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Sometimes, especially school times, they need them; good, easy ones, but strong and hard to wear out. As for the boy, O, we sympathize with you all the year through, for the boys are a great tax on head, heart and pocketbook, but right here our sympathy takes a practical turn. Have you seen our special shoes for boys? Petersen & Brown.

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6:10 a.m.	Portland and Astoria via Klaskanine, Clifton, Westport, Clatskanie, Goble, connection at Goble for the East and Puget Sound points.	6:30 a.m.
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THE LEADING DRY GOODS AND CLOTHING HOUSE OF ASTORIA

NO DECISION ARRIVED AT

Republicans Held a Caucus at Salem Last Night, but Could Not Agree.

THIRTY-SIX WERE THERE

All but Five Voted for H. W. Corbett, but the Opposition to Him is Strong.

MITCHELLITES AND THE POPS

Said They Will Support Each Other in the Contest—Fulton's Remarkable Senate Bill Passes.

SALEM, Oct. 3.—In the republican caucus tonight at which were present 36 members, H. W. Corbett secured 31 votes. Those answering their names at the caucus roll call were:
Hates, Massey, Taylor, Hobbs, Laver, Beach, Brittain, Briggs, Butts, Cameron, Doly (of Benton), Farrell, Haines, Haseltine, Hawson, Hill, Hobbick, Howe, Lamson, Mackay, Marsh, Maxwell, McCourt, Moody, Michell, Morton, Mulkey, Myers, Patterson, Porter, Ross, Selling, Stewart, Thompson (Wash.), Walley, Speaker Carter, President Simon.

It is claimed that signed the call for the caucus. Many members are of the opinion tonight that there will be a deadlock unless Mr. Corbett's name is withdrawn, and it is not thought likely that his managers will agree to such a move. There are now only 11 days left in which a senator can be elected this session, and those who are really in accord with Governor Lord in calling a special session for the purpose of electing a senator are tonight using every means in their power to bring about some harmonious action.

The populists held a caucus tonight, at which 22 members were present. While they claim they selected no one as their choice, it is stated that H. R. Kincaid, secretary of state, will be their nominee. After the adjournment of their caucus, one of the populist leaders said:
"We simply agreed to stand as one man for the party's good. After we see how the voting is going we will caucus again, if necessary."

While denying the fact themselves, an avowed anti-Corbett man said late tonight that the populists had appointed a committee to confer with them in a mutual choice. At a late hour the anti-Corbett men held a caucus themselves in the Willamette hotel. There were 22 present, but they claim to have four more touched for. They did nothing in the caucus, but claim they were willing to stand by any gold standard man, barring Corbett.

Both branches will ballot separately tomorrow for senator and jointly on Wednesday.

PROCEEDINGS IN BOTH HOUSES.

SALEM, Oct. 3.—Although both houses of the legislature met promptly at 2 o'clock this afternoon very little real business outside of a routine nature was accomplished. The members seemed more absorbed with the result of tonight's caucus. The lobbies were crowded with senatorial work all afternoon.

When the general agents of the insurance companies have an opportunity to read the bill introduced by Fordney in the house today, they will immediately take steps to defeat the measure. The bill provides for the retention and investment of legal reserve on all policies to be written in the future in the state. For failure to comply with the provisions the bill will entail a forfeiture of the license of the company doing so.

The Hill registration bill was called up in the house and made a special order of business for Friday morning. Hawson introduced a resolution in the house calling on the members of the delegation at Washington to urge upon congress the great importance of the opening up of navigation of the Columbia river from tide water. Attention to obstructions in the river at Collo and The Dalles is especially urged.

Curtis introduced a bill amending the general laws in relation to the administrative department so the term of governor commences the second Monday in January after the election.

Stanley introduced in the house a bill to reimburse the Omaha fair commissioners in the sum of \$13,000. Fulton's bill amending the statutes relating to the incorporation of Astoria passed.

THE PARISIEN CAPITAL WAS IN A GREAT UPROAR.

One Phase of the Dreyfus Case Leads to Free-for-All Fights, in Which Twenty Were Wounded.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—A dispatch to the Herald from Paris says:
Revisionists and anti-revisionists seem to be spilling for a fight. Captain Dreyfus, whether guilty or innocent, has certainly caused a veritable cyclone of passion to be let loose. Paris was in a turmoil all Sunday. Crowds, scuffles, uproar, and arrests was the program of the last 24 hours. At this moment the mounted republican guard are patrolling certain parts of the city and all of the police were on the alert.

About a score of people are said to have been seriously wounded in the various free fights which have broken the monotony of the Parisian Sunday. In one quarter alone over 40 arrests have been made. Of these 11 have been kept and the others liberated.

Among the latter is Francis de Pressense, one of the first authorities on foreign politics in France, and a leading writer of the Temps. With him were arrested M. Ernest Vaughan, director of the Astore, and M. Morhardt, another of the Temps' editorial staff. All three were to have addressed a meeting in favor of revision in the Dreyfus case. This manifestation was announced to be held in the Salle Wagram.

M. Paul de Roujou, the French patriotic specialist, has declared he was going to turn up at the meeting with a strong contingent of "true Frenchmen" and naturally at this anti-revisionist proper of the Salle Wagram grew alarmed, and called on the police to keep both camps out of the hall.

When M. de Pressense and his colleagues arrived at the meeting place they found it shut and surrounded by a strong cordon of police, busily engaged in keeping back a crowd variously estimated at from 12,000 to 20,000 persons. In spite of the protests of M. de Pressense's party, which had paid the rent of the hall, the police refused admission to any one. Arguments and expostulations were both unavailing, as the brigadier of the police remained inexorable.

The crowd, however, had grown impatient or bolder, for it finally broke through the ring of police. From crushing to giving blows was but a step and many took it. The police agents returned them with interest in the shape of arrests. At once the fight became great. The police made a charge and drove the crowd back to the place des Terres.

Blood flowed in abundance from noses and in the middle of the riot the three organizers of the meeting were arrested by order of M. Bouter, the police division commissary, and led off to the station. They there found company enough and to spare, almost all bearing the marks of having been handled with anything but care.

CHAPLAIN M'INTYRE ENTERS FLEA OF IRRESPONSIBILITY.

Said His Head Was in a Whirl When He Delivered His Lecture Attacking Officers of the Oregon.

DENVER, Oct. 3.—In the court-martial trial of Chaplain McIntyre of the battleship Oregon, the defendant was put on the stand. He stated that his home, when not on duty as chaplain in the navy, is in Denver. He said that he was in exceptionally poor physical condition when he left San Francisco on board the Oregon when she started on her memorial voyage around Cape Horn. He said on the trip after they had passed through the tropics he was attacked with a severe illness, including terrible pains in the back of his head and in his spine. He was then fearful that he was threatened with insanity. At the end of July 3, when the strain of the excitement was over, he fell to the deck and had to be carried to his quarters, where he was in the care of a physician. At the naval hospital in New York a medical survey pronounced him a sufferer from nervous prostration and the physician privately stated it was "nervous bankruptcy," he told how, after repeated urging, he consented to deliver the lecture of August 5 to aid the Denver Y. M. C. A. The work of preparation for the lecture so irritated his nerves that in the afternoon of August 5 he was on the verge of nervous collapse. To sustain him he took quinine and brandy when he began the lecture, and his head was in a whirl. The witness testified that he had clear ideas of what he intended to say, but could not be certain what he did actually say.

GERMANY AND OUR PORK.

BERLIN, Oct. 3.—Most important revelation regarding American pork was made by the German government announcement in the semi-official press today that it has received information showing that American pork has entered Germany without a certificate. The United States embassy has requested the foreign office to instruct custom houses to insist in every case upon a certificate. No American firm is implicated in these transactions which explain the alleged discoveries of trichinae in American pork. German dealers in American pork offered, in July last, a reward of 1000 marks for a case of human trichinosis due to American pork, and three months have passed without anybody claiming the money.

VOLUNTEERS' CONDITION

Over One-Fourth the Soldiers in Porto Rico Are in the Hospitals.

THEY MUST COME NORTH

Of 10,000 Men, 2,700 Are Ill, and Sickness Is Increasing Alarmingly.

THE PEACE COMMISSIONERS

They Have Insisted That this Government Retain the Whole of the Philippine Group.

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PONCE, Porto Rico, Sept. 27.—It is the well-founded and almost unanimous opinion of the medical staff of the American army in Porto Rico that the condition of the volunteer forces here necessitates their removal north. Sickness is increasing at an alarming rate. Today the sick report shows over 2700 in the hospitals or in quarters, out of a total command of 10,000 men.

THE PEACE COMMISSION.

PARIS, Oct. 3.—The peace commission today adjourned until Friday. A representative of the Associated Press learns that the session was highly important and that the Americans have made a demand of such a character that the Spaniards find it necessary to ask for adjournment in order to enable them to consult with the government at Madrid.

It is believed that the question concerns the Philippines, and it is known that the Americans are highly pleased at having so soon reached what they consider the very important phase of the negotiations, and they consider the two sessions thus far held as very satisfactory to America. The fact that a member of the commission expressed the belief that the work would be completed within a month indicates a happy frame of mind.

In the Spanish camp great hopes are built on what they believe General Merritt will advise, namely, that the Philippines are incapable of self-government, and that the whole situation does not warrant America in taking the responsibility for the entire Philippines. The Spanish commissioners are quite ready to give whatever America asks in the way of coaling stations, but will resist more to the verge of a renewal of hostilities.

SPANISH DON'T LIKE IT.

MADRID, Oct. 3.—The reported intention of the United States government to retain the whole of the Philippines has created almost a state of stupefaction here, and it is semi-officially announced that the Spanish government has resolved to vigorously combat any action which, it is claimed, the terms of the peace protocol preclude.

SILVERITES PREPARING FOR COMING CAMPAIGN.

National Democratic Committee Calls "Coin" Harvey to Its Aid in Furthering the Cause of Silver.

CHICAGO, Oct. 3.—Hon. James K. Jones, of Arkansas, chairman of the national democratic committee, has appointed ex-Governor William J. Stone, of Missouri; ex-Governor John P. Altgeld, of Illinois; Senator William V. Allen, of Nebraska; and Henry M. Teller, of Colorado, to act in conjunction with himself as a committee on ways and means. This committee addressed the following letter to W. H. ("Coin") Harvey, of Chicago:
"The committee on ways and means, to further the cause of bimetalism and the overthrow of corrupt republican domination in this country, tenders you the position of general manager of its work. You will observe that the committee represents not only the democratic party, but all good forces that are working with it for the protection of the republic and its free institutions, and it is in this spirit of harmony and true patriotism that we desire your assistance."
Harvey has notified the committee of his acceptance of the position and has opened an office in the Unity building in this city.

CONSOLIDATION OF RAILROADS.

OMAHA, Oct. 3.—Union Pacific officials are eagerly watching for an enlargement of the system, which they feel sure will take place within the next fortnight. The annual meeting of the Oregon Short line will be held in Salt Lake City next week, and it is freely predicted that it will be the last annual meeting of the indepen-

dent corporation. Whether the short line will be operated from Omaha, as formerly, is an unsettled question. It is said that this matter will be one of the mooted points to be settled before the absorption of the branch by the patent line takes place.

DECISION AFFIRMED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 3.—The United States court of appeals today affirmed the judgment of the lower court in the suit of the Northern Pacific Express Company against State Treasurer Philip Metcalf, of Oregon. The express company sued the treasurer to recover \$70,000 worth of bonds deposited by it with the treasurer, as required by the laws of Oregon, from all express and insurance companies, and the court sustained the decision of the lower tribunal, which dismissed the case on the demurrer.

SCHOOLS WILL REOPEN.

MANILA, Oct. 3.—The United States transport Scandia has arrived here, and the United States transport Arizona has departed.

American authorities here have invited all the school teachers to resume the instruction of their classes. The schools have been closed since the surrender of Manila to the Americans.

THE PROHIBITION VOTE.

TORONTO, Oct. 3.—A special from Ottawa says: Judging from present returns on the prohibition vote, barely one-fourth of those eligible to vote gave expression to their opinions Thursday. As a consequence it is learned the government will ignore the whole proceedings.

INSURGENTS DEFEATED.

MADRID, Oct. 3.—General Rios, governor of the Viacayas Islands, reports to the government another defeat of the insurgents. The Spanish volunteers, he says, also repulsed an insurgent attack on the town of Basan, and killed 31 of the attacking force.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—The contracts for four coast defense monitors which the secretary of the navy has decided to award in accordance with the lowest bids, namely, one monitor to Lewis Nixon at \$25,000; Newport News at \$30,000; Bath Iron works, \$32,000; and the Union Iron works, \$375,000.

HAWAII'S NEW GOVERNMENT.

CHICAGO, Oct. 3.—A Daily News Washington special says: Hawaii is to have a government patterned after that of the District of Columbia. The establishment of this system for the Hawaiian Islands will avoid all embarrassments and complications which is said would result from a territorial form of government, including even modified suffrage.

PIONEER DEAD.

SALEM, Oct. 3.—Hon. Fabritius R. Smith, a pioneer of 1840, and one of the most highly respected citizens of Marion county, died this afternoon, aged 59 years. He was one of the founders of Willamette university, and a prominent figure in the history of Methodism in Oregon.

ORDERS OF THE WARSHIPS.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—Secretary Long said the sole purpose in ordering the cruiser Baltimore and gunboat Petrel to Tien Tsin was to safeguard American interests and protect the life and property of American citizens in the event of an outbreak in the interior.

What a word of sympathy we have for others in misfortune when we have suffered ourselves.

It is a very unsophisticated young woman who inquires if juvenile Germans could be termed "Little Germans."

Jewelers anticipate a big Christmas sale of belts, buckles and hat pins in which military buttons are used decoratively.

The day when we have left over for luncheon is the one on which unexpected company drops in and shares our confusion and rechauffes.

The Royal is the highest grade baking powder known. Actual tests show it goes one-third further than any other brand.

