

AN INFLUX OF VAGRANTS.

Insufferable Insolence and Persistency of the Guild.

Los Angeles is infested with vagrants. They are not the harmless tramp, but an insolent, impudent and vicious lot. On Thursday two of these gentry entered an office in Baker block while the occupant was out. They sat down and waited till he came in, then closing the door they demanded money. Another, on the same day, when his demand was refused, rushed into the street, and seizing a stone, returned and belabored the man who had the temerity to refuse his modest request. Yesterday one of them tackled Mr. Briswalter for two-bits, and when refused, he began to abuse him, and told him if he had his gun he would shoot him. The police are running these fellows in as fast as they can get hold of them, but the star and uniform of our city police is an advertisement for them to beware, and it is difficult for a policeman to catch them. Our people should render the police all the assistance in their power by informing them of the doings of these gentry, and assist in driving them from the city. Don't feed the worthless chaps. It only encourages them in their idleness and viciousness. There is no cause for begging. They could all get work at good wages if they would accept it. Whenever a healthy vag solicits a meal or money you do not do your duty if you do not inform the police and have the beggar arrested.

The Demi Monde—Why is this Thus?

Last week nearly all the dissolute women occupying houses of "guilt frame" on Los Angeles street, were ejected from their old quarters, but a few of the more determined ones remained, and now the conundrum is asked why are they allowed to remain? A gentleman, in speaking of the matter yesterday, said all those of French or Spanish nativity were obliged to fold their tents and decamp, while those of American descent remain. There seems to be no occasion for partiality. Serve all alike.

Another Acquisition.

The J. W. Calkins Carriage Company, of San Francisco and other points in California and Oregon, have opened a branch house in this city to supply their trade in Southern California and Arizona. Their immense stock occupies four rooms in Arcadia Block, Los Angeles street, each room 25x80 feet, and they will occupy Arcadia Hall also, as soon as the Presbyterian Society vacate it. In order to fully appreciate the excellent quality of their stock, the variety to select from, and the reasonable figures asked, it should be carefully examined.

A City on Wheels.

The "Automatic City" has arrived in Los Angeles and will probably be open for inspection this evening. Just what it is we can't say, but those who saw it at the Mechanics' Institute and through the East say it is a wonderful exhibition and worthy of a visit. It will be opened in the rooms on Main street just vacated by the defunct *Telegram*. Count Rosebud accompanies it.