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Such as Never Been Offered Before in Hardware, Granite Ware, Rope, Stoves, Iron Pipe, Terra Cotta Pipes, Bar Iron, Steel, Cannery Supplies, Loggers' Tools.

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At prices that defy competition. Done by experienced workmen.

Gas Fixtures at Cost. Call and Be Convinced

Sol Oppenheimer, Trustee for M. C. CROSBY.

SOME RUMORS AND OTHER RUMORS

The Day Given Over to Street Corner Scheming and Much But-ton-Holing.

COUNTY DELEGATES' CAUCUS

They Want Fair Representation at the Congressional Convention - No Definite Results Attained but Delegates "Got Acquainted."

The only topic of conversation throughout the city yesterday, was that of politics and the discussions upon the street corners, in the hotels and other lounging places, called an otherwise very dull day. The morning boats brought most of the country delegates into town, and the amount of button-holing going on attracted more than usual attention. Evidently much hard work was being done to gain the vital points by many interested delegates. Late in the afternoon the delegates from the country called a caucus to take place in the courthouse in the evening.

was also read, which put forth that one-half the voters to the remonstrance were non-residents, who have no right to remonstrance on the same committee reported on the petition for the improvement of Jerome avenue, from Seventeenth to Eighteenth, and recommended that the surveyor be instructed to make estimates for the work. The report was adopted. The committee recommended payment of the following bills: Astoria Transfer Co., \$10; Dr. Deiminger, \$15; Griffin & Reed, \$22.25; city surveyor, \$35; street superintendent, \$12.75; which were accordingly ordered paid.

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TWO FRIGHTFUL LOSSES OF LIFE

Ten Persons Burned to Death in a Crowded Brooklyn Tenement House.

MET DEATH BY SUFFOCATION

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MISSISSIPPI HOLOCAUST

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HAD THEIR NERVE ALONG.

Held Back Highwagmen Successfully Hold Up an East-bound Express.

CLEVER SWINDLERS.

Bring Ingenuity Into Play to the Tune of About \$100.

ARIZONA'S BALKY GOVERNOR.

Finally Resigns After Being Discharged by the Interior Department.

HARD ON FREE SILVER.

New Mexico's Governor Thinks No Statehood Bills Will Be Passed.

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Phoenix, Ariz., April 1.—T. C. Hughes this afternoon turned over to Secretary Bruce the executive offices of the territory, reserving, however, any rights he may have in the premises.

SYMPATHY WITH ITALY.

Buenos Ayres, Argentina, via Galveston, Tex., April 1.—The Italian minister has received a striking manifestation of the popular sympathy in the Argentine Republic with the Italian in their present disastrous campaign in Abyssinia.

INCREASE IN IMMIGRATION.

Nearly Twelve Thousand Arrivals During the Month of February.

APPEAL FOR ECONOMY.

Washington, April 1.—The house today practically completed consideration of the sundry civil bill. In the course of the debate on the amendment to appropriate \$5,000 for constructing the erection of a new military post at Spokane Wash., Cannon, chairman of the appropriations committee, made an appeal for economy, on the ground that the reduction of the treasury was such that no new project should be entered upon by this congress. The amendment was adopted.

MORE FOR THE GOLD FIELDS.

Accommodations for Steamers for Alaska Taxed to the Utmost.

INTERSTATE COMMERCE LAW.

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SALVATION ARMY'S NEW COMMANDER

Frederick St. George Booth-Tucker, Ballington Booth's Successor, Arrives in New York.

OUTLINES HIS FUTURE POLICY

Which Shall Be One of Love, Not Aggression - Will Endeavor to Reconcile Ballington Booth and Will Be Naturalized Soon as Possible.

New York, April 1.—Frederick St. George Booth-Tucker, recently appointed commander of the Salvation Army in the United States, to succeed Ballington Booth, arrived tonight on the steamship Majestic. He was met at the dock by a group of Salvation Army officers and informed that his baby boy, Bramwell, was dead, and that his wife was ill. The new commander proceeded at once to the bedside of Mrs. Booth-Tucker.

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Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U.S. Gov't Report. Oyal Baking Powder ABSOLUTELY PURE