



For a Warm Bath Room

A bath in a cold room is a "shivery" operation and is extremely liable to cause colds. The bathroom above all should be kept warm. This is easy and the bath is a comfort if you have a

PERFECTION Oil Heater

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It may be carried from any other room to the bath room, which it will heat while you are preparing for the bath. Impossible to turn it too high or too low. The most economical heater you can buy—intense heat for 9 hours with one filling.

The **Rayo Lamp** is the best lamp for all-round household purposes. Gives a clear, steady light. Made of brass throughout and nickel plated. Equipped with the latest improved central draft burner. Handsome—simple—satisfactory. Every lamp guaranteed.

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GREAT SEA-GOING RAILROAD--ONE OF ENGINEERING FEATS OF THE AGE

New York, Dec. 8.—Hundreds of men are being rushed southward to work on the completion of the great Florida East Coast Railway, following the decision of Judge Hough of the United States Circuit Court, in dismissing, as without cause of action, the so-called peonage cases that had been brought by the United States Government against agents of the railroad.

While these actions were pending in the courts the men in charge of the construction work on this sea-going railroad, which is to be Henry M. Flagler's greatest achievement, were loath to push forward with the same amount of energy that had been displayed prior to the action of the Attorney General in taking cognizance of the reckless charges of labor slavery that had been made. Every effort to make up for lost time now will be put forward by Vice-President Joseph R. Parrot, who has been in charge personally since the work began in June of 1905. Fully 2,000 men now are employed south of Knight's Key and more workmen are being sent to the field of operations each day.

Jumps 30 Miles of Ocean
Vice-President Parrot, who now is in New York on business connected with the great extension which is jumping over a stretch of thirty miles of open ocean and over thirty miles more of submerged keys and lagoons to connect Key West by direct line with Miami, now estimates that this, one of the most novel engineering enterprises of modern times, will be completed and trains running for its full length within a year.

Already the line is completed and trains are running for eighty-four miles south of Miami, right down to Knight's Key. Work also is being pushed forward from Key West up and over forty miles of roadbed that has been constructed by the gangs that are working northward to meet the other workmen who rapidly are moving south. This means that a total of 124 miles has been completed out of the 156 miles of road surveyed from Miami to Key West.

Greatest Feat of All.
The greatest of all the engineering feats on this wonderful line, however, is yet to be completed. This is the eleven mile gap from Knight's Key to Bahia Honda where the line is being carried over the open ocean or concrete arches.

The effect of the great extension on traffic to Havana, however, already has been felt because now the steamers for Havana meet the trains at Knight's Key and take passengers and freight from that point to the

To clean the skin, you must use soap; pure soap; Ivory soap.

Never mind if it does cost only a few cents a cake. It is infinitely purer than most soaps that sell for five times the price.

There is no "free" alkali in Ivory Soap. That is why it will not injure the finest fabric or the most delicate skin.

Ivory Soap
99 44/100 Per Cent. Pure.

Cuban capital instead of eighty-four miles north at Miami. When the line is completed to Key West huge railroad car floats will take entire trains across the Florida Straits to Havana, a distance of ninety miles without compelling passengers to leave their car seats or sleeping car berths and without the necessity of breaking bulk on a single consignment of freight. This will mean that the Cuban sugar planter will be enabled to load his product on a freight car sidetracked at his plantation, have the car hauled by rail to Havana, floated to Key West and then railed right to New York or any other point without any of the expense, trouble or damage dangers of a second handling.

This great project, which is being financed, from beginning to end, by Mr. Flagler personally, generally is regarded by engineers as the most expensive stretch of railroad ever built, the average cost of construction, from end to end exceeding \$199,000,000 while the additional capital requirements for docks, channeling, car floats and equipment will bring the total cost approximately to \$20,000,000. Already Mr. Flagler has expended upwards of \$15,000,000 on the work.

It was more than a year and a half ago when this great work was interrupted by the United States Attorney General and charges were made that laborers on the railroad work were held in bondage, compelled to work practically without pay and were subjected to various sorts of oppression.

Peonage Charge Dismissed.
The case was presented to the Federal Grand Jury in New York and indictments, charging conspiracy, were found against Edward J. Triay, of Jacksonville, Fla., resident labor agent for the road; against Francisco Sabbia, who has a private bank at 225 Bowers in this city; and against Frank A. Hough and David E. Harley, who were employed by the company to take south the gangs of workmen that were engaged in New York. At an expense that has been estimated to be as high as \$500,000 the Government's attorneys, after three years of preparation, had their cases literally thrown out of court, as being without foundation. Judge Hough not even requiring the attorneys for the railroad to present their defense.

What this vast enterprise will mean when completed, to commercial Cuba, belongs to the realms of fancy, but it is doubtful if its importance could be exaggerated. Its utilization also would give the United States a tremendous strategic advantage, from a military standpoint, were it necessary at any time to rush troops to the Island Republic. Furthermore, in view of the tremendous possibilities for the future of Cuba, Panama and South America, the Flagler road will supply the closest link connecting the United States with those countries.

Agricultural Yield Increases.
Washington, Dec. 8.—Professor Milton Whitney, chief of the bureau of soils, has reported that the farming lands of the United States aggregate 838,591,774 acres, and that the yield per acre of all cereal crops have increased. The bureau of soils intends to make an investigation of the soils of the semi-arid belt of the northwest with a view to ascertaining the nature of the soil and what it is adapted to and how it can be best improved.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.
Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

For Sale—7-year-old sorrel mare; weight 950; gentle family horse. Concord buggy and harness. Will sell separate. Address Box 170, Pendleton, Ore.

DECLARES BACHELORS ARE THE WORST EVIL

Lynn, Mass.—Mrs. Lenora Lake of St. Louis, one of the leading temperance lecturers, who spoke at a big no-license rally here nearly created a panic among 2000 temperance reformers when she announced from the platform that she had changed her mind about drink being the worst evil of the country and denounced bachelors as being worse than "hellions who run drink dives."

"A storm of hisses greeted her words. 'It is the bachelor who today is the great evil of America,' she said. 'It is the bachelor who fosters the rum evil and who spends his time in dives. It is habits he learns as a bachelor that ruin him as a married man. Let reformers devote their attention to this crying need—more husbands.'

"If men can only be made to see their after life all depends on an early marriage, with a good home and a good wife, life will be easy, then there will be no need for us to fight the drink evil. It will die of itself."

IDAHO CATTLE SAID TO BE HEALTHY

Boise, Ida.—Idaho cattle are practically free from tuberculosis, was the statement made by State Veterinarian Noble when shown a bulletin issued by the university bacteriologists of California showing that 82 out of every 100 cattle tested by them in the state had been found to have the disease.

"In testing cattle in Idaho," Dr. Noble stated that, "we have found very few cases of tuberculosis, excepting in one herd where the percentage of the animals affected was very large. The records kept by the federal bureau of animal industry at the offices of the public abattoirs show that of the cattle and hogs shipped from the state by two consignments of cattle and one of hogs were found to contain tuberculosis."

Colds contracted at this season of the year are quickly relieved with Bee's Laxative Cough Syrup. Its laxative quality rids the system of the cold. Pleasant to take. Best for children for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. Sold by A. C. Koepfen & Bros.

RESCUED CRUISER SINKS AND IS RAISED AGAIN

Bedford, Mass., Dec. 7.—The cruiser Yankee, which was pulled from Ken and Chickens reef, Friday, sank in deep water Saturday, off Penikese Island. A hundred and twenty men were aboard, but were saved. Later she was raised and now lies on an even keel with her masts, funnels and bridge rigging above the water.

Pineules for the kidneys are little golden globules which act directly on the kidneys. A trial will convince you of quick results for backache, rheumatism, lumbago and tired worn-out feeling. 30 days' trial \$1.00. They purify the blood. Sold by A. C. Koepfen & Bros.

SEVEN MEN PERISH WHEN OIL BARGE SINKS

Halifax, N. S., Dec. 7.—Seven men perished when the Standard Oil barge No. 101 foundered in a gale Thursday night off Seal Islands.

Nothing clears up remote difficulties better than doing immediate duties.

FIRST TO WEAR OUT WITH AGE

A SPLENDID REMEDY FOR THE OLD FOLKS

Few Know What to Do When Kidneys Are Weak and Should Try This Prescription—Anyone Can Prepare the Mixture by Shaking Ingredients Well in a Bottle.

The great majority of men and women at the age of 50 years begin to feel the first signs of advancing age in some form of kidney trouble and bladder weakness. Few are entirely free from that torturous disease, rheumatism, which is not a disease in itself, but a symptom of deranged function of the kidneys, which have become clogged and sluggish, failing in their duty of sifting and straining the poisonous waste matter, uric acid, etc., from the blood, permitting it to remain and decompose, settling about the joints and muscles, causing intense pain and suffering.

The bladder, however, causes the old folks the most annoyance, especially at night and early morning.

Hundreds of readers who suffer will find the following, which is known as the Dandelion mixture, the most harmless and effective treatment to clean the system of rheumatic poisons, remove irritation of the bladder and relieve urinary difficulties of the old people. It is a true vitalizing tonic to the entire kidney and urinary structure, reinvigorating the entire system."

The Dandelion mixture consists of the following prescription, the ingredients of which can be obtained from any good pharmacy at small cost: Compound Kargon, one ounce; Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and upon going to bed; also drink plenty of water.

This prescription, though simple, is always effective in the diseases and afflictions of the kidneys and bladder and rheumatism.

MORE FOOTBALL

Company L Team Will Meet La Grande Commercial Association.

Two all-star football teams representing Co. L, the local militia and the La Grande Commercial club will meet in this city on New Year's day, playing a return game. The two teams will also play in La Grande on Christmas.

The organization of Co. L's team was perfected last evening and the line up will include Cliff Turner, quarterback and captain, George Strand and Louis Cargill, right and left halves, Tracy Baker fullback, and for the line men Elmer Storie, Marshall Spell, E. Marsh, Bean, Devine and Engdall. Captain Dan P. Symthe will coach the team.

La Grande's team includes Ralph Reynolds, captain, Ben Grout, Grandy and Arlie Bay, Bean, Alstott, Gilliland, Herr, Scott, Hawley, Bacon, and Childers. The money received from the game in La Grande will be devoted to the park fund in that city.

Guilty of Counterfeiting.
Passing counterfeit money is no worse than substituting some unknown worthless remedy for Foley's Honey and Tar, the great cough and cold remedy that cures the most obstinate coughs and heals the lungs. Pendleton Drug Co.

Ghastly Crime.
Wallace, Idaho, Dec. 7.—With two fearful gashes in his head, his face beaten to a jelly and his neck broken the body of a man believed to be another victim of the murderous gang which has infested the railroad construction camps in this vicinity was found Friday 15 miles from Enaville on the Idaho Northern. Robbery is believed to have been the motive. The victim was known as "Billy." He was a teamster.

Foley's Orino Laxative cures chronic constipation and stimulates the liver. Orino regulates the bowels so they will act naturally and you do not have to take purgatives continuously. The Pendleton Drug Co.


Eight Dollars!
From Pendleton to Spokane and return via the O. R. & N. tickets will be sold on account of the National Apple show from December 6 to 11 inclusive, good for return until December 15, and costing \$8.

A pill in time that will save nine is Rings Little Liver Pill. For biliousness, sick headache, constipation. They do not gripe. Price 25c. Sold by A. C. Koepfen & Bros.

The man who puts all his faith in himself usually despairs of the universe.

A Reliable Remedy CATARRH

Ely's Cream Balm is quickly absorbed. Gives relief at once. It cleanses, soothes, seals and protects the diseased membrane resulting from Catarrh and drives away a Cold in the Head quickly. Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell. Full size 50 cts., at Druggists or by mail. In liquid form, 75 cents. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street, New York.



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is said by our customers to be excellent, because they were never served with any better Tea or Coffee since they began drinking either. There is a delicacy of aroma and a peculiarly attractive flavor to our Teas and Coffees which soon makes them popular favorites in the most particular households. All we ask is that you will test our claim by a trial order. We know that you will afterwards admit the justice of our claim.

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25% Less on all Ladies Coats

Coats that sell regularly at \$10.00 will sell at \$7.50.
Coats that sell regularly at \$15.00 will sell at \$11.75.
Coats that sell regularly at \$12.00 will sell at \$9.00.
Coats that sell regularly at \$18.00 will sell at \$13.50.
Coats that sell regularly at \$20.00 will sell at \$15.00.
Coats that sell regularly at \$25.00 will sell at \$18.75.
Coats that sell regularly at \$40.00 will sell at \$30.00.

This includes all Rain Coats and Children and Misses Coats in stock.

A January Sale in December.

At the Up-to-Date Store

The First National Bank

Pendleton, Oregon

Report of Condition November 27, 1908, to the Comptroller of Currency.

CONDENSED	
Resources.	Liabilities.
Loans and discounts, \$1,113,261.29	Capital stock \$ 200,000.00
Overdrafts 21,653.14	Surplus and undivided profits 102,961.32
U. S. bonds 257,425.00	Circulation 140,000.00
Other bonds and warrants 21,556.21	Due to banks 39,201.82
Bank building 20,000.00	Deposits subject to check \$82,632.27
	Demand certificates of deposit 483,889.66
Cash on hand \$138,611.10	U. S. deposits 45,000.00
Due from banks 326,539.73	Cashier's checks .. 2,301.40
Redemption fund 7,000.00	Total deposits..... 1,423,883.33
	\$1,906,046.47
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I, G. M. Rice, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

G. M. RICE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of November, 1908.

C. K. CRANSTON,
Notary Public for Oregon.

If conservative business methods, strict adherence to banking laws, coupled with the fact that the officers will not use the bank for personal ends, are banking principles which appeal to you, we solicit your business.

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Is made from the choicest wheat that grows. Good bread is assured when BYERS' BEST FLOUR is used. Bran, Shorts, Steam Rolled Barley always on hand.

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This vote to be counted for

Name of Boy or Girl _____

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