

CIVIC IMPROVEMENT COLUMN

ITEMS TO FILL THIS COLUMN REQUESTED FROM FRIENDS OF THE MOVEMENT

From Home and Flowers. FIRST "CLEAN UP," THEN BEAUTIFY.

The time will come when Chicago shall have pure, clean air and clean streets. Then, and then only, will it be wise to plan for public statues, fountains, triumphal arches, etc.

AS TO MEMORIAL TREES.

There have been a number of suggestions from various parts of the country in connection with the planting of memorial trees in honor of our late president, William McKinley.

AS TO THE MORAL EFFECT OF BEAUTIFUL HOMES.

It is the heart that makes the home, whether the eye rest on the potato patch or the flower garden. The heart makes the home precious, and it is the only thing that can succeed.

THE OFFICIAL COUNT.

Full Vote on All Candidates in Clatsop County Last Monday. The County Canvassing board of Clatsop county, consisting of County Clerk Wherry, Justice Goodman and City Recorder Nelson completed the official canvass of the election returns yesterday afternoon and found the total different in some instances from what they had been estimated from the meager returns.

Table with 2 columns: Position and Name. Includes For Representative to Congress (W. F. Butcher, Dem.), For Governor (Geo. E. Chamberlain, Dem.), For State Treasurer (Henry Blackman, Democrat), For County Clerk (J. C. Clinton, Rep.), For Sheriff (J. H. Hansen, CHL.), For County Judge (J. H. Gray, Rep.), For County Commissioner (Chas. C. Clarke, Rep.), For County Assessor (T. S. Wright, CHL.), For County Surveyor (R. C. P. Ashbury, Rep.), For County Coroner (W. C. A. Pohl, Rep.), For County Constable (Wm. Besley, Rep.), For Road Supervisor (John Whitwood, CHL.), For Justice of Peace (C. E. Foster, Rep.).

ASTORIA PRECINCT.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Votes. Includes P. J. Goodman (Rep.) 321, C. C. Utzinger (CHL.) 510, Wm. Besley (Rep.) 725, Wm. Kelly (CHL.) 616, John Whitwood (CHL.) 482, C. E. Foster (Rep.) 424.

Ind., suggests a better, larger use of flowers and grasses in the decoration of the home, and remarks by way of comment: "I venture the suggestion that more young people become discouraged and disgusted and leave home because of its ugliness and the many inconveniences under which they and their mother accomplish their daily task, than for a dislike for the labor itself. Surrounded by those who love them best, and with the home made comfortable and attractive, as it may easily be with little or no expense, it is difficult to conjecture any magnet strong enough to draw them away—except a companion who offers them a better."

BEAUTIFUL AMERICAN CITIES.

Latest Achievements of the American League of Civic Improvement. From the headquarters of the American League of Civic Improvement comes a statement that the brochures issued the past year are rendering acceptable service in improvement campaigns throughout the country.

NEW CONTAGIOUS DISEASE.

NEW YORK, June 5.—Because of the discovery that ophthalmia is prevalent among the large population of this city, the board of health has placed it on the list of contagious diseases and physicians hereafter will be compelled to make reports of each case found in their private practice.

LOUIS SLOSS DEAD.

He Was President of the Alaska Commercial Company. SAN FRANCISCO, June 5.—Louis Sloss, president of the Alaska Commercial Company, died today at San Rafael, after an illness of only three days. Heart failure was the immediate cause of death. Mr. Sloss was 79 years old, and was one of the best known business men on the Pacific Coast.

RUSSIA HAS ONE.

The Gussygan, a mud volcano, situated near the village of Kobl, Caucasus, has been in eruption. The outbreak was accompanied by cannon-like reports. The country around the volcano for some distance was enveloped in flames, but with the exception of the destruction of flocks of sheep no fatalities have been reported. A few sheep herders were burned.

PENCIL MAKER GIVES.

BERLIN, June 5.—Carl Faber, of Munich a son of the late John Faber, the pencil maker, has given one million marks to the Germanic Museum in Nuremberg and to the Bavarian Museum at Munich.

ROBBED OF DIAMONDS.

NEW YORK, June 5.—Mrs. Charles M. Kingdon, mother of Mrs. George J. Gould, has reported to the police that she has been robbed of four diamond brooches and a valuable purse at an up town hotel where she was staying. The property taken is said to be worth about \$8000.

SALISBURY TO KITCHENER.

PIRETORIA, June 5.—Lord Kitchener has received the following message from Lord Salisbury: "My hearty congratulations on the brilliant achievement which brought the war to so satisfactory a conclusion."

IS BORAX POISONOUS?

BERLIN, June 5.—Medical men in Germany continue their animated discussion as to whether or not the consumption of borax is injurious to the human system. This discussion has brought out the fresh fact that Prof. Virechow, the world's foremost physiologist, has taken a dose of borax daily for years past, and that this has resulted in benefit to his health.

HUNTINGTON'S EXECUTORS SUE.

NEW YORK, June 5.—Arabella Huntington and Charles H. Tupper, as executors of the estate of Collis P. Huntington, have filed at White Plains, notice of a suit against Sylvester H. Kneeland and Isaac E. Gates to recover \$57,000 which, according to the papers, was loaned by the railroad magnate.

FRENCH VICTIM REIMBURSED.

PARIS, June 5.—Maitre Lanquin, the legal advisor of the Humbert family, which is concerned in the Humbert-Crawford lawsuit, has placed 3,700,000 francs at the disposal of the French authorities for the benefit of the victims of the alleged Humbert-Crawford frauds.

HOBSON TO ENTER POLITICS.

GREENSBORO, Ala., June 5.—It is authoritatively announced that Capt. Hobson will return to this city and run for the Alabama Senate from this district at the next election.

WILL SAIL FOR RUSSIA.

NEW YORK, June 5.—Charlemagne Tower, United States ambassador to Russia, who has been in this country on leave of absence, will sail for his post today on the steamer Columbia.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon, May 23, 1902. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory" as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Mrs. Jessie Mead, of Portland, County of Multnomah, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 5768, for the purchase of the S½ SW¼ of Section No. 25 in Township No. 7 North, Range No. 9 West, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Thursday, the 21st day of August, 1902.

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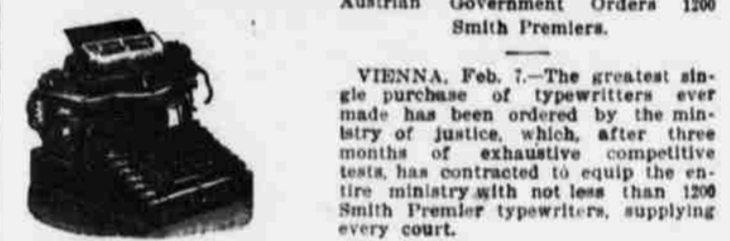
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