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manly life are no greater than are those of many of its kind. It is granted that this practice of polygamy has been prohibited by wise and wholesome legislation.

CAUTION OPPOSING UNREADING. When the first battle of Bull Run sent the Union soldiers flying in a panic toward Washington, the Confederacy regarded its ultimate triumph a foregone conclusion.

FUTURE OF THE PHILIPPINES. The new Secretary of War ought to be able to guide our Government wisely in regard to its policy toward the Philippines, for as Governor of that group...

Brigadier-General George B. Davis, Judge-Advocate-General of the Army, supports in his "Elements of International Law" the view that a declaration of war before the opening of hostilities by any nation is unnecessary.

Why He Was Not Promoted. He watched the clock. He thought he was being wronged. He was always behindhand.

An Old Friend of Ours. An advertisement was printed yesterday upon one of the financial pages of this paper announcing future publication of a series of articles in the New York Commercial.

Well, What of It? New York Evening Post. NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—To the Editor.—On November 9, 1887, the following three questions were submitted to a vote of the people of Oregon...

California Will Make Good. Los Angeles Herald. Los Angeles County should do herself justice in the Lewis and Clark Centennial to be held next year at Portland, Or.

Probably Intended as a Joke. Kansas City Star. General Frederick Funston has been killed all along the abbreviated stature of the Japs would enhance rather than impair their efficiency as fighters.

The Light of Other Days. Thomas Moore. Oft in the stillness of the night, Ere slumber's chain has bound me, Fond Memory brings the light Of other days around me.

THE VOICE OF NEW YORK. The Honorable John H. Clarke, of Cleveland, who was named by the Democrats of the Ohio Legislature as their candidate for the United States Senate...

WHERE SYMPATHY BELONGS. W. D. Howells in Harper's Weekly. We must think more than twice whether we side with Japan or Russia in the actual contest; our sympathies may have a course which we shall always regret unless we apply them with the greatest possible caution.

NOTE AND COMMENT. A fashion paper predicts a red Summer. So far as the Orient is concerned, the paper is probably right.

Demoralizing Newspapers. C. W. Post, president of American Association in an address to the Buckeye Press Association. I have in mind a certain yellow Journal whose owner is a demagogue and grandstand player of the most dangerous type.

Brooklyn Young Women are employed during the Summer afternoons to teach the school children how to play games. The girls have to pass an examination before they can obtain a license, and a taxpayer, in a letter to the Eagle, refers to the last list of questions as apparently "intended for applicants for positions as dealers at Canfield's."

OUT OF THE GINGER JAR. He-it I think I am a fool. She—Well, dear you told me that was a wife's duty to agree with her husband.—Yonkers Statesman.

QUET GAMES. Time 10.45. Candidates number..... 1. (a) Mention all the pieces used in a game of chess. (b) Draw a diagram and indicate the pieces of two players in a game, and make two opening moves on each side. (c)...

THE MORMON FAITH. The Smoot investigation now in progress before a grave and dignified committee of United States Senators is likely to move to a speedy trial.

THE MORMON FAITH. All of this and much more to the same effect President Smith steadfastly believes, or says he does, and there is no reason to doubt the sincerity of his statements.

THE MORMON FAITH. Senator Reed Smoot, though an adherent of the Mormon faith and a member in good standing of the Mormon Church, is the self-proclaimed husband of one wife and otherwise a law-abiding citizen of the State of Utah.

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