

or from the company that he belongs to. That is the reason a great many are employed; but white boys and girls can be employed here as profitably as Chinese. White labor is better than semi-servile labor.

JULIN W. DWINELLE, lawyer, and a resident in California since 1849, **DWINELLE**.
sworn and examined:

I do not consider it desirable to have the Chinese here. They are not capable of assimilating with us. They do not come here with the intention of growing up with the country, but only to acquire a certain amount of money and return to their own country. They have no desire to acquire our language, or assimilate with our institutions, as they are incapable of doing so. Cheap labor is not desirable in California. We should have cheap capital rather than cheap labor.

Undesirable. They cannot assimilate.

The land-killing system of California is a curse to the country, and it is sustained mainly by Chinese labor. It is better for California that our lands should remain waste than be wasted, for then there would be a possibility of their being occupied by a homogeneous race.

Land-killing system of California a curse.

The effect of Chinese immigration upon the present white labor is that it degrades it.

I regard the existence of two different populations as a morbid hybridism which is disastrous to both parties.

I would not favor the experiment of giving them the elective franchise to improve their condition. As to there being too many Chinamen here, it would have been better if we had never had any, if we had never come in contact with that race. I do not believe he belongs to us at all. He belongs to the human family, but I believe he belongs to a race that has ripened and is now rotting. I certainly would prohibit any further importation of them.

Better never to have had a Chinaman.

The agriculture of California grew up simultaneously with the introduction of the Chinese.

Their notion in regard to our institutions is that they are inferior to their own.

Chinese think American institutions inferior to their own.

In 1870, I published a pamphlet in London and Paris, in which I stated that Chinese immigration was a pest and a detriment to California.

I do not think that the Chinese form any comparison with the French at all.

CHARLES T. JONES, district attorney of the city and county of Sacramento, and a resident in the state since 1854, sworn and examined: **JONES**.

The Chinese are a great deal more likely to commit crime than the other races here, and they are a great deal harder to convict. They have no respect for our laws at all. They have courts wherein they try cases that occur between themselves, although such courts are in violation of our law; and they respect the decision of such a court in preference to our own.

Chinese disregard the law.

In regard to the Chinese advertising to take life, witness submitted some papers which were taken from a room, after arrest of its occupants, where they had been deliberating on two Chinamen. One paper offered \$2,000 for the life of one Wong San Chee, and \$600 to destroy the name of Wong Yee Nui; if only wound and not kill, only one half. The