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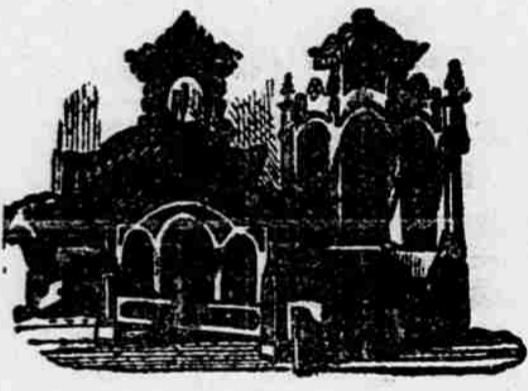
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OUR EXPOSITION LETTER.

Now that the wintry or rainy season is over and the Exposition is completed, let the people come and decide for themselves if your correspondent has not given a correct account of the Exposition so far as our series of letters have reached.

Mardi Gras, the great mythological mystery, the anniversary of which is now and always have been from a very remote date, celebrated in New Orleans with much splendor, will on the 17th of February far exceed anything of the kind ever given here. Consequently thousands who will attend the Exposition have arranged to come to this city during the famous annual carnival.

There is no mistaking but that the railroads are not making excursion rates as low as they might for the benefit of themselves and the World's Show. They will have to come to it and make cheap rates an inducement to come here.

NEVADA.—Commissioner W. N. Havenor is justly proud of the Rocky Mountain State over whose destinies at the Exposition he presides. This is almost exclusively a mining country. Esmeralda and Larimer counties lead in valuable ores, of which copper running 60 per cent with cobalt crystals attached, taken from a depth of 3000 feet, is displayed. Ores of gold, silver and quick silver are rich. Nitrate of soda and salt from Churchill, sulphur and cinnabar from Washoe, rich silver ore from Humboldt counties receive much attention. Ores containing cobalt and nickel, 15 per cent; copper ore worth \$1 a pound; carbonates, red oxides are seen. Ruby silver ore worth \$10,000 a ton is commented on. The Comstock mine sends the richest ore which is almost pure silver. This mine in the past thirty years has produced over \$315,000,000. Specimens of ore from Overman mine shows different formations for every five feet to a depth of 2,500 feet. An ingenious model of the workings of a mine from surface to bottom is shown. A petrified bird nest containing eggs, is the wonder of the young people who visit this department. Plaster casts of tracks of an extinct animal supposed to be an elephant of huge dimensions are given; they are also photographed where found, some 40 feet below the surface in a quarry worked by convicts. Said tracks measure three feet in diameter. Also tracks of immense giants of the genus homo measure 12x14 inches; their steps or strides are six feet. They were found in sandstone well preserved. Sufficient to secure perfect casts and to photograph. Some fine specimens of free gold and silver with ores worth \$20,000 a ton in glass cases—to be seen not handled. The Plute Indians show much skill in pottery and glass work; fruit does well, but agriculture better; wheat goes 75 pounds to the bushel, and 50 bushel to the acre. Fine hay and oats are exhibited. Irish potatoes weighing five pounds are excellent. Virginia City sends a model invention of a stock car that seems very practical and useful.

CALIFORNIA.—The golden state of the Pacific slope is under direction of commissioner C. B. Turrill, and outside of its untold mineral wealth showing some handsome ores of free gold, and wire silver specimens, it has covered a large space in the northwest corner of the Government Building with a collection of articles which, for variety cannot be equalled by any other state. The appearance of the display is greatly benefited by the use of the California redwood for posts and shelving throughout. The exhibit is installed by counties, the collection of goods from each county being under the supervision of a special commissioner. This system has had an admirable effect in bringing together a large display, since each county has put forth great efforts to excel the other counties of the state.

Santa Clara county sends a large collection of garden seeds, a product in which large interests in that county are engaged. Some 1400 acres are devoted to raising these seeds in this county, and Santa Barbara, a neighboring county, exported last year 300 carloads of seeds. Two hundred and forty two varieties are here exhibited by Strong & Co. Sacramento county sends a large exhibit of corn of all varieties, grains, hay, (the fourth crop raised on the same piece of land in a year) peanuts, hops in bales and on the vines, buckwheat and agricultural products. The figs of California are exhibited in their preserved state ready for exportation. The county also contains a fine quality of clay and kaolin which is represented both by the native specimens, and the bricks, pottery, porcelain, etc., made therefrom. A very fine silk exhibit is made by Mrs. Rutter, of this county. The culture of the silkworm is becoming a very important industry throughout the state, and all the counties have sent exhibits of the cocoons and the fibre as reeled and spun. This county also sends some fine bunches of grapes and bundles of liquorice, a plant which California alone of all the United States, is able to produce.

NOTES.
"Where are you going my pretty maid?" In a small enclosure in Main building a real dairy is arranged attended by a bewitching young lady, who milks an Alderney cow, and reserves you a glass of rich, fresh milk—all for 5 cents. This is a novel feature, and is liberally patronized by the public, especially young men.

The Pullman Car Co., occupy a large space east of the Music Hall devoted to a display in miniature of the city of Pullman, Ill., which is built up principally by this enterprising company. Those who ever saw the thriving place, can easily recognize this representation, and those who never saw the original should visit the Exposition.

The private exhibits in Main building, whether for sale or show, are great features of attraction and are highly spoken of by visitors.

Many interesting articles from the Hawaiian Islands have arrived and been placed in good position.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad is getting up a miller's excursion from the North for the Exposition in February.

The Exposition dress club which have heretofore held its meetings on Mondays, now convene at 11 A. M. every Wednesday. Editors and reporters are expected to attend these meetings.

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