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**THE NICARAGUA CANAL.**

In view of the undertaking of the United States government looking to the completion of the Nicaragua canal, something concerning the history of this great work will not prove uninteresting. The first survey for the canal was made as far back as 1850, and civil engineers have continued to affirm the entire feasibility of the work; in aid of which nature has excavated the major part of the route, and supplied it with the necessary water. The canal starts at the mouth of the San Juan river, at Greytown, on the Gulf of Mexico, and runs west by north 170 miles to Crito, on the Pacific Ocean. With the exception of forty miles, this route is simply improving and unlocking a natural waterway. Length nearly twice that of the Suez Canal, and vastly more costly. The canal is expected to accommodate thirty-two ships a day. The tolls, therefore, would need to be at least \$600 per ship per trip through, to enable the canal to pay even a small dividend on the cost. The passage will be made, it is said, in thirty hours. The saving in distances will be from 6,000 to 7,000 miles in voyages from Great Britain, New York, and New Orleans, to San Francisco and the Orient, as compared with doubling Cape Horn. If the stock is owned in the United States, Great Britain will pay heavy toll to her early colony, the now United States of America, a curious eventuality, Great Britain doing most of the carrying trade of the world. Still, the toll will be trifling as compared with steaming thirty days, and lessened chance of shipwreck, and less wear and tear. Our coast trade will be immensely benefited. The desire was natural to work under a charter granted by congress by which an important moral support is given to this great undertaking. The vote was 177 to 60, and many of the minority vote nay on questions of detail merely. The leader in support of the bill was the unflinching patriot, the Hon. W. D. Kelly, M. C. from Pennsylvania. Should this work be successfully and early brought to completion, it will virtually give us a continuous coast line through to the Pacific via Nicaragua. Let us hope that this work may be effected free from the fearful blunders in finance and wastefulness attending the Panama fiasco.

**"AN EXCLUSIVE AND ARISTOCRATIC POLICY."**

In addition to the Yorktown and Vesuvius, which have made their trial trips, and the Charleston and Petrel, which are almost ready for trial. Secretary Tracy has control of the construction of more than twenty new ships that are now in process of completion. Among these are an armored ship of 7,500 tons displacement, an unarmored cruiser of 5,300 tons, two others of 3,000 tons each, a new dynamite ship of the class of the Vesuvius, two gunboats of not more than 1,200 tons displacement, a coast-defense ship, and a submarine torpedo-boat. Some of these vessels are required to make a speed of nineteen knots, and the new 5,300 ton cruiser must make a speed of at least twenty knots. The new dynamite gunboat is to reach twenty-one knots an hour. It is estimated that the cost of these vessels will be \$13,000,000 exclusive of their guns. As a further legacy of the Cleveland administration it devotes upon Secretary Tracy to complete five double-turret monitors, the armored ships Maine and Texas, and the six unarmored cruisers Baltimore, Newark, Philadelphia, San Francisco, Bennington and Concord. When completed this will make a rather formidable navy, and there is no doubt that considerable additions will be made to it by the Fifty-first congress. It will be some time before there will be any relaxation of this new energy in the work of naval construction. The ships once completed, the next question to occupy congress and the country will be as

to the most effective way of manning them. Under the present system the seamen in the navy are mostly foreigners, who have no interest in the flag under which they serve. The reason of this is that no encouragement is given to American seamen to enlist in the navy. American youths of spirit and ambition cannot be attracted to the navy by an exclusive and aristocratic policy under which enlisted men can attain no higher promotion than that of a petty warrant officer. Unless this policy be amended, the crews of the new ships progressing to completion will be composed chiefly of foreigners. However admirable and efficient in other respects, the new navy with foreign crews would be wanting in an essential quality.

Those deluded persons who were induced to emigrate to Oklahoma for the purpose of securing land in that territory, and failed, may take fresh courage. Negotiations are being made to secure the tract in Indian territory known as the "Cherokee outlet," which will be opened to settlement. It covers about 6,000,000 acres and should furnish room for 35,000 homesteads besides school sections, town sites and waste lands.

**I. O. O. F. Excursion.**  
The excursion to be given by the I. O. O. F. fraternity of this city on the 26th inst. over the Oregon Pacific road eastward to Gatesville promises to be a big affair. The occasion will be the celebration of the 70th anniversary of Old Fellowship in America and the fraternity of this city, Corvallis, Salem and other towns are expected to attend. The train will leave this city at 8:30 A. M. and will start back at 3:30. Tickets are for sale at Blackman's drug store at \$1.50 for the round trip. Excursionists will take their lunch baskets and enjoy a picnic dinner.

**This Week Only.**  
Fine mixed and plain pickles, only \$1 a keg. Having sold out all those choice table peaches, we now offer you these fine pickles remarkably cheap. Wallace, Thompson & Co.

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**Drain Tile for Sale.**  
A GOOD SUPPLY OF FIRST CLASS drain tile for sale at the Edge brick and tile factory East of Albany near Knox Butte. Call at the factory or address Propts & Austin, Albany Oregon.

**SEWERS AND WELLS—THOSE NEED-** ing sewers or wells dug on short notice should call upon W. A. McClain, Charges very reasonable.

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**1889 SPRING AND SUMMER 1889**

**SPECIALTIES.**

**Ladies' Dress Goods and Trimmings**

The largest stock and greatest variety in price and style I have ever carried, and as good value as ever offered to the citizens of Linn county.

**Special Bargains**

In cashmeres in colors and blacks. Seersuckers, gingham, chambrays, French prints and wash fabrics. All the novelties of the season in black and colors. I will have something further to say about these in a few days.

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**PIQUES, LAWNS,**

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**TOWELINGS**

Crashes, etc. All these goods I buy direct from importers by the bale, and can sell them much cheaper than if bought of jobbers—towels I buy in quantities in New York, and am offering them at prices that are sure to sell the goods.

**LADIES COTTON HOSE**

Are cheaper this year than ever before. I have succeeded in getting some good bargains, all of which I am offering to my customers—the same in

**Misses and Children's.**

The above is an outline of the policy I am going to do business on, and will endeavor to do my part towards securing the trade of Linn and adjoining counties to Albany, and to keep up with the procession of the lively and growing city of Albany. I will have something to say about

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Best Line of Furniture In the City of Albany!

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Pillows Spring Mattresses,  
Window Shades Walnut Extension  
Tables Suits,

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**Ash, Maple and Walnut Chamber sets, Chairs,**  
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**NEXT TEN DAYS**

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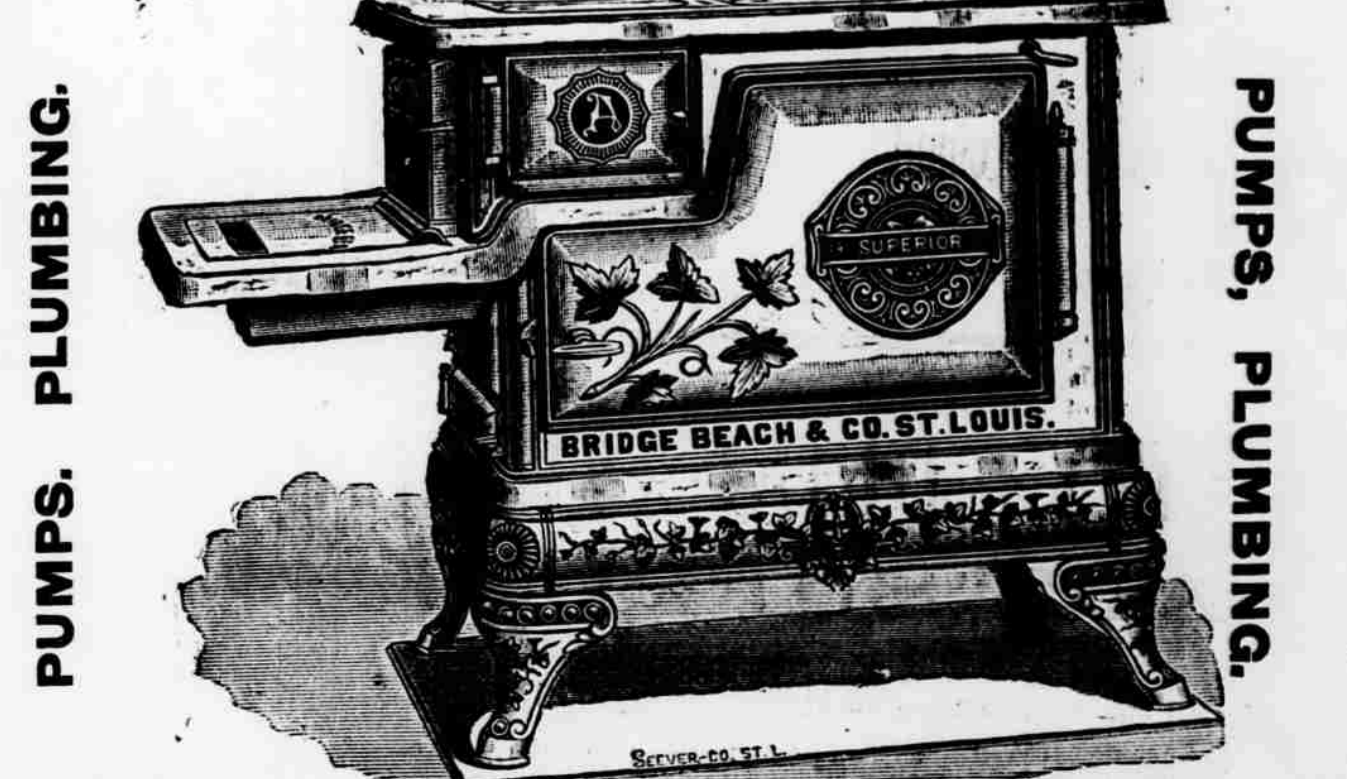
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