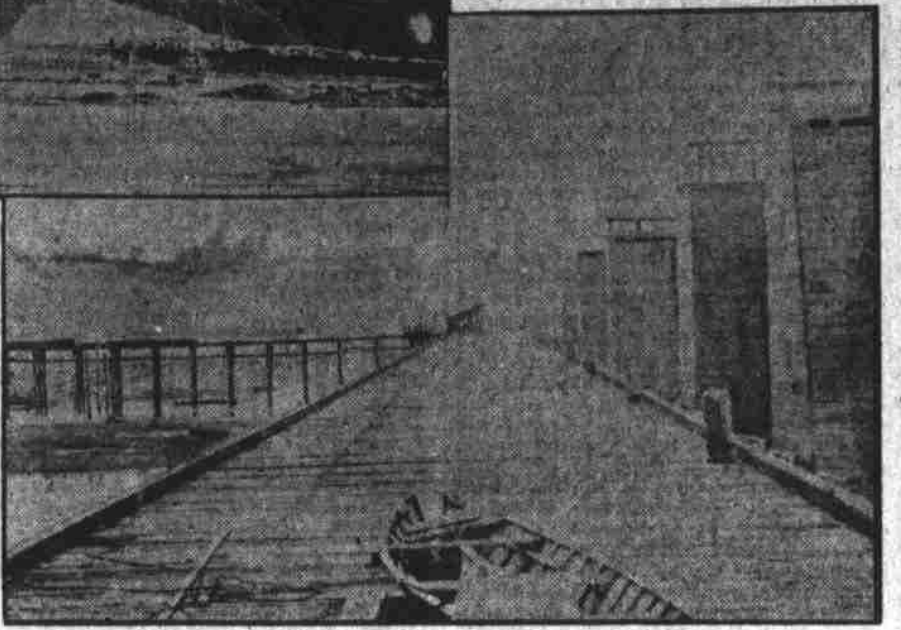


PORTS GREAT DEFECT SOON TO BE REMEDIED

cepting the pontoons the entire plant is now on the ground. Engineer Lockwood says it is a mistake that the matter of bringing the other two pontoons to the site has been delayed on account of low water.



VIEW OF THE DRYDOCK SHOWING BULKHEADS.

WORKING ON THE DRYDOCK

Engineer Lockwood reports that the drydock will be completed and ready for operation by April 1. Some delay has been experienced in securing piling. A sufficient number is expected on the grounds soon, and the work will then be rushed to completion.

At least, ample time will then be had to get them in shape for service by the time the other work is completed. Ex-

POLITICS IN THE EMPIRE STATE

THE IMPORTANCE OF HAVING A POPULAR CANDIDATE IS FULLY REALIZED BY BOTH PARTIES, WHO ARE CASTING ABOUT FOR THE FITTEST MAN.

Other Gossip from Gotham Calculated to Interest the General Public—Mayor McClellan Becoming Very Popular With the Women Because of His Views on Marriage Ceremonies.

(Journal Special Service.)

New York, Feb. 17.—The importance of the popular vote of New York in the coming presidential campaign is fully recognized by both political parties, and the selection of their gubernatorial candidates will undoubtedly be materially influenced by the consideration of the influence which the selections would probably have upon the presidential vote.

Public Schools in Politics. Now it is the public school system of the state of New York which is experiencing one of the periodical excitements arranged by the legislature for the purpose of bringing diversion into the monotony of legislative life.

ONLY WISHES TO ESCAPE HUSBAND

If the allegations made in a suit for divorce filed in the water circuit court by Alma M. Miller against Charles Miller yesterday afternoon are true, she has reason to believe marriage is a failure.

MAN'S LIFE DEPENDS ON MISSING WITNESS

A man's life and the mystery of the death of two women may rest in the hands of an east side resident of Portland. But his address is unknown, even his name has been forgotten.

It is alleged that Williams drove with the woman to a homestead in the Hood River country, murdered them and hid their bodies. It is said that just before going to The Dalles the Nesbitt women were in Portland and visited a friend on the east side.

SIX FREE TRIPS TO THE WORLD'S FAIR

OPEN TO THE JOURNAL BOYS AND GIRLS UNDER 20 YEARS OF AGE. The Journal will send three boys and three girls, furnishing transportation, including Pullman accommodations, and expenses for a 14-days' trip to the world's fair at St. Louis, on the following conditions:

First Condition. The boy and girl in Portland securing the greatest number of cash subscriptions to the Journal, each 10 cents of subscription counting a point in their favor, will be entitled to the first two of the free trips.

Second Condition. The boy and girl in any part of Oregon, outside of Portland, securing the greatest number of cash subscriptions to the Journal, each 10 cents of subscription counting a point in their favor, will be entitled to the next two of the free trips.

Third Condition. The boy and girl in any part of the northwest or the Pacific coast, outside of Oregon, securing the greatest number of cash subscriptions to the Journal, each 10 cents of subscription counting a point in their favor, will be entitled to the last two of the free trips.

Enter the Contest at Once—The Time is Limited, and Opportunity Knocks at Your Door. You May Win.

THE HUB COR. 3RD & BURNSIDE STS.

A Song of Gladness and a Princely Jubilee

THE WONDER OF OREGON CIVILIZATION—THE STATE, ADMITTED INTO THE UNION IN 1859, NEVER BEFORE KNEW A SALE LIKE THIS. IT IS A JUBILEE FOR PORTLAND AS WELL AS A JUBILEE FOR THE FAMOUS HUB.

This Jubilee Sale

Comes as the grandiloquent climax to its great predecessor and rounds out THE SPARKLING REPUTATION OF MR. STRAIN as the prince of the clothing merchants of all Western America.

Jubilee Sale of Shoes

Men can dress their feet here for less than some merchants can buy the leather. A \$6 Shoe for \$2.95 is not often to be had.

Jubilee Sale of Overcoats

We are not afraid to offer \$10.00 to any house in Oregon that can sell Clothing equal to this at three times these insignificant prices.

Jubilee Sale of Men's Shirts

\$2.50 is the JUBILEE SALE PRICE on all slightly soiled SHIRT Bosom and Necktie Shirts that are regular 75c to \$1.50 goods.

Jubilee Sale of Blankets

We have on hand 468 pairs of the finest all wool Blankets that you ever saw.

Jubilee Sale of Gloves

\$1.00 buys the best Glove in The Hub—Driving, Dress, Working or Street, all kinds of \$2.00 and \$2.50 values at \$1.00.

Jubilee Sale of Umbrellas

\$1.00 is the JUBILEE SALE PRICE on all \$2.00 and \$2.50 Patent Frame Umbrellas, swell hand-carved handles, silk cover, 26 and 28-inch, unbreakable.

SUITS AND OVERCOATS

Superb \$20 Overcoats at \$5.95. Splendid Handsomely Tailored Overcoats, worth \$35, at \$9.95. Elegant Venetian Lined Overcoats, every one fit for a prince, \$12.95.

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Jubilee Sale of Suspenders

\$1.00 is the JUBILEE SALE PRICE for Silk Webbs 28c Suspenders.

Jubilee Sale of Odd Coats

\$1.50 buys you an Odd Coat at The Hub's Jubilee sale that cost \$3.75 to tailor.

Jubilee Sale of Underwear

And we have tons of it left. Underwear on the shelves, Underwear on top of the shelves, Underwear on the counters, Underwear under the counters.

Jubilee Sale of Socks

The recent purchase of the bankrupt stock of George Astoria, 66 First street, wholesale dealer in hosiery, etc., enables us to sell you Sox at these prices:

Jubilee Sale of Trousers

\$4.50 Pantaloon for \$2.49 is cheaper than patching the old ones.

Jubilee Sale of Hats and Caps

\$9.00 is the JUBILEE SALE PRICE on every \$1.50 and \$2.00 Hat in The Hub.

Jubilee Sale of Suit Cases

\$3.00 buys you a Coat and Vest at The Hub that is fine enough to go preaching in.

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