Berlin Comment Provokes Hot Rejoinder From London on Persian Episode.

BURGLARS' ARSENAL FOUND

Plot of Daring Criminals Causes Imaginative to See Nihilist Plot. Liberal Leaders Think Veto Struggle Already Won.

BY T. P. O'CONNOR (Special Cable to the Chicago Tribune, copy-right 1911, by the Tribune Company.) LONDON, Dec. 21.-The Christmas truce, so far as internal politics are con cerned, still exists. Most of the Cabinet Ministers have left London and are slowly recovering from the gigantic

fatigues of the general election. Premier Asquith, who has a certain scorn for the world of politicians, hides himself, as usual, in the wilds of Scotland; and Lloyd-George, more gental and gregarious and always fond of a scamper on the continent, is nursing a severe cold at Monta Carlo.

Winston Churchill has enough to occupy him in the heavy tide of disasters. especially in the Lancashire coal mine and in the widespread panic caused by the Russlan murders in Houndsditch.

German War Scare Revived.

Thus for the moment robbed of subjects of acute interest at home, the London journals seek topics elsewhere, and Satan finds for their idle hands and those of the German press some evil work to do in the revival of the jingo recrimina-For instance, England's strong inter-

vention in Persia to prevent the illicit gun-running and highway robbery elicits snorts from the Anglophobe Berlin journals that England is trying the same game in Persia that France did in Mor-

The innocent observations of Lloyd-George that he has sufficient money from the taxes to spend plenty of money in maintaining the English naval supremacy, produces a wild outburst from the professional German navy scarers.

England herself pays little attention to these professional ravings, but quietly eats plum pudding, goes to the pantomime and now and then wakes up to scream against the undestrable aliens

Arsenal Found in Houndsditch. The Houndsditch murders continue to

be the main topic, largely owing to the discovery of a complete arsenal of the usual materials of the bemb-throwers. At first it was suggested that this peinted to a transfer of the headquarters of political Nihilism from St. Petersburg to London, but the more prob sble explanation is that it all was part of a scheme of mere burglary by crimisals and daring experts.

As to the coming Parliament, the awearing in starts on the last day of The fixing of so early a date is one of the many signs that the Mintater means business and still hopes to finish the struggle over the veto before the coronation

Chancellor Lloyd-George, in an interview with the French journalists, scouts the idea of a second conference or of another election and speaks of the veto struggle as practically closed by the last decisive election.

Veto Struggle Ended.

Sir Charles Dilke, who, as an independent member, takes a more detached view and who is a shrewd and experi suced politician, also agrees that the veto struggle is over and that the Lords will accept the ministerial bill. Dilke also anticipates that Irish home rule will be the first business after the passage of the veto.

In the meantime the Ulater Orangemen are playing their old game of threatspeeches, recommend the drill and the purchase of arms and bogus advertisements in the German papers ask for a supply of cheap guns. All inquiries by the police fail to materialize either the drill or arms, and the whole thing is shown as a ridiculous attempt to frighten public opinion in England.

Numerous deaths of aviators come as a climax to a singularly gloomy Christthis should be known as the Black Christmas.

STEENSON'S BODY IS FOUND

Man, Drowned Thursday, Was 32 Year Old; Leaves Family.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Dec. 31.-(Spe. cial)-Drowned Thursday night by step-ping off the steamer Jesse Harkins, the body of George A. Steenson, 22 years old, was found yesterday and brought to Vanson had a wife and three children,

one 6 years old, one 4 years, and a baby. He went to live at Elisworth in August, going from Portland. He had purchased a small tract of land for a garden and home.

YEAR'S END IS VERY NOISY

(Continued From First Page.) more liquor got it by the simple expedient of laying in a reserve supply. There was drinking in the cafes until well after the midnight hour, regardless of the fact that a policeman was supposed to be present at each one and force the law to the latter.

Many of the more lax were drunk long before midnight and men and women made speciacies of themselves, although in that respect previous years have been more notable. Exchanges of kisses, singing or strident songs, gulping down of whole glasses of wine and noisy exchange of New Year greetings made up the picture at the leading

Noise Like "Realms Below."

Regardless of police orders against explosives, reports of revolvers, loaded canes, giant crackers, torpedoes and like contrivances joined in the medley of sound. At 12 o'clock the din from horns, whistles, guns, sirens and explosives rose in a fearful crescendo as many beautiful floral tributes.

if the gates had temporarily been lifted

realms below, was not until well after 1 o'clock that the frivolous crowds began thin ning out. A cortege of taxicabs drew up at the various cafes to carry off the disabled from the battle of popping corks. Women as well as men, in various stages of intoxication, were assisted to these conveyance. Many of the cafe patrons, to be sure, conducted themselves quite decorously but if there were any that did not dip into the realm of the grape they escaped detec-tion.

Some Women Need Whole Sidewalk.

The spectacle of people being assist ed home was not an unusual one. Richly gowned women, in several in-stances, set out from grills afoot with their male escorts, only to double the distance home by repeated eareening from one side of the sidewalk to the

The advent of Sunday and the dan-ger of police interference in continued drinking cut the cafe revelry short and these places were fairly clear by 1 o'clock. The owl cars, run until 2 A. M. kept hundreds of people out until that hour, however. There were many rough scenes after midnight on the

EX - M'MINNVILLE MERCHANT DIES IN PORTLAND DECEM-BER 26, AGED 67 YEARS.



Gustavus W. Miller.

Gustavus W. Miller, who died at his home in Portland, December 26, aged 67 years, was until a few years ago a prominent mer-chant of McMinnville, Or. Failing health compelled his retire-ment from business in 1828, when he moved to this city, where he

resided until his death.
Mr. Miller was born in Bremen,
Maine, October 26, 1843. When a Mains. October 26, 1845. When a young man he lived at Lawrence, Mass., working in the cotton mills there. In 1871 he moved to Iowa with his family and engaged in farming. Two years later he came to Nebraska. In 1903 he came to McMinnville, Or.

Mr. Miller was a member of the Ancient Order of United Work-men. Oddfellows and Knights of Pythias. He was also a member of the Congregational Church. He is survived by a wife and three sons—Fred, George and Chester Miller, all residents of

streets for scores of men and boys had obtained bottles of liquor with which they plied themselves after the ginmills closed. Prospects were many of a wholesale awakening to sick head-aches in the cold gray dawn of the New Year's first day.

7 INSPECTORS OUSTED

ESCAPE OF CHINESE OFF OF MANCHURIA IS CAUSE.

Customs Officials at San Francisco Blamed by Collectors Though

Absent at Time.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31.—(Special.)
—As the result of the investigation into
the escape from the steamer Manchurfa
on December 4 of 15 Chinese, Collector
of the Port, Frederick S. Stratton, has
ordered seven inspectors either to resign or submit to a reduction to the
rank of laborers. For the same offense
Inspector Charles Freund was recently
dismissed.

The seven men named by Stratton SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. \$1 .- (Special.)

The seven men named by Stratton William H. Rohrbacher, Joseph C Poley, Fred Probst, Charles G. Reay, Harry G. Jones, William H. Spillman and Clare G. Williams.

and Clare G. Williams.

In but one case, that of Rohrhacher, was any one of the discharged men on duty at the Manchuria on the night of the escape, but Chief Clerk Harry E. Farmer states that in some of the other cases, circumstantial evidence concern-ing other transactions was strong enough to win dismissal. The following are named to succeed

William H. Deasy, Abe L. Oliver, John Boulbard, Peter Crowell, Emanuel Vargas, David W. Dow and Ben D.

An entire reorganization of the Customs Service is being planned.

Astoria Sells 10,500 Seals. ASTORIA. Or., Dec. 31.—(Special.)— The officers of the Astoria Reading Club report that of the 11.000 Red Cross seals rece'ved from Portland 10.500 have been sold which, with a cash donation been sold which, with a cash donation of \$2.10, makes a total of \$107.10 to be sent to the Visiting Nurses' Association of Portland to ald it in its work for the prevention and cure of tuber-culosis in Oregon. Last year only 3000 seals were sold in Astoria, showing a gain this year of over 100 per cent.

Overheated Stove Causes Fire.

PHILADELPHIA. Dec. 31.—An over-heated stove, a Coroner's jury found to-day, caused the fire in the Friedlander leather factory 10 days ago, when 13 firemen and one policeman were killed by falling walls. No one is blamed.

CARD OF THANKS.

We sincerely thank kind friends and neighbors for help and sympathy during sickness and death of our beloved husband and father, and also for the beautiful floral designs from the Danish Sisterhood and Brotherhood, the Machinists' Union and friends and relatives.

MRS. G. G. PETERSEN AND CHILDREN.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kind sympathy extended us during the lilness and death of our beloved husband and father; also for the beautiful floral tributes.

** MRS S L SEAL AND CHILDREN.

CARD OF THANKS.

Rebels Dislodged From Hill After Stubborn Fight With Federal Army.

DRIVEN INTO MOUNTAINS

Federal General Admits Loss Is About Equal-Rebels Found Well Supplied and Number About

400--Ojinaga Fears Attack.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 31.—Twenty-seven killed, three missing and 28 wounded is the official report of cas-ualties during the fighting at Mal Paso on December 25, when that strategic point of the revolutionists in the state of Chihuahua was taken by the Fed-

Of the dead, 13 were Federals and 14 Of the dead, 13 were Federals and 14 for were Federalists. Of the regulars 28 were wounded, including a lieutenant-colonel. The number of revolutionists injured is unknown, as they were carried away by their comrades. The official report of General Navarro to General Hernandez, chief of the military zone and by him transmitted to the war department, was as follows:

Federals Advance to Attack. "Yesterday, with the object of re-pairing the telegraph wire as far as the Mal Pase Canyon, I ordered a force to proceed under command of Colonel Manuel Gordillo Escuedero, composed of 200 men of the Tenth Batallion, 200 of the Second, 50 of the Ninth, 50 of the Twelfth, four members of the Third Corps of Rurales, two telegraphers, and C. Jose Munoz, who offered his services as guide. ervices as guide.

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"The force set out at 7:45 o'clock and arrived at its destination at 9:30 A. M. after repairing the wire at kilometer 160. At this point we saw an output of the enemy and succeeded in captur-

"At the village of Cienaga at about 2:30 P. M. the rebels, located on a hill 200 or 200 yards from the village, suddenly opened fire upon the advance from some rocks and trees. I ordered the men on the right under Major Eduardo Lopes to march against the enemy, and charged Lieutenant Victor M. Moron with the protection of the left and centers. The enemy was dislodged after a stubborn resistance from the advantageous position which they occupied and was forced to retreat to the mountains. This gave us posses-"At the village of Cienaga at about the mountains. This gave us possestion of Mal Paso.

Rebels Pursued Through Canyon.

"A detachment of our troops followed the rebels through the canyon and returned without meeting any further resistance. Colonel Cordilio reports that the revolutionists are encamped in the vicinity and that they have a plentiful supply of food and fresh meat and are well mounted, but that he could not judge their numbers. Judging, however, from the stubbornness of their resistance throughout the three hours of fighting he is led to believe they were about 400 strong.

"Colonel Cordillo reported further that, owing to the lateness of the hour when the combat ended, he made camp. He could only say positively that there were 14 of the rebels killed, but said he presumed the number was greater and also that there were many wounded. The latter, however, were carried away by the rebels."

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that there was absolutely no truth in the report from El Paso that the Fed-eral troops lost 600 killed in an engage-ment at Casa Colorado.

Ojinaga Expects Attack.

A special to El Pais, from Marfa.
Tex., published today, says that revolutionists are increasing in numbers in the vicinity of Olinaga and that already there have been four encounters between them and Federal troops, the most serious one having occurred at El Mulato, a nearby town on the Rio Grande, where there are said to be about 500 rebels, well provided with horses and provisions.

Olinaga, garrisoned by some 200 men,

horses and provisions.

Ojinaga, garrisoned by some 100 men,
is in daily expectation of an attack by
revolutionists who have been encamped about the town for several days.

Among the rebel leaders operating in
the vicinity are Bruno Hernandez, a the vicinity are Bruno Hernandez, a Cuban newspaperman, and Jose de la Luz Zote, who fostered an anti-govern-ment propaganda during the recent

BILLION MARK SET HERE

accepted fact that the totals in bank clearings represent only 50 per cent of the actual transactions in a community. It was a banner year for the Portland postoffice. The business of each succeeding month showed a large increase over the corresponding months in 1909, and at the close of business last night the total receipts for the year reached \$924.878.61. The sale of stamps in 1909 aggregated \$775,553.73. The gain made in the 12 months was equal to 19 per

All records were broken in lumber shipments from Portland for the past year. Offshore shipments alone amount. ed to 132,652,772 feet, valued at \$1. 630,461, and exceeded cargoes in 1909 by 46,700,000 feet. Coustwise and California shipments reached a total 100.048,785 feet. The increase over these cargoes over 1909 was 15,192,300 feet.

Export Records Exceeded.

By heavy shipments of grain and flour in December the year closed with a good record and will exceed the ex-to \$.201,367 bushels, valued at \$4.521,-Flour exports from Portland were 283,678 barrels, valued at \$1.186,602. In building permits and realty transfers Portland established new records which, it is believed, will equal the showing made by any city in the United States. The total valuation in permits reached \$20,604.957. The inrease over the totals of 1909 was \$7. 123,577, or 53 per cent. The big showing is represented in the number of modern office structures and hotel buildings, permits for which were issued in December. The totals for De-

Aside from the formal transfers of the O. R. & N. and Oregon-Washington properties to the O.-W. R. & N., involving a valuation of \$70,000,000, the ordinary transfers exceeded in valuation those made in 1909 by nearly \$4,000,000. With the railroad transfers added to the regular business, the totals were \$100,096,000, as

against \$26,485,927 in 1909. Among the important features in the year of progress and prosperity was the enormous stride made in municipal im-provements. The city made a great record for hard-surface paving, Nearly 76 miles of paving was completed at a total cost of more than \$4,000,000. To the first of the year just closed only 64 miles of hard-surface paving had been laid. It is seen that 12 miles more of paving was completed in 1910 than had been in use altogether up to 1910. Ac-cording to estimates now in the City Engineer's office, more than 67 miles of paying is already planned for 1911, and will cost more than \$3,500,000.

Water System Improved.

The city water system was improved The city water system was improved and enlarged at an expense of nearly \$2,000,000. With the completion of the new Bull Run pipe-line and two large reservoirs, the city's water suply will be increased from a daily capacity of 22,000,000 gallons to 45,000,000 gallons. Fifty-seven miles of street grading was done and 56 miles of water mains was done and 56 miles of water mains was done and 56 miles of water mains were laid during the year. The sewer system was extended at a cost of \$570,000. Plans for the present year will result in more extensive work in sewers, water mains and street grading. More than \$250,000 was expended during the year for new school buildings, additions to buildings and general improvements. The budget for the present year includes the expenditure of \$350,000 of new buildings and improvements, in addition to \$500,000 for the ments, in addition to \$500,000 for the Lincoln High School.

All Past Records Eclipsed.

Business of the local Postoffice was greater last year than during any year since the office was opened. But despite increase of work, and the fact that only eight additional clerks and three addi-tional carriers were allowed last year. Postmaster Merrick and his corps of as-Postmaster Merrick and his corps of as-sistants handled the business better than in 1900. This was especially notable in the registry department during the Christ-mas rush. The holiday rush of 1900 showed more space for registered mail was necessary and a room for registry clerks was provided in the basement, also a place for storing incoming mail out of the way of workers until it could be handled.

handled. Total receipts in 1910 were \$924,878.61; for 1909, \$778,853.73, an increase of 19 per

Many Employes Are Veterans.

Total number of employes 1910, including rural carriers, special delivery mesing rural carriers, special delivery messengers and substitutes, 424; 170 clerks five unskilled laborers. 31 contract clerks. The latter oversee distribution and reception of mail at Kenton. University, Mount Tabor, Rose City Park, Montavilla, and Sellwood stations, and at 24 other numbered stations. Clerks employed at numbered stations receive from \$100 to \$400 the year; the others receive up to \$800 the year.

The difference between contract clerks and regular clerks is that contract clerks may engage in business of their own but regular clerks are confined to Government duties.

it duties.

Total number of clerks, 206. Total number of clerks, 206.
There are 137 regularly authorized carriers in the Portland Postoffice, and len auxiliary carriers. The latter are paid 20 cents the hour; regular carriers, \$600 the first year, \$500 the second year, \$500 the third, and so on, until the sixth year, when they receive \$1200, the maximum. More than half of the carriers in the local Postoffice receive \$1200 the year, having been employed six years or more, Besides all these, there are a few substitute clerks and carriers.

Receipts for 1900	and 1910	are:
Month. January February March April May June July August September October November December	61,287,97 63,570,47 64,492,88 64,760,81 60,813,62	\$ 71,295.57 66,921.20 76,933.71 71,296.76 68,260.87 73,870.20 74,970.42 78,798.84 82,060.88 84,913.47 105,641.00

Totals\$778,853.78 \$924,878.61 Half-Billion Mark Passed.

Passing the half-billion mark by a healthy margin, the Portland Clearing-House Association had the most pros-perous year since its organization a little more than 20 than 26 years ago.

Ittle more than 20 years ago.

The total for 1910 reached \$517,171,\$67.97. The axgregate of clearings in
1909 was \$291,025,890.61. The gain made
in 1910 was \$125,142,977.36, or 32.3 per

Indicative of the growth of Portland since 1890, is the increase in volume of banking business in the 20 years. In 1896 clearings were approximately \$93,-500,000, and ten years later, 1900, an nual clearings exceeded \$100,000,000 From 1960 to 1907 there was a steady increase each year, until clearings reached \$350,000,000 for 1907. The year 1808 showed the effects of the flurry of 1907 and there was a slight decrease in the total amount of clearings.

1911 May Set Higher Mark.

At the end of 1969, clearings were \$591,025,890.61, an increase of more than 25 per cent over 1968. The year 1910 was the banner 12-month period in the history of the association. From present indications, it is expected 1911 will show a large increase over 1910. By comparing totals by months for 1909 and 1916, it is shown the business of every month last year exceeded the volume of business for the corresponding month in 1909. The comparative

statement follows:

	1909-		
	January	25,709,298.78	
80	Webruary	24,406,225.22	
2	March	34,998,801.09	
	April	33,500,305.82	
	May	38,334,061,16	
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HOME BURNS AT YEAR END

Total\$\$17,171,867.97

Kelso Children Escape Death in Midnight Blaze.

Just as a watch party at the home of

M. L. Kelso, superintendent of the cre-

matory, at 594 Duke street, bld farewell to the old year and ushered in the new, the upper part of the house was discovered on fire. The children had been put to bed upstairs and they were record. the valuation being \$4.715.420.
The total of permits for the corresponding month in 1999 represented a valuation of \$1.436.825.

The house was so far from a water raination of \$1,436.825.

Real Estate Is Active.

The real estate situation during the year was unusually strong and active.

The loss is \$1500. The cause of the fire

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is unknown, but is supposed to have been caused by a defective flue.

Revenue Cutter's Crew Paid.

ASTORIA, Or., Dec. 31.—(Special.)—
The crew of the revenue cutter Manning was paid off today by Deputy Cellector Parker, about \$4000 being distributed among the officers and men.
The cutter disburses here about \$5000 a month for wages, fuel and suplies.

Treasury Deficit Shrinking.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—The United States treasury deficit to date this fiscal year is \$6,467,119, against \$25,935,910 at this time last year. These figures exclude Panama Canal debt transactions.

One of Life's Certainties.

Exchange,
One of the certainties of this life is
that when you're late, the train won't
be. DAILY METEOROLOGICAL BEFORT.

PORTLAND, Dec. 31.—Maximum temperature. 45 degrees; minimum, 40 degrees. River reading. 8 A. M., 4.7 feet; change in lest 24 hours, rise 0.2 foot. Total rainfail P. M. to 5 P. M.), .04 inch; total rainfail since September 1, 1910, 1635 inches; normal rainfail since September 1, 19.34 inches. Deficiency, since September 1, 19.34 inches. Total summine. 1 hour; possible summine, 5 hours 42 minutes. Barometer reading (reduced to sea level) at 5 P. M., 30:24 inches. WEATHER CONDITIONS.

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The aimospheric pressure has increased materially over the western half of the country, and also along the Atlantic Coast. A high pressure field is approaching the Pacific Coast from the west, and another is moving southward from Alberta. Between these twe areas of high pressure is a small depression, central over northwestern Montana, while an extended low pressure area covers the southern portion of the Plains States. Precipitation has occurred locally over the North Pacific Slope, the Rocky Mountain region, and in the Hasin States; also in the Lower Mississippi Valley. The weather is 18 degrees to 40 degrees colder in the Upper Mississippi and Missouri valleys, and is correspondingly warmer in the lake region. From Texas and New Mexico to Wisconsin and Michigan, temperatures are i degree to 13 degrees above the normal, while throughout the greater portion of the remainder of the country the weather is marmer than is usual at this season of the year. The greatest departures are in the Upper Mississippi and Missouri valleys, where temperatures are 18 degrees to 22 degrees below normal. Temperatures of

All Humors

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Io degrees obtain in Northwestern Montana and in Northern North Dakota, and ef 20 degrees in Alberta. High northwesterly winds have occurred during the day at the mouth of the Columbia River, but indications are for decreasing winds in that vicinity, and warnings have been lowered. Conditions are favorable for generally fair weather Sunday and probably Monday throughout this district, except that there will be occasional light rain in Northwestern Washington Sunday, and snow or rain in Eastern Idaho. The weather will prob-

ably turn somewhat celder Sunday night or Monday. FORECASTS: PORECASTS:

Portland and vicinity—Sunday, fair; Menday, probably fair; westerly winds.
Oregon—Sunday, fair; Monday probably fair; westerly winds.
Washington—Sunday, generally fair, except occasional rain northwest portion; variable winds, nostly westerly.
Idaho—Sunday, snow or rain east, probably fair west portion.
THEODORE F. DRAKE.

Some Dreams Come True AL-VE-O-LAR DENTISTRY And the Awakening

It Does Away Entirely With Plates and Bridgework

Unimpeachable Evidence

Many an unfortunate who has lost most of his teeth or a few back teeth and is wearing a partial plate or has been told by other dentists that nothing else can be his fate has thought to himself there must be some way out of this. Some man, some day, will invent a plan by which missing teeth can be replaced satisfactorily without having to resort to the plate or bridge nuisance. They have even prayed for this emancipation. Some have dreamed that it had come true. Yet right in the face of our continuous daily press announcements for seven years that the Alveolar Method has done all this and with about \$6,089 people in these United States wearing Alveolar teeth with comfort and entire satisfaction, some people doubt it still. IT SOUNDS TOO GOOD TO BE TRUE. Then keep on doubting you old skepte and keep on wearing that old dirty plate and your few snags to your dying day. These talks on teeth are intended for the honest man who judges others by himself IF YOU PLEASE or at least those who have seuse enough to investigate. Seeing is helleving with some folks. HEARING is also good evidence to others. GOOD people, such of you who want emancipation come in for a free examination of your mouth. Let ue show you real samples of the ALVEOLAR work on medels; demonstrate the work to you; then we will show you many eulogistic letters that have come to us from our patients (unselicited), letters emanating from the hearts of an appreciative people. These letters are bona fide, written, signed and mailed, from their own homes. Then you may look over a list of about 1990 people of this city and state for whom we have done this wonderful ALVEOLAR dentistry. You may know some of them personally, or by name. Go see them or write them. Most people who have received great benefit from a great AFFLICTION are glad to commend this work to others. Any other proofs that you may require will be forthcoming. We therefore make the reassertion that the DREAM of the ages in dentistry has come true beyond the persdeen use of the commend the person

Pus Poison

Many unfortunates who have Pyorrhea (loose teeth) and receding gume, imagine that it originated from a bad stomach. Some of the leading stomatologists claim this, and in a few isolated cases this may be true, but in a large majority of cases the diseases (bad) stomach comes from pyorrhea. Swallowing pus is as certain polson as arsenic given in small doses. Though very much slower in its deadly devastation of the membranes of the intestines. We know this beyond the peradventure of a doubt, for in most cases almost immediately after removing the cause of pyorrhea the stomach trouble hegins to respond to the treatments and disappears with the curing of the pyorrhea.

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Alveolar Tecth, Where Bridgework Is Impossible.

If only your front teeth are left, say three or four or more, we can replace all of those that have been lost en both sides clear back with perfect Alveolar teeth, whilst bridgework would be impossible even if you have eight or ten front teeth to tie to. If you have only two back teeth on each eide, say molars, we can supply all the front teeth that are missing with beautiful, serviceable, lifelike Alveolar teeth. This could not possibly be done by the bridge route. And where bridgework is possible, there is no comparison between the two. A very large percentage of our work is taking out bridgework put in by suppesselly high-class dentists and replacing it with the beautiful and artistic Alveolar Teeth. And unlike bridgework in another respect, it is practically painless. No boring or cutting into the gums, nothing to be dreaded. Now, then, prices being equal, which would you choose?

Curing Pyorhea (loose teeth) a disease given up by other dentists as incurable is another of our specialties. We cure it absolutely. It's a boastful statement to make, but we can do anything that is possible in dentistry, and what we do is always of the very highest class. Our booklets, Alveolar Dentistry, are free. Write for one if you cannot call. We have samples of our work to show at all times.

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