

MEDICAL TRUST WRECKS CHARITY

SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL REFUSES TO FURTHER RECOGNIZE THE LONG-ESTABLISHED WAYSIDE MISSION—PHYSICIAN LEADS ATTACK ON WELL-KNOWN CHARITY.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Seattle, Wash., April 14.—The only hospital conducted on the lines of pure charity in the city of Seattle is falling before the long continued assaults of the King County Medical society, an organization embracing the "established" physicians of the city and county. This hospital is known as the Wayside Mission. It is on board the old steamboat Idaho, properly fitted and furnished. It was established several years ago by Dr. Alexander De Soto, who has devoted the greater part of his life to the care of the indigent sick and needy. Taking advantage of the absence of Dr. De Soto, who is in Alaska, the medical society is attempting to wreck the institution.

COL. MAHON URGES VALUE OF MINING

Colonel Irwin Mahon, secretary of the National Mining congress, in a speech delivered at a public meeting in Corvallis last week, said: "It is through the means of productive industries that the world is enriched, our mines, our forests, the sea and the surface above our mines. All our mining rests the success of all our other industries, our very civilization. Its success puts food into the mouths of the people and provides them with all the necessities and comforts of life, and we can no more afford to treat it with apathy and indifference, or make it subordinate to other interests, than we can afford to destroy the improved machinery that manufactures our clothing, the mills that grind our grain, the fuel that gives us heat, the material that furnishes us light, the cultivating and fostering of our agriculture and other resources and advantages. "I cannot, under the present condi-

tions, impress upon Americans too strongly the fact that a mining congress adds to the estimate of the dignity and importance of the industry it represents, and indirectly advances the interest of that industry, through calling public attention to its possibilities. And you of the American mining world can be, if you will, men wielding a mighty influence for good in the world, not alone of American mining, but American effort. You can be, if you will, men whose names will have and ever hold the confidence and highest esteem of every loyal American in the land. I know it is no easy matter to work out a system or rule of conduct, whether with or without the help of the lawyer, and you have only to concentrate your thoughts in obedience to your post, remembering that in all that you think, say or do, that you are driving, you hold the lines; that you are right, and right makes might; and you can and you will be a great power."

DEMOCRATS PLAN TO GAIN VICTORY

DISCUSS BANQUET SPEECHES GIVE DEFINITE OUTLINE OF POLICIES AND PLATFORM THAT WILL BE OFFERED AT THE NATIONAL CONVENTION.

(Journal Special Service.) Chicago, April 14.—Although Grover Cleveland, William J. Bryan and John S. Williams were unable to attend, the banquet given by the Iroquois club at the Auditorium last night in commemoration of Jefferson's birthday, the affair was of moment to the national Democracy. The needs of the platform to insure success in the coming campaign were discussed by some of the leading Democrats of the country and attentively listened to by 500 banqueters present. The suggestions which will probably be embodied into the platform of issues to be contended for in the next presidential election are the overthrowing of the trust system, the maintenance of independence and economy in public expenditures. That imperialism will receive much attention is shown by the enthusiasm shown for a speech of Gen. Nelson A. Miles in response to a toast, "Our Country, which he argued against insular extension. Anial Stevenson, on the subject of "The Democratic Party," pleaded for united action, as did Governor L. F. C. Garvin of Rhode Island, in response to the toast of "Democratic Success." Martin W. Littleton of New York, in speaking on "The Empire State, the Hope of Democracy," proved to be a strong advocate for the nomination of Judge Parker. "National Morality" was discussed by United States Senator Culberson of Texas. William F. Vilas of Wisconsin, ex-postmaster-general, responded to the toast "Faith and Hope." Hardly less interest was shown in the letters of declination to the banquet, than to the speakers themselves. The highest number of these were the ones following: "I very much regret the necessity which compels me to decline your courteous invitation to attend the celebration of Jefferson's birthday under the auspices of the Iroquois club. It is especially fitting at this time of confusion in political ideas and misapprehension as to the meaning of true Democracy that the character of the great exemplar of Democracy should be fully appreciated, and that his political opinions should be better interpreted and understood. "Trusting that the celebration of the birthday of this great leader will prove to be both a source of pleasure and profit to those who participate, I am very truly yours, "GROVER CLEVELAND." Bryan Sends Regrets. "I thank you for the invitation and regret to say that I shall not be able to attend. I trust, however, that those present will take advantage of the occasion to present to the country the importance of maintaining Democratic principles as they were set forth in the platforms of 1892 and 1900. "The merger decision shows how closely the world is fissured, and how easy it is for those who sympathize with corporate wealth to find plausible reasons for staying the hand of the government when it attempts to rebuke those who exploit the people. "In the present struggle between plutocracy and Democracy, the corporations are seeking to control the supreme court, and if they can do that the house of representatives, the senate and the president are powerless to protect the people. "I trust that those who are honored with invitation to speak at your banquet will raise a note of warning against the attempt now being made by the money magnates to control the Democratic convention and to secure the nomination of a Democratic candidate who will be obliged in advance to betray the hopes of the Democracy. Very truly yours, W. J. BRYAN." Williams Gives Views. Washington, April 14, 1904.—To the Iroquois club, Chicago, Ill.: "Are Democrats anti-consolidationists? Mr. Jefferson taught them the doctrine. Do Democrats believe that a national debt is not a national blessing, but a national curse? Mr. Jefferson taught them that. Do Democrats believe that there should be left to the individual every liberty possible consistent with the welfare of other individuals, that there should be left to the country the largest possible measure of home rule; that there should be lodged in the state every judicial and legislative power that is not strictly national and necessary to the national defense and to national independence? They got that lesson from Mr. Jefferson. Mr. Jefferson taught, and taught wisely, that as a rule, 'the people least governed are the best governed,' and that the less federal interference with local self-government in the family, in the town, in the county and in the state, the better for all concerned. "Do Democrats believe that, within the scope of this exercise of federal power, there should be afforded the possible equal opportunities and equal burdens? Mr. Jefferson taught them that. Did Democrats believe that the taxing power ought to be used for the purpose of raising revenue to carry on a government constitutionally, economically and effectively administered. That was one of Mr. Jefferson's lessons, too. "Are Democrats anti-colonialists? Stronger denunciations of colonialism and of the arbitrary, unlimited government lodged within the discretion of the governors, that necessarily goes with it, were never penned than the utterances of Mr. Jefferson upon that subject. Do Democrats believe that no community has the right to govern another community across the seas in accordance with the uninformed dictates of its own sweet will? Mr. Jefferson was the man who wrote that doctrine large. "Do Democrats believe in amicable and equitable relations with other nations of the world? Mr. Jefferson negotiated the first reciprocity treaties. Do Democrats believe in the Monroe doctrine, its proper assertion and its proper limitations? Mr. Jefferson expounded the idea before Monroe after consultation with him, had included it in a state paper. "Do Democrats believe militarism to be a curse, and that the farmer and mechanic ought not to be compelled to bear upon his stooped shoulders a helmeted soldiery; that the military power ought always to be subordinate, not in words nor in law alone, but in spirit as well, to the civil authority? Mr. Jefferson was the man who wrote that doctrine large. "There were no trusts in Mr. Jefferson's day, but we may well understand what his doctrine would have been concerning them, if we will but reread what he said about the menace of the undue amassment of great wealth in the hands of a few people would occasion. He not only foresaw it, but did what he could to prevent it. "Intelligence, subtle and far-seeing,

USELESS HORSES WILL BE KILLED

Following the abandonment of a spavined horse in front of the courthouse yesterday, President W. C. Shanahan of the Humane society has discovered that some of the livery stables in this city have been selling horses that were hopelessly crippled to ranchers and farmers, and that there are at least 10 or 12 horses in Portland that should be taken in charge by the society and killed. These animals are suffering from what is known as "bum spavin," a disease that can never be cured, although the horse may be forced to work for a year or two if its master is cruel. When an intoxicated rancher was stopped from beating the horse in front of the courthouse yesterday afternoon, the animal being too lame and sick to proceed further, he said a liveryman had sold him the horse for \$5. Before the rancher could be arrested he abandoned the horse and fled. His tip that a liveryman did the selling was followed up by Mr. Shanahan, and the liveryman in question confessed that no fewer than 10 or 12 such horses had been sold in this city and were now being compelled to work. The information received resulted in Mr. Shanahan deciding to make a crusade. Officers J. F. Bessing is looking up the horses, and such as are found hopelessly crippled are to be killed without further parley. President Shanahan says there is enough work in his department at present to keep two officers busy.

Perseverance, as a quality, appears to have been bestowed almost exclusively on horses.

Friday Special AT "The Store that Saves You Money" MATTING 11c This is our regular 20c grade of heavy China matting and is an opportunity you should not overlook. Large line of latest patterns to select from. Powers Furniture Co. 190 FIRST STREET

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Ladies' and Misses' Ready-to-Wear Dept. New Wash Skirts, just arrived, at 50¢, 85¢, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.25, \$2.50, \$3.50 and \$5.00. New Wash Shirtwaist Suits. Special, \$3.50, \$5.00 and \$6.00. New Cream Voile and Etamine Skirts. Special, at \$5.00. New Light Colored Walking Skirts. Special, at \$5.00 and \$6.50. New Suits, for young ladies; ages 14 and 16. Special, at \$11.45, \$13.50 to \$25.00, in all the late spring shades.

A DEEP CUT IN BLACK GOODS GILT EDGED VALUE 44-in. Voile Nappe.... 89¢ 42-in. Seeded Voile.... 98¢ 44-in. Canvas Du Nord \$1.15 42-in. Crepe Voile de Chine..... \$1.47 44-in. Canvas Etamine \$1.05 42-in. Voile Bagging... \$1.45 52-in. Granite Cloth... 87¢ 45-in. All-Wool Voile... 59¢ Colored Dress Goods Special Prices for FRIDAY and SATURDAY. 45 Silk and Wool Novelties, in the latest colorings; were \$1.00 and \$1.25 Sale price..... 89¢ A few of those \$12.50 Suit Patterns. Balance, to close, \$7.50 per pattern. JUST RECEIVED, a new line of All-Wool Voiles, both plain and fancy, in the late shades, viz.: Champagne, blue, gray, cream and brown. Special, yd. \$1.00 SILK ORGANDIES—Another big shipment of new shades. Extra special... 19¢

SAMPLE LINE SHIRT-WAISTS—Secured for 60¢ on the \$1.00. Handsomest line of White Lawn, Oxfords and Mercerized ever shown west of New York, at less than manufacturer's cost. WAISTINGS—White—Pure White and Fancy Waistings. Similar materials may be found elsewhere, but the prices, on close inspection and comparison, are much higher. Here you have variety, style and perfection in White Oxfords in every weave, mercerized and the new Brilliantines. Swell materials for Shirtwaists ranging in price from 75¢ down to the fancy Scotch Lawns at..... 44¢ Mt. Hood Shirts Friday morning we will place on sale the greatest Bargains ever offered in Men's and Boys' Shirts, stiff bosoms and the soft golf. Boys' regular 50c grades go at..... 25¢ Men's \$1.00 Shirts go..... 50¢ The 75c grade go at..... 40¢

Summer Corsets JUST FANCY, Thomson's & Warner's rust proof Summer Corsets, new shapes, selling at HALF PRICE. Corsets worth \$1.00 for... 50¢ The regular 50c goods go at..... 25¢ Thread and Berlin Gloves Lace and mesh open work in all the new shades for spring, black and white included, ranging from \$1 to 15¢ Knit Summer Underwear Never were such bargains offered. Everything in Vests and Pants. Prices ranging from \$1.50 down to. 5¢ Just Opened Another lot—all samples—of the celebrated "DEFENDER" Muslin Underwear—gowns, skirts, drawers, corset covers and chemise. Secured for 60c on the \$1.00. Come Here For Bargains.

MINNIE HEALY CASE IS AGAIN IN COURT (Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Helena, Mont., April 14.—The celebrated Minnie Healy \$10,000,000 mining case is again before the supreme court, attorneys for the Boston & Montana company having today filed four big volumes of printed transcripts along with an appeal from the decision of the lower court awarding the property to F. Augustus Heimsa. In all the transcript covers 3,222 pages. Unless the case is advanced it is improbable that the decision will be rendered within eight or ten months. It is understood to be the intention of the Boston & Montana company to apply to the supreme court for an order closing the noted property until title to it is decided by the court of last resort. EDGE RENOVATED. (Journal Special Service.) Keokuk, Ia., April 14.—The Republican convention of the First congressional district held here today resulted in the renomination of Congressman Thomas Hedge. There was no opposition.

EXILED QUEEN HAS A BIRTHDAY PARTY (Journal Special Service.) Vienna, April 14.—At Gmunder, in upper Austria, where she resides with her son, the Duke of Cumberland, the venerable Queen Marie of Hanover observed her 86th birthday today. Queen Marie is a queen without a throne, for her husband was deposed nearly 40 years ago, so that the greater part of her life has been spent in exile. She was 25 when she married the King of Hanover, in 1833, and she enjoyed being a queen for 23 years. In the war of 1866 Hanover sided against Prussia, and the Prussian king, afterwards Emperor William I of Germany, the grandfather of the present emperor, revenged himself by deposing the Hanoverian monarch and adding Hanover to Prussia. Queen Marie has never forgiven the Hohenzollerns for depriving her of her seat on a throne, and it is due chiefly to her urgings that her son, the Duke of Cumberland, refuses to abandon his claim to the throne of Hanover.

WEST VIRGINIA REPUBLICANS. (Journal Special Service.) Charleston, W. Va., April 14.—The Republican state convention of West Virginia is in session here today for the purpose of selecting delegates to the national convention at Chicago. As the party is a unit for Roosevelt's interparty in the convention party chiefly in the bearing it may have on the contest now in progress for the gubernatorial nomination and also for Senator Scott's seat in the senate. The nominating convention will be held in July. Preferred Stock Canned Goods. Allen & Lewis' Best Brand.

Rare... Opportunity Your Boy's Clothing At Less Than Half Price This is a sale that presents a money saving opportunity that will be eagerly seized and fully appreciated by those who take pride in seeing their boys well dressed. The prices we are naming—on Knee Pants Suits—insure you a saving of More Than Half The last week has rather startled many who have paid double and triple the amounts for their children's clothing heretofore.

Keep Your Eye on Our Morrison Street Window. Children's Wash Suits, value up to \$4. Friday and Saturday, \$1.48 Children's All-Wool Suits, value up to \$4.50. Friday and Saturday..... \$1.95 Children's Wash Suits, value up to \$2.50. Friday and Saturday... 70c Children's All-Wool Suits, value up to \$6.00. Friday and Saturday..... \$2.45 Famous Clothing Co. Corner Morrison and Second Sts.

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