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Houses, Food, Amusement.

Great progress has been made in provid

Panama can beat Oregon in rainfall. Mr. Stevens gives the total for the year at different stations, ranging from 40.64 at La Boca to 104.17 at Cristobal. The Panama Made Over Again. Panama Made Over Again. The water system of Panama is complete, with the exception of the house connec-tions, of which the larger part have been made, and the remainder are being made rapidly. Fire hydranis and cranes for the use of water carts have also been placed. The sewerage system of the City of Panama is vitually compluted. All the principal atreets have been thoroughly paved with the best variety of paving brick, laid on con-crete foundations. Other streets, most of which are short and unimportant, are to be macadamized, and this work has already begun. It is believed that the City of Pan-ama is today the best paved, the best wat-ered and the best severed city in Central America. or in the northern half of South America. maximum temperature at Naos Island was 97 degrees, the minimum 67 degrees, the mean 84.4 degrees, and the mean hu-midity 87.3 degrees.

Of the supply of skilled labor he says: Of the supply of skilled labor he says: Skilled labor has been recruited through recruiting agencies which have been estab-lished in the United States. Men are boing furnished in most cases in fairly satisfactory numbers, and an improvement in the grade of these men is steadily observed. An in-creased wage rate for all classes of me-chanics became necessary and was author-ized in Docember, 1906, but even our scale of wages is not. In some instances, any higher than that prevailing in the United States, which makes it difficult to supply men of certain classes as rapidly as needed.

Will Ask Legislature to Create New

State Office.

than two years unless reappointed at the

request of the miners." The miners suggest that "if any con

Sellwood Board of Trade.

ed with crushed rock. The Port-

Company promised

is not claimed that Patrick committed the murder in person, but that he pro-cured the act to be done. He has been convicted principally upon the testi-mony of Charles E. Jones, who con-fessed that he murdered his master while he lay asleep, instigated thereto by Patrick, and Jones by his testi-Beats Oregon in Rainfall.

mony has purchased his own immunity from trial or punishment. Neither this fact alone nor the review of any of the facts already passed upon by the courts at some stage of these proceedings would seem to me to warrant in-terfering with the judgment of death pronounced against the defendant; but three of the seven Judges of the Court

three of the seven Judges of the Court of Appeals were so strongly of the opinion that errors were committed at the trial which were substantially prejudicial to the rights of Patrick, that I feel that the death penalty ought not under all the circumstances to be influeted to be inflicted.

"In view of all these facts, and the grave doubts expressed by these Judges, I am satisfied that I ought to relieve the defendant from the extreme penalty of the law and commute his sentence to imprisonment for life."

MINERS WANT INSPECTOR Patrick's brother-in-law, John T. Milli-ken, of St. Louis, is said to have financed Patrick's lightsfor freedom at great cost.

with Jean Louge, a restaurant man, at which time Louge denied having paid Ruef for police protection. "I told him," said Burns, "that I did not believe him. I said we knew the facts." Burns was on the witness stand when court adjourned

court adjourned.

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lake is nearly a mile in circumference and the water three feet deep, the depth increasing gradually within the last few years. Two other large lakes have been formed in the foothills of the Slerra plant. Madres in the same manner. Fight for Irrigation Traci. BOISE, Idaho, Dec. 20.-(Special.)-Today before the State Land Board hearing was begun of the contest Land Board the f the contest be-H. Liebes & Co. Furs

J. P. PLAGEMANN, Manager 135 FIFTH ST., Cor. Alder

Company and the Idaho Irrigating Com-pany for segregation of 60.000 acres of land south of Gooding in Lincoln County. The contest is very interesting and im-portant-the first one of the kind that

The tract sought is right in the midst of and a part of a greater tract sought by the Twin Falls Company. The other company cannot cover so much ground as its competitor, its surveys being such that it can only reach the land in dispute. The latter company claims to have the only valid application before the board for this land. It develops that the Twin Falls Company intends to build an electric railway line from Milner through the entire tract to Gooding, some 40 miles, generating the power at its own start

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ployes, the commission new has sufficient, buildings to provide quarters for all its bachelor employes. These, buildings are screened, and provided almost universally with running water and with modern plumb-ing, and are confortably furnished. In ad-lition, 355 separate bouses and 15 larger buildings have been constructed for mar-tied quarters, providing accommodations for the quarters, providing accommodations for the function of the suffaces covered with crushed rock. duarters, providing accommodations for of quarters, providing accommodations for families. There are still many mar-d men, however, for whom no quarters a vallable, but upon the completion of a houses now authorized these will be pro-

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The commission, working in conjunction with the Young Men's Christian Association, in annae these and other similar build-has the the chief labor centers. Authority has been siven by for commission for the property thous who wish to attend religious tons and creeds, the upper foor all denomina-tions and creeds, the upper foor to be fitted up as lodge rooms, and the first floors to be

Employes About 17,000. The force employed on the isthmus on November 1, 1905, was as follows: The November, 1905, the commission's em-ployee numbered approximately 17,000, and in November, 1906, the number was practi-set of the same of these 12,612 were under the department of construction and engi-neering; 1129 under the division of material and supplies; 2291 under the division of material of experiment and samitation, and 137 in the auditing and disbursing offices. The 17,000 men, about 3700 were on the sold rolls, virtually all white Americans, and 12,300 on the silver rolls, malniy allens, but the sold rolls, virtually all white Americans, and 12,300 on the silver rolls malniy allens, but and borers—who are not continuable em-ployed on the Panama Railroad. The above number does not include a the above silver rolls, white and and the commission, but who pos-ployed by the commission and numbers above number does not include and plans, but work a few months each year, include above number does not include the planse of planses. Above number does not include above not but work a few months each year, include above number does not include year, include above number does not include year. The above number does not conthable of the behaviors. Hailroad Company,

report reiferates the former unfavorable opinion of West Indian negroes as laborers. It says they lack both vitality and the disposition to work, and do so only until their actual necessities do so only until their actual necessities are supplied. Many of them settle in the jungle; build little shacks; raise enough to keep them alive, and only work a day or two occasionally. By removing from the Commission's quarters, they make control difficult. Nor can they be in-duced to take enough nourishment to sustain strength for labor. The report continues: continues:

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A state mining inspector in Oregon proposed by the Bourne Miners' Union, o Bourne, Baker County, which has sent a circular letter to members of the Oregon Legislature, urging creation of such an office. The union wants also enactment

Panama Railroad Improved.

Great progress has been made during the of an eight-hour law and laws to compe employers of miners to pay employes within 24 hours after guitting their em ploy and to prevent employers from coercing employes into buying provision or boarding at any particular place. Dan Evens, secretary of the union writes to Representative Beveridge, of Multhomah County: "We believe these proposed laws will be very beneficial to every laboring man, every business man and every good citizen in the State of

Oregon The duties of the inspector would be to inspect mines so as to correct their ventilation and unnecessary dangers, to make rules for safe working of mines and to prosecute violators of the rules. The

miners wish to select the inspector, in-stead of having him pleked out by the Governor, their reason being that they want in the office a practical and well-"The examination should cover all the

Purchase of Supplies.

The practice established in the Spring of The practice established in the Spring of 1905 of calling for bids on material and sup-plies on the basis of the price covering de-livery on the isthmus has been continued, which gives each section of the country equal opportunity for bidding on the ma-terials needed, so that the manufacturers, railroads and steamship lines in each sec-tion and through each port may figure on the business on a combination of prices and poration or other employer fails to pay an employe within 24 hours after quitting employment, the wages must be paid for every day that the employe waits for

the business on a combination of prices and Sellwood Board of Trade received encouraging reports from street work trates. The general purchasing officer is located at Washington, with assistant pur-chasing and shipping agents at New York, and committee on improved car ser-vice last night. It was announced that East Eleventh street will be New Orleans, San Francisco and Tacoma The total amount of purchases made for the year ended June 50, 1906, was \$5,743,452.05. The work of the division of material and supplies on the isthmus has been reorganland

ropplies on the isthmus has been reorgan-ized and new and modern methods of hand-ling material have been installed. One general storehouse has been established at Mount Hope, near the Atlantic entrance to the canal, which is the general supply deput for the entire work on the isthmus. This consolidation of stock at the general store-house has made possible a reduction in the ensetity of stock carried and has also at take up the matter of improved car se is soon as the strike is out of the Progress was reported on the Sell Way. wood Bank. Assurances were given that the concern would certainly open for bus ness in a short time and have permanen quarters on Umatilla avenue and East Thirteenth street as soon as a brick buildquantity of stock carried and has also efing can be put up on that corner. was a large attendance. D. M. Donaugi presided.

payment.

Railway

fected a large saving on payrolls. The total stock of materials and supplies on hand June 30, 1906, in charge of the division of material and supplies, which have been purchased since the United States took charge of the work on the isthmus, amounted to approximately \$1,400,000. Accused by License Inspector.

Upon complaint of License Inspector Hutchinson, warrants for the arrest of Adolph Wolfe and Isaac N. Lipman, of the firm of Lipman, Wolfe & Co., were issued from the Municipal Court yester-day afternoon on charges of selling liquor without a license. The warrants were

WILL FIGHT FOR HIS PARD

Patrick Not Content With Commutation of Sentence.

OSSINING, N. Y., Dec. 29.-Albert T. Patrick announced tonight that he is not satisfied with commutation and at once will begin a fight for freedom. A writ of habeas corpus will be applied for, it was said, in the United States Court, making Warden Johnson the defendant.

QUESTIONS BURNS ACH Detective Says He Has Received No

Money From Heney.

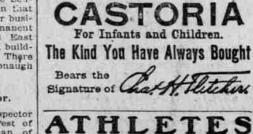
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 20.-William J. Burns, the detective who has been gathering the evidence upon which the recent adictments found by the grand jury have been based, was a witness today in the case of Mayor Eugene E. Schmitz and Abraham Ruef, charged with extortion. In answer to a question, the witness stated that for 18 years he has been em-ployed as a special agent of the interior Department. An attempt was made by Attorney Ach, for the defense, to show qualified miner, selected in competitive examination. Attorney Ach, for the determined on with that Burns severed his connection with the Government at the request of Special Prosecutor Heney, but the evidence was not admitted. The court also sustained the objections

cial Prosecutor Heney, but the evidence was not admitted. The circular letter, "but need not require technical knowledge. Bribery or graft should be punished by immediate dis-missal and prosecution. The length of the term of office should not be longer than two years unless reampointed at the knew James D. Phelan or Rudolph Spreckels, or whether he had re-Rudolph Spreckels, or whether he had re-ceived money from them. He stated, however, that he had received no money from Heney. In answer to further ques-tions, he stated he had known Ruef for about three years. He stated he did not know Grand Jurors Gallagher, Dwyer or Young. In fact, he stated he knew none of the members of the grand jury except

n a very casual way. "Is it not a fact that your sole reason for being in San Francisco is to aid the

ecution in securing indictments?" sked Ach. The question was objected to and the objection sustained.

Burns stated that he had been intro-duced to Grand Juror Sonniag, but had never discussed with him any of the mat-



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