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Any Boys' 50c Waist for 40c	
" " 75c " " 60c	
" " 90c " " 70c	
" " \$1.00 " " 75c	
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BOYS CAPS---For School week only---We will sell

Any of our 25c Caps for 20c	
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SEVEN BIDS FOR WORK AT CELILO

CONTRACTORS ANXIOUS FOR GOVERNMENT JOB

Only \$700,000 Available for the Work of Constructing Cello Canal—Canal is Approximately 8½ Miles Long and Will Connect Upper and Lower Columbia.

Seven firms submitted bids to Major McIndoe, corps of United States engineers, at 11 o'clock this morning for the building of a section of the Cello canal, says a Portland paper.

The company agreeing to do the work at the least cost will not be known until late this afternoon, on account of the many proposals contained in them. It looks, however, as though the Caughreft, Winters & Smith company had the lowest offer.

The firms competing for the contract are as follows: North American Dredge company, Puget Sound Bridge & Dredge company, Johnston Porter, Cello Construction company, Robert Wakefield & Co., Caughreft, Winters & Smith company and Wise Bros. According to the specifications the work has to be started within 30 days from the letting of the contract.

The total amount available for this work is about \$70,000—\$200,000 in hand, \$336,000 appropriated in the sundry civil act approved May 27, 1908, and \$164,000 to be appropriated hereafter. It is probable that this last sum will be appropriated at the next session of congress.

Should congress fail to provide the unappropriated balance of \$164,000 before all other available funds have been exhausted, the contractor will be notified to that effect and be given the option of continuing work or suspending operations until more funds are available.

The work to be done is the construction of a part of the navigable canal between Cello, Ore., and Big Eddy. The canal closely parallels the O. R. & N. and the state portage railways, and is approximately 8.6 miles long.

The portion of the canal to be constructed under these specifications will begin near Tumwater, where the contract of Smyth & Jones ends, and extend as far as available funds will build it. It is estimated that at least 14,400 feet of the canal can be built complete in every particular, except as to the reinforced concrete lining of the bottom and sides in sand and gravel sections.

STOCK PLUNGING STIRS THE MARKET

Henry Clews says of the present financial condition of the country:

Last week's excessive plunging operations fortunately created only a temporary disturbance. Incidentally they proved the hazardous position of the short side of the market.

There are comparatively few stocks for sale; partly because investors and the public recognize that recuperation is the order of the day, and partly because the big operators are opposing any important reaction at this time. As long as improvement in industrial and mercantile affairs continues it will be difficult to check the present hopeful temper which prevails in financial circles.

Wall street always looks far ahead, and is now actively discounting all the improvements that is likely to take place before next January. It may be overdiscounting that probability; but if so, it is only moving in accordance with precedent.

By far the most important element in the stock market just now is the world-wide ease in money. This ease is not so much a consequence of increase in the gold supply as some would have us believe, although that factor cannot be ignored.

The present glutted condition of the money market is chiefly attributable to the accumulation of funds which always follows panic, regardless of the production of gold. Business activity has been at a minimum, and funds came out of hoarding as confidence revived.

These two movements caused a piling up of idle funds in the banks, which now hold extraordinary reserves in spite of the fact that the crop movement has begun, and that usually currency is flowing freely to the west and south at this season. They also account for the record-

CAREY ACT LAND SALE

15,000 acres of land, in the State of Idaho, lying along the Snake river and on the main line of the O. S. L. railroad, between the towns of King Hill and Glenns Ferry, will be opened for settlement October 12, 1908. The sale of the land will be under the supervision of the State Land Board of Idaho. The

tract lies in a cove, surrounded by 1000 to 1500 foot elevations. The soil is unsurpassed for fruit culture and there is an abundant surplus of water. The land is opened under the Carey act, protecting the purchaser and assuring the water rights. Money deposited on locations not found desirable will be refunded.

GRAND OPENING ON OCTOBER THE TWELFTH

The drawing of locations will be held at King Hill, where all conveniences have been arranged in the way of sleeping, eating and other accommodations. Tourist sleepers will be sidetracked for those who wish to occupy them. This is the most promising opportunity for homeseekers ever offered in the state of Idaho.

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Mrs. H. Swaggert, living at 319 Garden street, Pendleton, Ore., says: "Both my husband and myself have used Doan's Kidney Pills with the most gratifying results. Mr. Swaggert was troubled severely with his back and kidneys for a long time and never received any relief until Doan's Kidney Pills were brought to his attention and he procured a box at the Pendleton Drug Co. They gave him great relief and he thinks very highly of them. I also used Doan's Kidney Pills and found that it only required a few doses to remove the lameness and pain caused from disordered kidneys. I really believe that kidney trouble would be less prevalent if more sufferers knew of Doan's Kidney Pills." (From statement given in 1905.)

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KERN'S VIEW OF THE VICE-PRESIDENCY

John W. Kern, democratic candidate for vice president, writes his views of the office of vice-president for Collier's Weekly as follows:

It has been a rather flippant jest for many decades that the vice-presidency has ceased to be a position of influence and high honor.

Mr. Bryan has answered this in his speeches and in his written addresses to the American people by declaring that in his judgment the vice-president should be a member of the president's official family and have a seat at the cabinet table. Vice-presidents in the past have influenced legislation largely, but usually by indirection.

My own conception of the duties of any public official is that the influence he exerts should be direct, open, obvious and known to all men. If the vice-president is to be simply the presiding officer of the senate, with, of course, the opportunity to invite senators into his room and suggest to them the views he may have upon pending legislation, he becomes very close to a mere lobbyist.

If by the friendship or by the political convictions of the president he is able to come out into the open, speak as frankly as his chief speaks, and exert upon legislation openly and avowedly as much influence as any member of the cabinet may, his office is raised to the dignity which was the original understanding of the framers of the constitution that it should possess.

I am of course estopped by the proprieties of the occasion from going

into any detail concerning the possibilities of a vice-president ultimately becoming president, either through the death of his leader or by subsequent election. But I do believe that the possibilities are such that one who offers himself as a candidate for the vice-presidency should be frankly willing to express his views concerning the duties and obligations of the presidency.

This nation has known many vice-presidents who ultimately succeeded to the first office. I think it may be said that nearly all of them attained that high seat of responsibility which the presidency should entail. The vice-presidency itself, unless there shall be close and friendly relations with the occupant of the White House, furnishes little opportunity for the development of a wide knowledge of public men and of public affairs. If there is this co-operation, the long stretch of Pennsylvania avenue from Capitol Hill to the White House will be politically and intellectually very much abridged.

But just exactly as the vice-president is really the servant and not the master of the senate, so do I believe that the president himself is not to be, nor to attempt to be, the master of congress. This government of ours is a representative government.

It is not to be dominated in one legislative department by the hand of the presiding officer, nor in both legislative departments by the determined use by the president of the power of patronage. My conception of the presidency, if it be proper

for me to express it here, is that it should remain, as the constitution declared it should be, distinctly an executive office.

Let congress make the laws without being influenced or coerced by any sort of executive interference, other than the recommendations and suggestions in his message which are provided for in the constitution.

Let the courts construe those laws with reference to their constitutionality. Then let the president, the chief executive of the nation, administer and enforce those laws, whether they appeal to his own personal prejudices or otherwise, but without effort to criticize either the congress of the United States or the courts of the United States.

The conception of the duties and obligations of the presidency which any man, whether a candidate for federal office or otherwise, can readily form for himself is to be found in the constitution of the United States, which is at no point more explicit than in its definition of the duties of both president and vice-president.

Taft to Meet Negroes.

Lexington, Ky., Sept. 2.—It is stated that a delegation from the National Negro Baptist association, which will hold its convention here the middle of the month, will go to Cincinnati on September 22 to confer with William H. Taft on political issues affecting the colored people of the country. The candidate has agreed to meet the delegation on the date mentioned. Every state and territory will be represented in the delegation.

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