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CHINESE LAROR IN THE WEST.

tion of Chinese labor upon the atten- or barbarism will hurt him. tion of the country. Already in California it has become a subject of considerable interest. Many see little to hope but much to fear from the influx of the Chinese. If their views be cor-

rect, it is a peril which not only menaces California, but the whole country. The railroad brings the Eastern states into such close connection with Ban Francisco and Asia that only ten to import laborers from China than are now necessary to bring emigrants from Europe. They have come by thousands to California, and though driven from the mines that Americans and Europeans deem valuable, they contrive to live and save money by working in the streams and placers which the dominant race has deserted.

remain sattionary in California. It all good men, and that the writer and others the delegations from each State reprewill set eastward. The force of circum- like him, should uphold him with their the shall announce a chairman of stances will push it in this direction. prayers. The Avalanche feels that he each delegation shall select one of their The European laborer in the East will not work for less than two or three "Men of prayer, remember your Presi- resolutions pertaining thereto shall be dollars a day; but the Chinaman will dent." work for less than a dollar. The latter is frugal and patient, and as industrious as a beaver. He will live where one of the so-called superior race would eats meat but seldon. He indulges in great disadvantage in competing with Chiand very economical. In the building been found a most efficient and reliable that there are Chinamen, who have been on that work, who are better at and they will strike a truer line - ith the unassisted eye, than most white to encourage traffic. It thinks more than ferior of the white laborer in point of secured a hold upon the Utah trade. The strength and capacity for work. This geographical position of our Territory renpoint was tested by the Central Pacific ders friendly relations, it says, with each other in blasting through hard powerful lever for securing our business. rock for a tunnel. Bets were freely made that the white men would come out winners; but at the end of the day, when the work of each party was measured, it was found that the Chinamen had burrowed further into the rock than the others, and were, moreover, less fatigued. numbers in the Western States and this connection. Finding that they could Territories will inevitably work a great not complete their arrangements until the railroad was opened fully, they have taken revolution in labor. Works will be no trouble in the premises, and have lain accomplished, which without their aid, supine and idle when at least they might and as labor now costs, would be left nature of the trade they covet, and the best unattempted. They are adapted for al. means to be taken for securing it. The most any species of labor; as cooks they are said to be better than any nation the indolence on the part of San Francisco. save the French; as mechanics they are remarkably skillful, and as clerks they are reliable. These are excellent quali- it does not speak very highly for the acuteties, and as a race they possess them to a wonderful extent. Their good temper, patience, docility and intelligence are themes of comment among those best acquainted with them. Yet politicians in California are particularly hard on the Chinese. Their Chicago will maintain the ascendancy, and popularity depends upon refusing them in a large number of articles the question every privilege and right which other races, however profligate and worthless \$10 for a California article which Chicago members of thenr may be, enjoy to the

THE EVENING NEWS, work, and work cheap at any kind of superior being which he affects to be, he can with safety assume the direction of this class of laborers. He can employ them to good advantage, and instead of lion dollars to tender to Schepeler & living a life of drudgery himself, he can cultivate his brain and direct and manage their labor to his own and their ad-

THE completion of the great conti- pay them honestly, he will do more to nental highway, which brings the Paci- convert them to his religion and ways appointed treasurer of the branch mint fic and the Atlautic Oceans, and all the than years of preaching with a contraintermediate territory, into such close ry practice would do, and he need not connection, is likely to force the ques- be afraid that their degradation, vices



The Avalanche, in an article on President Grant, headed "Praise, Blame and Caution," after praising him for what he has done savs

But it cannot be denied that his administration does not open with entire satisfacthon, and that good intentions have, to some fifteen days more will be required to extent, been accompanied by weak deeds." It finds fault with President Grant's be stowal of the highest office in his gift as a mere compliment upon Mr. Washburne, the Southern Pacific Railroad; second, with the understanding that he should ac cept it only to resign. It also thinks it a trade with Europe; fourth, emigration; sad error to send to Montana, as Governor, fifth, finance and banking; sixth, mana man with such a published record as Mr. Ashley.

Such a current of emigration will not Grant should have the earnest prayers of other business. They also reported that needs divine guidance, and the article number to constitute a committee on winds up with the pious exhortation,

article upon the trade of Utah, thinks that any subject, and ten initiates to others and denied that England, in any way, it is to be regretted that circumstances to report. The report was unanimously had acted in bad faith. He asserts that have placed the citizens of San Francisco at adopted. starve. His food is a little rice, and he have placed the citizens of San Francisco at adopted. no dissipation; but is simple, abstinent, cago for our trade. While they might convention in a brief speech, dwelling have manifested more enterprise in this particularly upon the permicious effects of the Central Pacific Railroad he hay matter than they have done, yet their of the centralization of money, and laborer. The San Francisco Times says to the want of definite arrangements for laying down freight at this city. But now aligning roads than many white men without further delay; for it is almost as and cheapen labor at the South. His who have been educated in the business, much to their interest as to the interest of remarks were listened to altentively and the traders that freight should be so low as men can with the use of instruments. ordinary concessions should be made, in It is said, too, that they are not the in- view of the fact that Chicago has already. Company. A party of Irishmen and a California a matter of State policy, and in party of Chinamen were pitted against this, it imagines, will be found their most the Manchester, England, beard o It afterwards urges a point that we think much more of a lever than State policy. It bids the merchants of San Francisco remember that nothing can be done in the way of business with Utah until they arrange their price lists on a currency basis. itial point; also for the appointment of Here the Times strikes a keynote.



New York, 19 .- It is stated that seve-Co. to meet the demands of that firm, and thus enable them to resume business. Two German brokers have money, suspended in consequence of Schepeler's vantage. If he treat them kindly, and failure, but all hope to resume business. pay them honestly, he will do more to Washington, 19.-Charles Clinton is Orleans.

> Boston .- At a special meeting of the board of overseers of Harvard University, to-day, the nomination of Charles G. Elliott, for the Presidency was confirmed 16 to 8.

New York, 19.-There was a sale of a million in government bonds to-day. Proposals were received for five millions. The sale closed at one hundred and sixteen and seventy-four one hundredth and one hundred and sixteen and eightyeight one hundredths. San Francisco, 19.-Legal tenders 72

Memphis, 19,

Delegates to the commercial convention continue to arrive; the number now present is about eight hundred. The committee on the order of business have reported the following subjects for consideration by the convention: First, railroads generally; third; the direct ufactures and mining; seventh, the river levy improvements; eighth, the Tennessee river improvements; ninth, Throughout the article the statement is river navigation, canals and other imseveral times repeated, that President provements; tenth, agriculture and all the several State delegations, and that

referred, without debate; also that in order to expedite business, only twenty minutes shall be allowed to the chairman of each committee for debate on

Senator Sprague, being present, was loudly called for. He addressed the He showed that combination could be formed by England and France for the

there are demands for increased efforts for international litigation the Ameri-in the Northwest along the line of the cans must consider what counter charg-Pacific Railroad and on the Pacific es they are liable to. The wiser course Coast, among the southern freedmen would be to lay aside such matters and and in NewMexico.

New York, 19.-It is stated that seve-ral German bankers have raised a mil-hands of a messenger of the Corn Ex-theme, and says, having made our prochange Bank, \$25,000 to be delivered to test, we may be well content to wait, the latter bank, since when nothing has undesirable as that may be, to have the

Minister Motley salled to-day.

It is reported that a Cuban expedi-tion, numbering five hundred, has gone to sea from Delaware Bay, in two schooners and a small steamer.

The anniversary meeting of the Peace Society was held to-day. Resolves were adopted, regretting the rejection of the Alabama claims' treaty, and hoping that if the statesmen of the two countries were unable to grapple with the emer-gency, reason and christianity in the two great Anglo Saxon nations, may inter-pose and prevent war; also rejoicing in the activity and earnestness of the peace societies of America.

Baltimore, 20.-Hon. H. L. Thomas, Collector of Customs, has appointed two colored men to psoitions in his police, who were compelled to disoffice.

Baltimore.—The following were elect-ed officers of the Society of the Cincin-natti, yesterday: President-Gen., Hon. Hamilton Fish; Vice President, Gen. lice, it is feared, was fatally injured. Hon. J. W. Swer of Mass; Secretary, Dr. Thomas McGwen of Penna.; Trea-surer, Gen. Col. J. W. Scott, of New have been received. Placards had been

sent as delegate from Ithica. Professor Goldwin Smith. to fessor Smith said he spoke both as an in consequence of fears of further en-Englishman, still loyal to his country, croachments on Chinese territory by the and also as one hoping to make his home for many years in America. He first

ious to do justice to this country. Eng- ult.

the majority of the Canadians wished Dulce, to Cinco Villas, has been postit; and so with regard to the British poned for the present. West India Islands; and if it could be proved that Irland would be hap-pier disunited from England, he would losses of the Spanish 1200, and the quish these countries as an equivalent has been formally established by a Con-

confine the negotiations to affairs New York -A messenger of the Irv- within the cognizance of public law.

been heard of the messenger or the question opened again; but in the pres-money.

Minister Motley salled to-day. Judge Bosworth, to day, was chosen President of the Metropolitan board of police. It is reported that a Cluber and the policy of a speedy and satisfactory settlement. It is apparent that Britain desires to act justly towards this coun-try, and has no interest in concluding

convention would not be cordially accepted by America as a full discharge of their supposed grievances, and would be valueless; and the execution of such each nation will pave the way for conciliation and settlement.

Dublin. — A riot has occurred at Traise. It commenced in a fight between two mobs. The police interfered when the mobs united against the charge their pistols into the crowd, which they did with fatal effect. One rioter was killed and a number wounded. The mob was dispersed. One po-

York. These officers were elected for posted through the Chinese Empire, three years. The Society adjourned, to denouncing the Christian missionaries meet at Boston in a year hence. Ex- in violent terms. It was rumored that president Franklin Pierce, was pre- a Chinese official of high rank, in Pekin, in a fit of anger, had slapped the face of the French ambassador, Count De Lawhom Summer alluded in his speech mande; and the flag over the French leon the Alabama treaty, delivered gation had been hauled down. The a reply to that speech last night. Pre- Chinese Government were very uneasy Russians.

Paris. - Burlingame has laid before briefly reviewed the relations between the French Minister of Foreign Affairs,a the United States and England during preliminary treaty, similar in substance the late war. He then analyzed Sum- to that which he negotiated with Engarticle upon the trade of Utah, thinks that any subject, and ten minutes to others and denied that England, in any way, Embassy expect to conclude their ne-Gladstone government, was only anx- will probably leave Paris about the 21st

land was willing to let Canada go, if The proposed trip of Captain General

vote for her indepencence; but no Eng-lishman would ever consent to relin-15th, states that the Republic of Cuba City. for such claims as those set up by Sum- gress, held at Quermance, a small town Senator Summer had not treated in the Central Department, twenty leagferred, to memorialize Congress for gov-ernment aid for rebuilding the levees of the Mississippi, for reducing the duty on reilsond in the duty diabama. Sumper throughout west in the escape of the diabama. institution into every political sphere. His tabuts against England aim a strong how at men like Bright and others, who had always opposed slavery, and ad been the warmest friends of the This double obligation, which is convirtuous. He concludes by saying: "Cubans, on your heroism I rely for the consummation of our independence, Quesada closes his proclamation to the Cuban army thus: "We have to combat with the assassins of old women would save your honor and that of your Sait Lake City, May 19, 1869. families, if you would conquer, forever, your liberty, be soldiers. War leads you to peace and happiness, inertia precipitates you to dishonor."

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ON SUNDAY AFTERNOON, May 15th, for Second South Street, between Faust Houtz' Stables and the Bench, a brack POCK at the Merchant's Exchange, Second South Salt Lake City, Miry 17, 1869. d151



The San Francisco Times, in a recent

hands have been in a measure tied, owing took strong ground against free trade. the Central Pacific Railroad should make would eventually drive it from Ameritheir calculations and announce them ca unless means were taken to reform

It says:

We are of opinion, however, that much The presence of Chinese in large apathy has been shown by our people in have been informing themselves as to the Salt Lake traders are keen business men. and they have noticed and remarked upon When agents of our firms call upon them, and offer goods at gold prices which Chicago is selling at the same rates in currency, ness of the merchants who make such propositions, and it certainly shows that they have taken a very little trouble to inform themselves as to the state of the trade. There is little doubt that we can command the Utah trade for heavy imported goods, woolens, California wines, fruits, and sev-eral other classes of goods. In most of the home-manufactured articles, however, of freight must settle the business. The Utah merchant is perfectly willing to pay offers him for \$7, if California can deliver of the State authorities. it to him at \$12, while the freight from merchants to deliver cheaper than Chicago

NEWS FROM LIVERPOOL .- Elder A. Car

were well received.

In the afternoon session, resolutions were presented and appropriately reon railroad iron toaking, for the telegraphs of the country to form a part of the postal system, for the appointment of a special committee to confer with trade in reference to the culture of cotton, for an equal distribution of the na tional currency, for government aid for a railroad from Washington through Virginia to Cincinnati, also for a railroad from Norfolk to Louisviile and St Louis, recommending Cairo as the ina committee of three to each State to select the time and place of meeting for the next convention, which was amended by including a report from the same for the organization of a commercial convention on a permanent basis.

Senator Sprague said that Congress was as ready and willing to grant aid for a Southern Pacific as to others, but owing to the absence of representatives from the State of Texas, through which the road would necessarily pass, it had not been deemed proper to donate lands in that State; but Congress wanted the route to be designated, and he hoped this convention would do it.

The convention then adjourned till to-morrow.

John Conley, a negro, condemned for murder, was to-day taken from custody in the county jail, on a writ of hobeas corpus, and brought before Judge Ballard of the United States. Court, the otject being to place him within the jurisdiction of the federal authorities under the act of February 5th, 1867; otherwise he would have been executed at the expiration of the reprieve granted by Governor Stevenson. The next move will be an argument on the motion to remand the negro to the custody

Baltimore.-The Society of The Cin-

Norristown, Pa. - Dixon's roofing paper mill was entirely destroyed by fire yesterday; supposed cause, sponta-

of consular officers.

England justly. He omitted to state ues from Puerto Principe. Gen. Cesthat England rejected the offer of France pedes was elected President of the Re-Alabama. Summer throughout was in-fluenced by his hatred of slavery, and he lugged in his rancour against that Cuba has assumed the solemn duty of inion; they would feel its effects, while tracted in the presence of free America he Tory party, the enemies of Ameri- and before a liberal world, and, what is a, would be encouraged by his speech, more, before our own conscience, signi-He closed with a warm appeal for jus. fies our determination to be herioc and tice, and dearnest applause. Chicago.

A fire, last night, burned the Excelior Iron works in North Water street; and on your virtue I count to consolioss. \$150,000, insured \$21,000. It was date the Republic!" probably the work of an incendiary.

C. Kellog, a merchant from Fon Du-Lac, Wis., died suddenly at an hotel in this city, on Tuesday; it was claimed and children, with mutilators of heads, that he had fallen down stairs, in a fit, with idolizers of gold. Cubans, if you but there are some mysterious circumstances connected with the affair.

The Tribune's New York special says, a storm, to-day, caused considerable damage on Long Island, and in portions of Connecticut.

A challenge will be issued shortly, for grand yacht race along the Atlantic physicians say he is liable to die at any Coast in August or September; all the yacht clubs in the United States will be The Tribune's Washington special

says, at a Cabinet meeting yesterday, it was decided, after a full discussion in reference to the eight hour law, that it was the intention of Congress to reduce the hours of labor without a reduction of the pay. It was also decided that in order to prevent a different interpretation by various departments, the Presiprescribing that a full day's work for government employees shall be eight hours, for which they shall receive ten erally, look brighter than ever before. hours' pay. The State Department has prepared a list of counterfeiters, pardon-ed by Johnson; the total number is 142.

The President and his Cabinet have

Francisco, 19.-Arrived the San

Italian papers announce that Garibal-di has had a fresh attack of illness; his moment. The insanity of Carlotta grows more

hopeless.

The Portuguese government is experimenting with a machine, easy to operate, which discharges 800 balls a minute.

Romero writes from Mexico, April 28th, that the canvass for elections to Congress are nearly as lively as in the United States; there was no fear of disturbance, however, whatever the dent should issue an Executive order result. The rebellion in Sinaloa and LIFE SCHOLARSHIP Querrero had ended with success to the national government, and matters gen-



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