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Advertising is a combination of good judgement and enterprise.

Mitchell had hard work getting the miners to agree to go back to work. It was Mr Baer who said the men were all eager to return but were forcibly kept out.

The elections are over and the tin plate trust has reduced the wages of tin plate workers 3 per cent. This is encouraging of course other trusts will do likewise and the laborers will be satisfied, for it what they voted for.

David Bennett Hill has reached 62 years, the age when a man goes on the retired list in the army or navy. He has been in active political life for thirty five years, has been in office more than half that time, has never taken a drink or smoked a cigar or kissed a woman, and now, as his reward, he finds himself for the first time autocrat of the Democratic party in the Empire state. What shall it profit him?

The printer's best friend is the man or woman giving him items of news. There are people we know, however, who have such a prejudice against telling a newspaper reporter anything that if they died they wouldn't say anything about it. If a baby is born to you give it for publication, the item we mean not the baby. If you have made a successful speculation, and have money to burn, give it to us, that is the item, we don't need the money. Send us all the news, and we won't object if you occasionally send us a couple of dollars on subscription.

Last Tuesday's elections, held in all but three of the states, taught some few lessons that may profitably be considered. In the states east of the Mississippi river where the people feel most vividly the effects and combines and where the republican party is held responsible for the existence of these institutions, the majorities of that party were terribly shattered. In New York, for instance, where two years ago Governor Odell was elected by 111,000 plurality this year he gets only about 12,000. In Pennsylvania, New Jersey and nearly all the New England states as well as Minnesota, Wisconsin, Illinois, Indiana and Iowa the republican majority of two years ago is materially reduced. The lesson taught by this result is that the masses in the states most directly affected by the trusts are coming to a realization of the fact that politics has something to do with their personal affairs, and they are ready to rebuke the party that encourages and fosters institutions detrimental to their interests.

LOST.
A yearling heifer, red and white marked smooth crop off left ear and was dehorned. May or may not be branded J B on left hip. Strayed about Oct 1st. Any information will be suitably rewarded by notifying E P REEDER, Saginaw, Ore.

\$2,197,789,924 OF MONEY IN CIRCULATION.

The total stock of money of all kinds in the United States on September 1, as reported by the Treasury Department, was \$2,279,306,217, being an increase of \$26,446,684 over that on the same date last year. The amount in circulation was \$2,579,306,217, which, based on an estimated population of 79,344,000, is a per capita of \$28.55. The per capita on Sept. 1, 1901, was \$28.19, and on the same date in 1900 was 26 85.

American's Famous Beauties.
Look with horror on Skin Eruptions. Blisters, Sores, Pimples. They don't have them, nor will any one, who uses Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It glorifies the face. Eczema or Salt Rheum vanishes before it. It cures sore lips, chapped hands, chilblains. Infallible for Piles. 25c at Currin's drug store.

THE MOLINEUX TRIAL.

The great sensational murder trial that has been going on in New York for several months, is now ended. A dispatch from New York, Tuesday, says:

"The jury has just returned to the courtroom with a verdict of 'not guilty' in the Molineux case. There is great excitement in the courtroom and among the spectators that crowded the street in anticipation of the verdict.

[No criminal trial in New York for years has engaged public attention like this on account of the high standing of the prisoners family, one of the first of the metropolis.

Molineux was indicted for the murder of Mrs Katherine J Adams by means of a poison package sent through the mails. On the first trial he was convicted, no evidence being offered for the defense. A new trial was granted, and this has been in progress nearly a month since October 15th. Molineux went on the witness stand this trial.

THE SURE WAY

to prevent Pneumonia and Consumption is to cure your cold when it first appears. Acker's English Remedy will stop the cough in a night, and drive the cold out of your system. Always a quick and sure cure for Asthma, Bronchitis, and all throat and lung troubles. If it does not satisfy you the druggist will refund your money. Write to us for free sample. W H HOOKER & Co., N. Y. Benson Drug Co.

Portland, Oregon Oct. 27, 1902.
All Agents: Oregon Lines.

The first general meeting of the Oregon Immigration Association will be held in Portland, November 18th, at which time permanent officers will be elected, and arrangements made to take advantage of the Immigration Act, passed by Congress last June.

For this occasion we have made rate of one and one-third fare on the certificate plan, and you will be prepared to give passengers receipts on our special blanks for fares paid to Portland to attend this convention.

As this is an event of great interest to the entire State, it would be well to give notice of same as an item of news to papers in your city, and do anything else you can to advise the public of this convention.

Yours truly,
W E COWAN,
General Passenger Agent.

Closing on Sale.
Now is the time to get your Wall Paper at greatly reduced prices. We are closing out all old stock to make room for the new and up-to-date patterns.

At J P Currin's

Lurch's

A GREAT SALE OF DRESS GOODS.

Lurch's

Savings in Yarns and Umbrellas.

We do not think it boastful to say that we have the Newest and Freshest Stock and the Lowest Prices in town. Try for yourselves. Now is the time to see Lurch's Blankets and other Bedding at their best, and

"BEST" at LURCH'S means something.

His Life In Peril.

"I just seemed to have gone all to pieces," writes Alfred Bee, of Welfare, Tex., "billiousness and a lame back had made life a burden. I couldn't eat or sleep and felt almost too worn out to work when I began to use Electric Bitters, but they worked wonders. Now I sleep like a top, can eat anything, have gained in strength and enjoy hard work." They give vigorous health and new life to weak, sickly, run-down people. Try them. Only 50c at J P Currin's drug store.

Irrigation Week.

The Oregon Irrigation and the Oregon State Bar Association meet in Portland, Tuesday and Wednesday, November 18 and 19. Reduced Rates on all railroads.

Special entertainment for all visitors—Free theatre tickets; a ball or concert; a steamboat ride on the Willamette and Columbia rivers; an observation car ride over the street railways; a visit to the Portland Crematorium, to the \$1,000,000 Custom House, to the Public Library, to the \$500,000 City Hall, the wheat ships in the harbor, to the rooms of the Oregon Historical Society and other places of interest.

An Inspection of the Armory and Gun Drill by Battery A is to be one of the features of entertainment of visitors. A cordial invitation is extended to all to visit Portland in Irrigation Week.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E W Grove's signature is on each box. 25.

SALEM, Nov 11.—Governor Geer at noon today announced his definite refusal to call a special session of the Oregon legislature, as petitioned for by the Portland Chamber of Commerce and citizens for legislation making an appropriation for the Lewis and Clark Fair, Portland charter revision, and to put the state officers on a flat salary basis.

Governor Geer does not believe a special session is in the interest of economy, nor that any emergency exists that renders the same necessary.

Best Lintment on Earth.

M McHany, Greenville Tex., writes, Nov 24, 1900: "I had rheumatism last winter, was down in bed six weeks; tried everything, but got no relief, till a friend gave me a part of a bottle of Ballard's Snow Lintment. I used it, and got two more bottles. It cured me and I haven't felt any rheumatism since. I can recommend Snow Lintment to be the best lintment on earth for rheumatism." For rheumatism, sciatic or neuralgia pains, rub in Ballard's Snow Lintment, you will not suffer long, but will be gratified with a speedy and effective cure. 25c 50c and \$1.00 at New Era Drug Store.

Foley's Kidney Cure
makes kidneys and bladder right.

CITY MARKET
Bartels & Veatch, Props.

Choicest Meats, Hams, Bacon and Lard always on hand. And in fact everything usually kept in a first-class market.

FISH IN SEASON

We have no stand in with the dentists on tough meats. Give a trial and we will treat you right.



Piper & VanDenburg

Shelf and Heavy HARDWARE

Slaves and Tinware

Fish Bros Wasons and all kinds of Farm Implements and Mining Supplies.

"WE SUIT THE HARD TO SUIT"

Our aim is to please our customers. Call and be convinced of this fact. We handle a complete line of high grade Groceries, Fresh Fruits and Vegetables and guarantee everything purchased of us to be first class.

See Our Teas and Coffees they are Fine.

The Cash Grocery Company

J K Wheeler, Prop.

Stop The Cough, Weaken the Cold, Loosens the Bronchioles, and Cures the Cough in one day. No Cure, no Pay. Price 25 cents.

A FREE PATTERN
(your own selection) to every subscriber. Only 50 cents a year.

McCALL'S 60 YEAR MAGAZINE

A LADIES' MAGAZINE.
A gem: beautiful colored plates; latest fashions; dressmaking expedients; fancy work; household hints; fiction, etc. Subscriptions 50c a year, send \$2 for latest copy. Lady agents wanted. Send for terms.

McCALL BAZAR PATTERNS

All Seams Allowed and Perforations show the Basting and Sewing Lines. Only 10 and 15 cents each—none higher. Ask for them. Sold in nearly every city and town, or by mail from THE McCALL CO., 113-115-117 West 31st St., NEW YORK.

The Best Prescription for Malaria, Chills and Fevers, is Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure, no pay. Price 50c.

You Know What You Are Taking. When you take Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic because the formula is plainly printed on every bottle showing that it is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure, no pay. 50c.

Notice.

The Board of Equalization for Lane county will meet at the assessor's office in the court house at Eugene on Monday, November 24, 1902, and remain in session six days for the purpose of equalizing the assessment rolls for said county. All persons having grievances will note date and govern themselves accordingly.

D. P. BERTOS,
County Assessor