

MUST HAVE SEVEN

President Can't Reduce Canal Commission in Size.

THOUGH IT IS UNWIELDY

Attorney-General Holds Law is Mandatory—Reorganization Will Be Completed Before Roosevelt Goes Hunting.

WASHINGTON, March 24.—The President and Secretary Taft are making every effort to complete the rearrangement of the Isthmian Canal Commission...

It has been decided that it will be necessary under the law for the President to appoint a commission consisting of seven members.

Warner's Assistant Succeeds Him.

WASHINGTON, March 24.—It was announced at the conclusion of the Cabinet today that President Roosevelt has appointed...

Congressmen Reach Kingston.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, March 24.—The United States transport Summer, having on board the Congressmen...

WOOF WITHOUT WARP.

Referendum Unaided by Initiative Lacks Dependable Qualities.

SALEM, Or., March 24.—(To the Editor.)—Concerning the present public outcry against the normal schools...

And in all these years the Government has known the means available to call into requisition...

Each of these schools is no doubt accomplishing much good, and is unfortunate in being the target, under the circumstances...

But those who are invoking the referendum are adopting a method that is not without doubtful justification.

And the same principle, if that is the word applied to the referendum as in large appropriations in state affairs...

Let it be suggested to our good friends in Yamhill that they should not rest their labors until they have proposed four initiatives...

HOLLAND MAY USE FORCE.

Warships to Release Sailors Illegally Imprisoned by Castro.

THE HAGUE, March 24.—The Government of the Netherlands intends, either alone or in conjunction with other powers...

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Mexican Ambassador Answers Last Summons.

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FOUNTAIN ERECTED BY WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION AT LA GRANDE



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68 years, surrounded by members of his family. Although a sick man since last Fall, the Ambassador's death was due to a relapse caused by exposure on inauguration day.

Senor de Aspiroz left his law office to enter the Mexican army and rendered gallant service in the uprising of his country against French intervention.

When the revolution of Tuxtepec under General Diaz overthrew the existing government, Colonel Aspiroz retired to private life.

The imperial house of Austria has always taken the position that Senor Aspiroz, through his connection with the court-martial of Maximilian...

The Ambassador is survived by a widow and two daughters, and his son, second secretary of the Embassy.

DEATH RELIEVES JULES VERNE

Gaily Forewent His End and Discussed It With His Family.

AMIENS, France, March 24.—Jules Verne died at 5:30 P. M. His family was at his bedside.

GEN. CHARLES TRACEY EXPIRES

Leader of Gold Democrats and Prominent in Tilden's Day.

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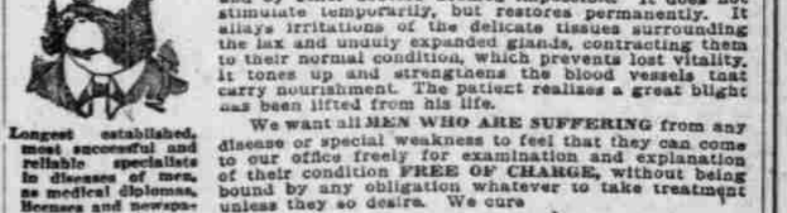
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