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Small kindnesses, small courtesles, small considerations, habitually practiced in our social intercourse, give a greater charm to the character than the display of great talents and accomplishments .-- Kelty.

#### GAYNOR

AYOR GAYNOR has faults that are less so because they are obvious. There is nothing secret about his acts; he has nothing to conceal. What he thinks he says; what he nonestly believes he ought to do, he does; his conscience satisfied, he cares nothing for criticism. It is admitted by most called to bar in the police courts of those who opposed him that he of the country. has made so far one of the best mayors New York ever had. Within three months of his inauguration he had introduced economies saving the city \$1,700,000 a year, and increasing its borrowing power \$34,000,000, and this was but a beginning. He was nominated by Tammany, but owes nothing to Tammany and pays Pullman company is trying to make are radiated there? Are the pictures nothing. Murphy called on him; he a federal court in Chicago believe such as parents would admit to their many got no appointments. He now, and that if rates are reduced it schools? made excellent appointments, as he will become bankrupt. Sleeping cars was exceptionally well qualified to on some lines, the company's attordo; he put at the heads of depart- neys solemnly affirm, will be run at ments conspicuously efficient, irre- a loss if rates are reduced. proachable men. His first instruction was to look to expenditures, to income and expenditures of the Pulldepartment of parks, \$150,000; in he saved \$225,000. Tammany had had a fine feast; no wonder it want- mous, running up to many tens of ed to govern New York.

Gaynor made five men in one ining, and made them do it better. In throughout the country. one "bureau" he cut off 150 heads at a blow. He reformed the pur- been one of the most profitable mo- much perspiration, and hot flesh and the model of the current season. half appreciated.

tive has such powers, what is the resentatives and congresses?

judicial departments' in every organorganization down to the smallest body enacts laws, the court inter- eliminating only the resounding imize these fees and costs will be prets them, and the executive ad- whacks on face and body as either beneficial to employees, employees

each are unalterably fixed, and it the running repartee between Johnwas especially provided by the most son and Corbett. We can literally solemn ordinances that one department should not encroach upon the New York with complete exactness THE comment of naval officers cans. What is the use of repeating other. When therefore, Mayor Gay- of detail, except the speeches or nor insists that "I have not the right noises in and out of the roped ring. by mere will to prohibit anything," It is all one of the marvels of this he stands squarely on the constitu- marvelous age.

tion, and gives a splendid enuncia-

POOR PAUPER PULLMAN COM-PANY

HE interstate commerce commission having reduced Pull-

One needs not to know the exact cut out all graft, and millions upon man company to know that this plea millions of graft have been cut out. is an audacious misrepresentation of rank and high, puts paling Flora in. that will be able to put them out of a very rare event in Oregon here-In the department of docks the pay- facts. It is possible that juggling in the shade, while on her other hand business." roll was reduced \$300,000; in the bookkeeping may serve to show fig- infant Pomona smiles and waves . The field is one for interesting ures substantiating such statements. the water department, \$343,000; but it is a matter of common knowland by abolishing a needless board edge that the profits of the Pullman company have been and are enor-

the city printing business, the bureau ings have been nearer 50 per cent,

of common councils, direct votes by brings, the photograph has been mate results may be large and very serene. But as it is, it is feared of hay and cut down a dozen trees the people, or any other form of vastly improved, and we have the beneficial. Such conferences respond that there is no way to prevent the or so. Then he feit better. He will legislative enactment? If any execu- moving picture. With it, we are to the injunction, "Let us reason to- "opening of wounds." Truth is, howable not only to give the mere out- gether," and are educational. use of state senates, houses of rep- line of an object, but can actually / It is estimated that only 40 per nobody else that are "opening the

tell a whole story, and tell it as no cent of the money paid on account wounds." They have done so al-In this country there are the ad- pen or tongue can describe it. We of personal injuries or deaths reaches ready. Everything was going along ministrative, the legislative and the can fix a happening on a human the victims or their families. Law- all right for the party until they mind with such vividness that noth- yers get a large fraction of the 60 got selfishly busy. ized government from the federal ing can ever obliterate it from mem- per cent, but a good deal is absorbed. ory. We can tell the story of the in court costs and pay of expert witincorporated city. The legislative Reno affair exactly as it occurred, nesses. Any scheme that will min-

ministers them. The prerogatives of fighter delivered his punches and and the public. reproduce the fight in Portland or

.The moving picture is a fearful tion of the duty of the citizen either and wonderful thing. It is one of tice a ship may be bombarded by, under the convention system? The in private or public life. As long the most effective educational agenas law is not repealed by the con- cies now in the hands of man. Its "the faults found with the aeroplane state is a Republican, the acting govstituted authority, it should be law. potency for giving impressions that can be overcome." Admiral Monte- ernor is a Republican, all the other If a mayor has a right to set aside, will never be forgotten is so vast that cuccoli warns Dreadnaught builders state officers are Republicans, an abridge or nullify the law, the petty it arouses concern as to whether plc- to bear in mind the new danger. overwhelming majority of members thief has a right to do it. If one tures that are exhibited are vicious Rear Admiral Sigsby calls Curtiss' of the legislature are Republicans. man or a body of men has a right or elevating in their effects. If the experiment "a first step toward mak- most of the district officers are Reto suspend or change the law, the prize fight itself is under the ban ing the aeroplane an instrument of publicans and nearly four fifths of house breaker or any other criminal of the law in every state but Nevada, naval warfare. It is only a question the county officers are Republicans. has an equal right to do it. The only what of the pictured reproduction of of developing more perfect instru- What more in the name of the G. O. way to change, subvert or supersede it? If it is harmful to see a prize fight ments for hurling shells from the P. elephant does the Times want? a law is by legislative process, and what is lacking but the sounds of the sky with greater accuracy. Then it The proportion of Republicans in ofwhen it is attempted by any other fighting and the noises at the will be possible for the aerial de- fice is far greater than of Republi- a good and resolute fight, but against method, it is lawlessness, and a law- ringside to make the vitagraphs ap- stroyer to do its damage from an can voters at the polls. If that an overwhelming majority under sum lessness just as vicious as the law- proximately as harmful, especially altitude of a mile in the air." lessness of the men who are daily since millions of unhardened youth Hiram Maxim has pointed out what can? Does it want all Demowhile but a handful of old and faith- pass through the wing of an aerotures, it is well also to keep in mind change their distance, speed and di- ter to disfranchise them entirely. the nickelodeons to which thousands rection almost every instant, and of children troop daily in every city. man car rates on the ground What are the impressions, what the

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her chubby hands in anticipation of conjecture. Every day adds to the bless the world.

chase of supplies, the armory board, nopolies of the country and its earn- hearts pumping blood at full capac- The same developing process will

to make the conference fully

ever, that it is the assemblyites and

#### AN ABSURD STATEMENT

HE CONDON TIMES complains that under the present no-convention primary law the Democrats get most of the best of-

fices, although a large majority of the voters of the state are Republion the Curtiss experiments in this most gross, open and palpable dropping projectiles from midmisstatement of fact, when everyair on a battleship target are body knows that most of the offices full of suggestion. Admiral von are filled by Republicans, quite as Frankenburg said: "By much prac- large a proportion as was the case doesn't satisfy an assembly organ, and maturity can see the pictures that a thousand rifle bullets may crats absolutely barred from holding office, if by chance one here and ful fight fans saw the original? And plane without disabling it. The New there should be elected? It would while we speculate on the fight pic- York World adds that aeroplanes seem so. Perhaps it would be bet-

that to hit them at an altitude of village and hamlet in the country. a mile in the sky would be a matter lynchers having been convicted of the contentment of the one corner of of extreme difficulty. It asks the murder in the first degree and sen- her dominions which reaches in these that they were excessive, the lessons and what the influences that significant question, what would tenced to be hanged, and another have been the position of Admiral having been convicted of murder in to see to it that she shall lose much Sampson's fleet, if, while desperate- the second degree, the other three more than this. It happens that we is fearing a tornedo attack at night, pleaded guilty to second degree must have no legal ground for protest, as received the boss cordially, but he that it is a poor, persecuted concern, homes? Are they such pictures as ly fearing a torpedo attack at night, pleaded guilty to second degree murnever returned the call, and Tam- that it is scarcely making a living would be fit to exhibit in the public there had been added the terrors of der and all are already in the penia thousand aeroplanes to appear tentiary. It was prompt, efficient the less been violated, solemn oaths forfrom behind the hills at Santiago work on the part of the Grant county sotten, and the public law of Europe for delivery of an attack with bombs authorities. The punishment is terfrom the sky. The Boston Herald ribly severe-one to be hanged and T IS NEARING the middle of the says that "by the time our new 30,- four sent to the penitentiary for life faith. Prudence itself counsels us that midsummer month, the first of 000 ton battleships are in commis- for the murder of one man and he a the two principle harvest months sion, it is not at all unlikely that an murderer-but the lesson was need--the month when Ceres, rising aeroplane will have been perfected ed. Lynching of a prisoner will be after.

her turn, coming soon, to feed and evolution in sky craft. The aeroplane care to go down to the coast, who of today is the automobile of six don't desire so long a trip or to be Hot grows the ground; hard or eight years ago. The puny type away over night, the Willamette grows the grain and yellew the then is but a shadow of the highly itself above Portland, offers a demillions of dollars; and it is doing a stalks that bear them. Forth go the perfected machine of the present. lightful opportunity for a little water constantly increasing business, of reapers, the combines and lesser ma- Every season's model is highly im- excursion-or one can go by car and stance do the work 17 had been do- which it has an absolute monopoly chines, and the big job of providing proved over that of the year before. find plenty of attractive places along the world with another year's flour The evolution in the auto is going the river's bank for a picnic lunch. The Pullman Car company has goes forward steadily, mightily; with on so rapidly that every owner wants The Willamette in summer is not

#### and the second second

be talking some more this week.

hould be more thankful every day. and especially on Sunday, than those of eastern cities, on account of the difference in the weather. It is ing the en worth a good deal in the course of a lifetime to live where one can be comfortable, as to climate, the year around.

#### Strangling of Finnish Liberty. From the (London) Nation.

Russian douma, as it exists in ts third incarnation, with a jerryman dered electorate and a Siberian purge chind it, has done little as yet to distinguish itself among the world's parlaments. But by the levity with which it is voting away the liberties of Finland, it has at last succeeded in establishing a record. For anything resem-bling the frivolity of its proceedings one would have to search the records of those sessions of our own house of commons which dealt in an equally summary way with a conquered and unrepresented Ireland under the last of the Stuarts. To the accompaniment of the guillotine, under a reign of mitrallleuse speeches, each limited to a few minutes, the history of a century was blotted out, the promises of dead czars obliterated, and a developed western civilization subjected to a semi-Asiatic depotism. \* \* The Extreme Left, it seems to us, took the more self-respecting course when it left the house to complete plans for the coming camin protest after the first fatal decision. The Liberals under M. Miliukoff made mary rules of procedure their efforts were foredopmed to failure. \* \* \* The sequel one may anticipate with a certain gloomy assurance. certain gloomy assurance. The Finns are not of the stuff that bends before a threat. Everything which they valued, from the form of their cherished constitution to the more intimate liberties of their daily life, is now in danger of overthrow. \* \* \* But Rus-One of the five Grant county losing the culture, the prosperity, and

respects a European standard. It remains for the democracles of the west we had in the much less gross case of Bosnia. But treaty rights have none flouted. The government which done these things has proclaimed itself a government which does not keep the ally who attempts to transact with it risks behavior equally faithless. There were reasons enough before is

the internal misgovernment of Russia why we should refrain from any entente cordiale. Those reasons are multiplied tenfold today. In all our deal-For those who cannot or do not with the official classes of Russia, there is now a plain duty to remember, first of all, that on them falls the guilt

## Not Sane and Safe.

of liberticide in Finland.

America.

From Mark Twain as an Orator, in the July Forum.

Atlantic seaboard. A man cannot have

a disease like that and be entirely

Asks Impudent Questions.

From the Detroit News.

asking embarrassing questions. His latest, propounded to congress, was as

to how much it would cost the govern-

ment to build and maintain postoffice

cars, and how much the express com-

A man who would ask such impertinent

questions is a disturber and incendiary

panies pay the roads for car haulage

This man, La Follette, is persistently

congress, was as

them make you sad."

"Our ambassador has spoken of the fourth of July, and the noise it makes. We have a double Fourth of July in We honor it all through the ing the Sherman anti-trust law. The most notable wedding of the week daylight hours, and when the night comes we dishonor it. Just at this hour

will be that of Miss Priscilla Toland, the pandemonium would be about to begin. More than the noise, there nter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dale Toland, and Gaspar Griswold Bacon, son of the American ambassador to France, and Mrs. Robert Bacon. The give to irresponsible boys to play with wedding is to take place Saturday at Aubray, the country place of the bride's parents at White Marsh, Pa. The notable conventions of the week. the United States was worth 125 years in addition to the gathering of the ago, and to thousands it is turned into Elks before mentioned, will include the International convention of the Baptist "I have suffered in that way myself. Young People's Union, at Saratoga, the I had an uncle in Chicago-as good an uncle as ever I had, and I have had a annual saengerfest of the Northwestern Norwegian-Danish Singers' associalot of them. He opened his mouth to tion at Sioux Falls, the convention of the Upper Mississippi River Improvement association at St. Paul, and the summer meeting of the America Chemquench the thing it had scattered him ical society in San Francisco. all over the 45 states. Really this is

News Forecast of Coming Week Really, the people of Portland

> July 9 .- So far as th al capital is concern live news promises to be as scarce durng the ensuing seven days as the pro-rerbial hen's testh. The extreme heat seems to have driven all officialdom to neek relief at the seashore or in the mountains. The president, the cabinet. members of congress and heads of the various departments all have left town, and for the time being the ma-

chinery of government is, allowed to ome almost to a standstill. The political world will probably keep he eye on Beverly and the other on Oyster Bay, though there is no reason to suppose that any "big" news will emanate from either point during the week. Golf, tennis and yachting will absorb the attention of President Taft, while Colonel Roosevelt is expected to follow the routine of work and rest which he has pursued since his arrival home from Europe, which has been interfered with only by his recent brief trip to the Harvaill commancement. The political campaigns will buzz along in Georgia, Texas, Michigan, California and other states where primary elections are soon to be held. The Republican party of Alabama is to hold a state convention in Birmingham Thursday to name a ticket to oppose the Democrats at the general election

this fall. Another political convention will be that of the Democrats of North Caroline, who will meet in Charlotte paign. The Pan-American congress

fourth of a series of great conferences that are steadily strengthening, the bonds between the republics of the western hemisphere, will continue its ses-sions in Buenos Ayres, the Argentine metropolis, where the delegates have already assembled from the United States, Mexico and the countries of Central and South America.

The fate of the present conservative overnment in Manitoba, which has held office continuously under Premier Roblin for the past ten years, will be decided by the provincial elections to be held Monday. The campaign has been very keen on the side of both parties. The government's elevator bill and the extension of Manitoba's boundaries are the chief issues of the contest

The Polish population of America will unite with their people across the wa-ter in the celebration next Friday of the one hundredth anniversary of the battle of Grunewald, in which the forces of Poland destroyed the power of the Teutonic knights and placed their territories at the mercy of the Poles and their allies.

Thousands of members of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks from all over the United States and Canada are gathered in Detroit for their forty-sixth annual convention and grand lodge reunion. The sessions of the grand lodge will begin Tuesday and continue through the greater 'part of the week. The annual parade, which is the big spectacular event of the reunion, is scheduled for Thursday. It is exfriends will attend the convention this year.

Pursuant to the call of Judge Landis, special federal grand jury will be convened in Chicago Thursday to renew the investigation of the packing companies, who are suspected of violat-

of weights and measures, and kicked

He practically took charge of it himself. There are 10,000 policemen in any other purpose. He says that the charity of the traveling public "supreme danger lies in trying to do for a living. by the policeman's club what can only be done very gradually by the slow development which comes principally from our schools and house than burglars have. Under comes into court and pleads pov- be ashamed of, \ the New York law policemen have erty, that it is making only 5 per no power to make arrests for violation of the excise law, only to gather rests that they had no right to make. be regulated. Gaynor stopped all that. "Take my word for it, my reverend friends." he said, "the only way to deal with the

Mayor Gaynor is 59 years old. He was born on a farm, went to a country school, was a newspaper reporter, served as mayor of Brooklyn, and morality. long as a judge, in which capacity for president in 1912.

LAW IS LAW

will to prohibit anything." de- single photograph of the swollen display justice in a very favorable

New York City. He added: "I shall new for us to see. law does not confer such power I ity or age is fixed. - There is neither so that he can no longer work, can

tive declare that government must ployed it as the quickest and most men are constantly harassed with be by law. The effect of Mayor effective agent in communicating cases without any real basis of the Oregonian reports that "The ery that silver chloride was more senrecting general attention to the fact of the most powerful of all influ- asked when the injuries are but referring in particular to the letter pressing need everywhere for youth, every modern dictionary, every work as that proposed, to correct the criticism because they "are calcumaturity and age to be taught that on ornithology, zoology or ichthy- abuses of personal injury litigation. lated to stir up factional strife in no man or body of men is bigger ology employs the picture as one of A movement of a similar character the party and open wounds that will France, and William H. F. Talbot, in States and minister to England (1792); than the law. It is of commanding its chief educational assets. Even was made in Oregon, but employers take a long time to heal." Too bad, England. In 1824 Daguerre began his Captain Frederick Matryat, the naval importance that every social unit the bulletins of the experiment sta- and employes could not agree, and too bad. If all Republicans would men has a right to suspend the law, boomers are profusely illustrated, itself, neither, perhaps, being entire- would just keep their hands off and to abridge the law, to set aside the because, after all, it is the photo- ly fair and just to the other. Not let a few of the old political gang invention of Niepce, who first discov- attorney law, to evade the law, or to pullify graph that creates the lasting im- much in the way of immediate re- reconstruct and run a machine, shut- ered that thin plates of hitumen were (1819). It is the date of the death of

has such powers, what is the use And, in the evolution that time other similar conferences, but ulti- then all would be harmonious and mance from the French government on i Grange (1684)

out a lot of dummy city musicians. ual investment, than the 5 per cent only keep famine far out of sight, flyer was not even discovered until sembly, the tall tower is trying by all through the permission which we But it was to the police depart- that its lawyers say is all it can earn. but will have gold galore ere long. ment that he paid especial attention. If their statement is true, it is hecause the greater part of the stock is "water." And while plling up many is the playtime of the year. Millions, developed. Its possibilities ought to that he favors it. It is the high-New York, and the mayor instructed millions of net profits annually, this putting aside for a month or two be reckoned with as we go on loading browed intellectual's way of pulling a day of mourning. great multimillionaire monopoly the routine duties and cares of the ourselves up with \$15,000,000 batobey the law, never to go outside of habitually evades or contests reasonit, either to enter a saloon or other able taxes, and pays its porters so the ocean, up into the mountains, on place, or to club an offender, or for little that they have to depend on recreative journeys far and near, and are at play-for older people as

well as children like and need to The interstate commerce commisplay at times. For these, July is a sion doubtless investigated the mathappy, long-anticipated month. ter of Pullman rates thoroughly and Each month has its peculiar decided that they should come down claims and characteristics and churches." Policemen, he says, have a little in justice to the millions of charms and uses, and the month of people who travel. But the company great Julius Caesar has nothing to

cent now on some lines, only 11/2 per cent, is really losing money, or evidence against violators of the law. will, if rates are lowered. No wonder Yet the police were collecting \$2.- the people demand that such uncon-000,000 a year by threatening ar- scionable monopolistic corporations

THE FIGHT PICTURES

saloon or vice is to do so lawfully." HE week has seen the country representative of both employers and

in near hysterics over the mov- workingmen, the aim being to devise, ing pictures of the gentlemanly if possible, some legislative or other affair at Reno. Governors, means for doing away with or at studied law, settled in Flatbush, a mayors and others of the great and least greatly reducing the great and suburb of Brooklyn, and soon turned near great have been urged to stop increasing amount of personal injury reformer there effectually. He has the exhibitions on grounds of public litigation. This is a matter of general interest, for taxpayers have to

The movement recalls the effec- pay a portion of the costs of these he did more work than any judge of tiveness of the photograph as an numerous actions for damages. Most the same grade, with the least per- agency in education. Language may such actions, it may be presumed, centage of reversals. He walks daily describe, but it is the photograph have merit, but a good many have from and to his home, seven miles, that fixes in the mind of child or none, and are brought by lawyers and has a large family. Such is a man the contour and the immensity with little else to do, who will take condensed sketch of the work of an of the great pyramid of Egypt. Vol- the slimmest kind of a clance to eminently true and useful if imper- umes may be read about the Wash- work somebody out of a few dollars. fect man, who may be a candidate ington monument, but it is the pic-e The originators of the conference

ture that fixes its outline indelibly seek to save the heavy costs of lition the mind. Columns in the news- gating personal injury suits, and to papers failed to give the reader the encourage and aid the adjustment graphic conception of the recent of such cases out of court. This class HAVE not the right by mere Paris flood that was revealed in a of litigation in many cases does not

clared Mayor Gaynor of New Seine and the immersed buildings. light. An employe may have just York to a Boston organization Through the photos we can make a ground for damages, but if the emthat requested him to prevent exhi- tour of Europe, and when we go in ployer resists he can delay the trial bitions of the Reno fight pictures in person there will be little that is for a good while, then if defeated for a good while, then if defeated more if possible, to Senator Lodge 1727, a German, who has been called can appeal, and it will be many than to Senator Beveridge. Isn't "The Columbus of Photography." obconsider what power lies within the The impression that the picture months, perhaps running into years. Roosevelt going to bring all the Re- tained copies of writing by placing the province of any official. But if the leaves on the mind of child, matur- before the employe, even if injured

give you the solemn assurance that forgetfulness nor erasure. The get the damages that are his due. bleating band, and lead them like newspaper long ago learned the value On the other hand railroads and lambs? It is refreshing to have an execu- of the picture, and long ago em- other employers of many working-

Gaynor's utterance is splendid in di- thought. Nast's cantoons were one merit; or very large damages are methods of the anti-assemblyites"- sitive than the nitrate; but notwiththat law is law and that the author- ences in breaking up the reign of slight. Courts, it would seem, could of S. K. Kruse, recently published in which the fading out of the pictures ity of the law is final. There is the Tweed ring. Every history, do much, without such conferences The Journal-are causing much could be prevented, shall realize that no man or body of tions and the advertising of the city each side will ask for a law to suit agree with the assembly "leaders;"

ity, yet with joy in the work, with go on with the sky m hine The probably nearer 100 per cent, on act- triumph, for the harvesters will not principle of the heavier-than-air Roosevelt's indorsement for its as- would be people crippled and killed, three years ago. This means that rest of the year, have gone down to tleships.

> WOMAN PRESIDENT OF THE N. E. A.

HOUGH the nominating committee had recommended another, a man, for the office, the National Educational association, in session in Boston, took the matter into its own hands and elected Mrs.

Ella Flagg Young its president. Mrs. Young has risen in her profession until she is superintendent of the PERSONAL INJURY LITIGATION public schools of Chicago, the second

city of the country. It was appro-HE TACOMA Commercial club priate and logical to elect a woman, has invited a conference of all such a woman as Mrs. Young, to this persons particularly interested position. While most of the superin the subject of personal intendents and principals of the pubinjury litigation, for July 22-23, lic schools of the cities of the counin that city. It is intended

try are men, nearly all the grade and country teachers are women. Women are chosen for these positions not only because they will work for less pay than qualified men will or can afford to work for, but also because, as a rule, they make the better teachers. They have more patience, more tact, greater sympathy

and are more devoted to their work than men. Hence it was fitting that this great army of women teachers

available. -

behalf of Beveridge, a leading Republican insurgent, and at the news all the insurgents are happy. But Wedgewood, after several years of close perhaps Roosevelt will also make a study of the art, on July 10, 1802, pub-

speech in behalf of Burrows of Mich- lished his paper, setting out the results, igan, one of the most devoted fol-lowers of Aldrich. Hardly; but it Glass and of Making Profiles by the would not be surprising if the colonel Agency of Light Upon Nitrate of Silshould give quite as much aid, or ver."

publicans, regulars and insurgents, written characters upon a level together into one harmoniously of chalk and silver nitrate.

Other investigators took up the subexperiments. tion of his celebrated process. earliest attempts at photographic en-graving dates back to 1827, and was the curiously affected by light.

suits can be expected from this or ting the rank and file out altogether,

Having failed on application to get | begin. mathematics, algebra, science, the fire-arms and firecrackers. But it is not all work in July; for as a war device, the aeroplane will fourth dimension, Pilgrim's Prog-destroy more property on the night of remain what it is. It will be ress and the Bible to prove any way the Fourth of July than the whole of many who do not till the ground it not remain what it is. It will be ress and the Bible to prove any way the wool over the eyes of what it regards as Oregon's low brows.

> Seeking to overcome or lessen op- express his patriotism, and a rocket position to ship subsidy its advocates went down his throat. And before that endeavored to substitute the word man could ask for a drink of water to 'subvention" for "subsidy," the difference between which was rather true. Twenty-four hours after that it less than that between tweedledum was a sort of raining buttons on the and tweedledes. Now in Orgon we are not going to have "conventions"; cheerful during the rest of his life. O no, only "assemblies." The only These things grieve me, but don't let. difference is in the name.

Up in Crook county the voters were so busy that the assembly leaders-apparently with no followerscould not get an assembly together. and gave up the effort. However, some half a dozen of them got to- railway cars, how much it costs the gether and appointed 18 delegates railways now to equip and operate such to the Portland assembly.

Being perhaps angry at himself for having broken into speech about politics when he had declared he would not do so for two months, the Colonel Friday excluded everybody and went out and pitched a few tons

The art of photography, or rather, | August 10, 1889, in consideration of should be recognized and pleased by the action of light on chloride of sil- which the details of his process were the election to this honorable posi- ver, was known as early as the six- given to the world. Information of this invention reached the United States in such a woman as Mrs. Young was studied by Scheele, Senebler, Ritter and 1838 through Samuel F. B. Morse, who communicated it to his colleague in the Wollaston, and from the results of New York university, John W. Draper, their investigation, photography, as we by whom the first sunlight picture of

Roosevelt will make a speech in understand it, came to be established a human face-that of his sister Dorin 1802, by Thômas Wedgewood and Dthy Draper-was made in 1840. Humphrey Davy, the former of whom The development of the modern rapid processes of photography may be said is recognized as the first photographer. to have begun with the introduction of the dry collodion process by Scott Archer in 1851. In 1871 Maddox introduced the earliest form of the "gelatin-emulsion process," which has since been considerably improved and is now used very largely.

The lens is of very ancient origin. There is a lens in the British museum, which was found in the ruins of Nineveh, and during the Middle Ages the manufacture and properties of simple lenses were well understood in Eusurrope. The first camera made in Engface previously prepared with a mixture land, as far as is known, was that by Wedgewood's article, which estab-Mr. Palmer, of Newgate street, Lonlished photography as an art; appeared in the "Journal of the Royal Institutet" don, on the plan of Mr. Fry and for him in 1839. To Davy, who was working along the

On July 10, 1861, the national house of representatives passed the first war toan bill and in 1890 Wyoming was admitted to statehood in the Union. To-day is the birthday of John Calvin, the Toreformer and theologian (1599); Sir

William Blackstone, the English jurist (1723); St. George Tucker, "The Blackstone of America," (1752); George The tioned Joseph Niepce and Daguerre, in M. Dallas, vice-president of the United which led to the inven-The Toombs, the southern soldier and states-en- man (1810); Benjamin Paul Akers, the man (1810); Benjamin Paul Akers, the sculptor (1825); and John W. Griggs,

Catherine Carnaro (1510); the Emperor Daguerre received a pension of 5000 Adrain (138), and William, prince of Capturing an Atom of Electricity.

From Electric News Service. A single ion, the atom of electricity, has been isolated and studied, the ultimate electrical charge has been accurately measured and the actual strucof the charge observed for the ture first time by Robert A. Millikan, assoclate professor of physics at the University of Chicago.

Professor Millikan has swept away much of the mystery surrounding the nature of the electrical charge since the discovery of electricity. Besides capturing an individual ion, the long misunderstood carrier of electricity, he has viewed in his laboratory peppery specks of electricity on charged bodies, disproving the theory that electricity is an imponderable fluid," and upholding the indefinite "ionic hypothesis" of Farraday, who gave his theory to the world in 1820.

During the season there have been six Also he has proved the "kinetic theory," that molecules of air are in rapid motion, and has measured the 'energy of agitation" of these molecules.

Professor Millikan's announcement is the result of an investigation on which he has been engaged intermittently for the last four years, and uninterruptedly for the last five months, during which he has had the assistance of Harvey

Fletcher of the physics department. The actual catching of the single ions was accomplished by the introduction of a "droplet" of oil between the plates of a horizontal air condenser. The pres-ence of the ions became apparent owing to the action of the oll particles.

In an explanation of the fundamentals of electricity, Professor Millikan found it necessary to state that an ion was an atom, or piece of an atom, a mole-cule, or a group of molecules, which carried the electrical charge. Then he gave the following statement of some of his results:

"We have succeeded in isolating an individual ion and holding it under ob-servation for an indefinite length of time-an hour or more if desired.

"We have been able to give every tangible demonstration of the correct-ness of the view advanced many years ago that an electrical charge is not a homogeneous something-'a strain in ether or an imponderable finid --- spread uniformly over the surface of the charged body, but that it has a definite, granular structure; consists, in fact, of a definite number of specks or atoms of electricity, exactly allke, peppered over the surface of the charged body. It follows, of course, that an electric current which is simply a charge in motion consists of a movement of these atoms of electricity through or over the

conducting body. "We have been able to bring forward new, direct and most convincing evidence of the correctness of the kinetic theory' of matter, for we not only have shown directly that a molecule of air is in rapid motion, but we have measarder of ured the of its officer and novelist (1792); Robert energy of agitation and find it to agree with the computations based upon kinetic theory.

In Jackson county, on the Fourth, bey played with dynamite cap, which ex-ploded, burning his bands and setting fire to his clothes, but fortunately the

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