persistent Weaver.

WASHINGTON, Jan, 11. —Regarding the deadlock in the House over Weaver's persistent efforts to force a consideration of the Oklahoma bill the Democrats believe it will be useless for them to dicipline Weaver by means of a caucus as he refused to obey the edict of the last one. One of the Democratic members significantly remarked that the House would not brook Weaver's actions much longer, but a necessary resolution of expulsion would be brought in.

Yellow Jack on Board.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—The steamer Clarabel, from West Indian points, brings news that the Galena, Admiral Luce's flagship, is like the Yantic and has been compelled to leave Haytian waters on account of the outbreak of yellow fever among her crew. No United States war steamer is left in Haytian waters and until the arrival here of the Ossipee the American interests in the black republic will be unprotected.

Another Trust.

NEW YORK, JAN. 11.—An association of western Trunk line railway presidents was formed here to day. It is very similar to what is supposed a clearing house which caused so much comment a short time ago. The object of the association is stated to be an experiment of the provision of the interstate commerce act and the establishment to the maintenance of reasonable, uniform and stable rates and to secure complete reports of all competetive traffic subject to the provision of the interstate commerce board. The managers shall consist of accredited representatives of each company, the president of which is a member of the association. Among other provisions is one that the officer of each company shall be held responsible for the strict maintenance by his company of all the rates and rules established by the association. The report of the commissioner was unanimously adopted, also the resolution by Depew that the trunk line presidents are heartily in favor of a strict enforcement of the interstate act and of the maintenance of reasonable rates and also the principle of arbitration.

Sorrowing Reading.

READING PA., JAN. 11.—There is mourning and sorrow in many a household in Reading to day. All night long brave and willing hands assisted in the work of rescue. The disaster is fully as bad as reported last night. The list of fatalities will fully reach one hundred and may be more. Hospitals and other establishments are filled with victims, and the physicians are all busy. Many private houses have been opened for the accommodation of the injured. Mayor Kenny this morning issued a proclamation appealing to the citizens to meet at the Court House this afternoon to devise ways and means to aid the injured and assist the families of those who perished last night.

The work of rescue at the silk mills where 20 girls were buried in the wreck is greatly retarded from the singular manner in which the building collapsed It did not fall but was bodily crushed down turning upside down in a mass. Not a vestage of the wall remains standing above the stone foundation. As the building was steam heated the ruins did not take fire, otherwise not one of the unfortunate victims could have possibly escaped death in a most appalling form.

A Tough Prize Fight.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 11.—The fight which occurred at the gymnasium of the Golden Gate Athletic Club last night between the light-weights, Billy Mahon, of California, and Geo. Mulholland, of Australia, was the longest ever seen on this coast. The battle commenced at 9:40 o'clock and continued until 3:25 this morning when it was declared a draw at the close of the eighty-seventh round. Joe McAuliffe, who was recently defeated by Peter Jackson, was referee. Throughout the fight Mulholland showed himself superior in science and quickness but Mahan exhibited all the qualities of a game and hard fighter. Mahan was punished more severely than the Australian. After it became apparent that neither of the men were likely to be knocked out there were numerous demands for a draw and the referee finally consented to the proposition after the battle had lasted five hours and three quarters, and when both men were too weak to strike effective blows.

The Pittsburg Disaster.

PITTSBURG, Jan, 11.—Search for the victims in the ruins wrought by yesterday's storm will probably take several days and the exact number of victims will not be known until the work is completed. The dead list now foots up 11, wounded 35, missing 8. A number of the wounded are in a critical condition and deaths are momentarily expected. No hope of any now in the ruins being alive, so that it is safe to say the death list will exceed a score.

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