Hermann's supporters insist upon ob servance of the rule of the Interior Departm-nt, where and a special investiga ting reports are kept secret and confiden tial. Hence, the text of Special Agent A. R. Green's report filed last year with Secretary Hithconk, relating to Mr. Hermann's administration of the Land Of fice, can not be given to the world.

If there be nothing in that special report that is discreditable to Mr. Hermann then let his own supporters themselves bring it out and publish it broad-cast. It will be most excellent material wherewith to refute allegations made against Mr. Hermann's efficiency or even integrity as commissioner of the General Land

The logical inference from the demand to Greene's report being kept secret as confidential is that its publicamental in the present campaign.

Lat it be remarked that Mr. Hermann's supporters industriously refer to his Congressional record as reason why he should be returned to Congress, but it is citing his services as Receiver of the Roseburg Land Office from which posttion he was dismissed in 1873 for violating the statutes in acquiring public lands, and it is equally noticeable that they do not find good campaign material in the fact that he was Commissioner of the General Land Office, and was com pelled to resign therefrom, under command from the President and Secretary. under the alternatives of resigning or being dismissed.

Books and Authors

The people of Albany, the literary cen ter of the valley, will be interested in the following facts:

The most read book in the U S. dur-Made Merchant to Son, Under the Rose and The Circle.

A record compiled for eight years shows David Harum in the lead, with The Orisis next, then Quo Vadis, To Have and To Hold, Bonnie Brier Bush, Richard Carvel, Right of Way, Virginian, Even Holden, Alice of Old Vin-

Among the authors Winston Churchill lead, then Gilbert Parker, J. L. Allen, H. Sienkiewicz, Mary Johnston, E. N Wescott, Rev. John Watson, Anthony Hope, Irving Bachelor and Chas. Major.

Who is Entitled to Vote?

The question as to who is entitled to vote at the coming congressional election seems to be not fully understood. The awyers say no one has to register. Any person who registered in 1902 will be entitled to vote next month unless he has become disqualified since registering. All unregistered male citizens who have resided in the state six months preceding the coming election, being 21 years of age and upward, and all foreign born citizens who have declared their intention to become citizens at least one year before said election, may vote on the day of election by awearing in their votes at the poll, as is done at general states; the map made of growing crop of

Oregon Historical Society has reached Court knecking out the gigantic railroad in 1835. He completed the full course of our table. It contains a chapter on the merger. Both political parties were early Railroad History of Oregon by represented in the unanimous opinion. Joseph Gaston, an old newspaper man But it is of interest to note that Judge and at one time editor of the Oregon Thayer, of Missouri, who wrote the ex-Statesmen; History of the Press of Ore-Oregon," by Prot. F. G. Young, editor of Judge Alton B, Parker, whose opinions sketch of the "Historians of the Northwest." by William A. Morris.

Keckuk (Ia.) Coustitution-Democrat The old-fashioned republican editor who believes that the tariff is not a tax, but it it is, it is paid by the foreigners, is having some difficulty in explaining the necessity of the Capan reciprocity treaty.

Bellaire (O.) Democrat: The good people of Cleveland have given Mr. Hanna a practical object lesson in carrying out his teachings in letting well enough slone and "standing pat" by Tom Johnson.

Columbia (Mo) Heraid: Since it turns out that of the four senators in digted for boodling three are republicans we do not hear the Blobe-Democra nowling for cleaning the Augean stable

One Prop Knucked Out

ABHLAND, Or., May 11 -Bioger Hermann, so his address here, made the as ertion that, if elected, he would through the grace of the coming Speaker Canuon of the National House, be appointed to a membership on the Committee on Rivers and Harbors. He discussed many matters pertaining to the campaign, and disposed of the questions relating to his dismissal from the General Land Office, with these four lines:

"As to that Land Office matter, there were differences between me and the Secretary of the Interior, as to the details of the administration."

There was no explanation beyond that brief sentence.

Williamson Already Endorsed. PORTLAND, Or., May 11 .- The Slourns;

"Mr. Hermann's expectation of appointment to the Rivers and Harbors committee will not be materialized. J. N. Widismson, Congressman from the Second District, as was stated the other noticed that they diligently retrained for day in the Washington dispatches, has allendy filed for the appointment, and has been endorsed for the position by Senators Mitchell and Fulton. This, as everyone will admit, effectually disposes of Mr. riermann's chances for the place, and his claims now being made throughout the district, upon the basis of which he is making fulsome promises to the voters, will be regarded as mere campaign dodges,"

Some St. Louis Fair Attractions.

Intramural Railway, reaching every portion of the grounds.

Behind the Scenes-An exhibit of a theater, showing apparatus used for producing stage effects on a grand scale.

A Model City, showing ideal public buildings and utilities. Models embracing April was Lovey Mary, then Lady Rose's Daughter, the Pit, Letters of Self world.

A Gold Mine, underground tunnels, with adits, slopes, hangings and shafte, stamps mills, amalgamators, jige, slime

tables, etc. Horse Show, lasting two weeks, inter national in scope. Entries include those of the Imperial German stables.

Olympic Tames revised and given elaborate production. Athletes from all over the world to contest.

Robert Burn's Cottage, at Ayrshire, reproduced by the Burns Cottage Asso ciation.

Beneral Grant's Cabin, moved from Old Orchard and rebuilt from original material, near Art Palace.

Garden of Versailles reproduced by France, together with the Grand Trianon and other buildings.

The Cabildo, where formal transfer of the Louisiana territory occurred, reproduced by the State of Louisiana.

Beauvoir, the bome of Jefferson Davis, reproduced by Mississippi.

Floral Clock, with dial 100 feet in diameter, and hands 50 feet long. All built of flowers. Rose Garden, four acres in extent;

50,000 rose trees in blossoms. Largest rose garden in the world. U. S. Map, covering six acres, with cinder walks for boundary live between

state shown.

Of course politics did not enter into No. 4 of Vol. 3, of the Quarterly of the the decision of the United States Circuit gon from 1839 to 1850, by George H. lifelong democrat, as is the case likewise Himes; An article on "The Archives of with Judge Adams, Judge Gray and

> these Democratic Judges. Fremont (Neb.) Leader: We gather from the president's campaign speeches that he does not believe in killing off the bad trusts for fear it might injure the good trusts. The republican idea of a "good trust" is one that will gracefully yield up when the man with the frying

counts among its members such able

Waynesville (Mo.) Democrat: The only trouble with "carrying a hig stick," in the form of a navy, is the temptation to use it. the man who carries a gan that is tempted to shoot and the boy with a new jack-knife who cannot resist whittling the school farniture.

A Sweet Breath

A Sweet Breath

Good for Children.

The pievant ito take and harmless One Minute Cough Cure gives immediately into the stomach of Cough Cure gives immediately into the stomach, but takes effect right at the seat of the trouble. It disaws out the imflammation, heavs and soothes and cures permanently by reading the additional coupling and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood and tissues.

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CITY COUNCIL.

Present all officers and Councilmen Damain, Dawson, Marshal and Raiston, with Mayor Davis in the chair.

The following bills were ordered paidHenry Suesens, painting 3 00
F K (hurchill, printing 6 00
B A Brodie, printing 2 25
John Catlin, poundmaster 3 00
F M Westfall, Pauling 35 75
Hughes & Troutman, hauling 1 75
O C Cleian, labor 1 50
J S Van Winkle, recorder fees 54 25
Albany Water Company, lights 111 25
" water 20 32
F M Westfall, team 8 00
John 'stilin, janitor 4 00 The following bills were ordered paid

Upon report of the street superintendent numerous sidewalk improvements were ordered.

The Broadalbin street sewer at the river was reported in bad condition. Property owners on Seventh street were ordered to build sidewalks and curbs between Washington and Ferry.

Foresters Election.

At Astoria yesterday new officers were elected for the Foresters of America as tollows:

Grand chief ranger, William H. Klepper, La Grande; grand subchief ranger, A. J. C. Schroeder, Astoria; grand treasurer, R. F. Gill, Portland; grand recording secretary, S. Kafka, Portland; grand recording secretary, S. O. Dillman, Oregon City; grand senior warden, W. H. Warner, Albany; grand junior warden, D. O. Wilder, The Dailes; grand senior beadle, Dr. T. C. Brosius, Hood River; grand junior beadle, A. W. Severance, Tillsmook; grand truetees, W. T. Coburn, Grant's Pase; T. W. L. Skibbe, The Dailes; John Ecklund, Portland; supreme representative, C. G. Burkhardt, Albany; A. L. Brown, Salem, and John A. Watson, Portland. Grand chief ranger, William H. Klep-

Letter List.

Following is the list of letters remaining in the Postoffice at Albany, Linn county, Oregon, May 12, 1903. Persons calling for these letters must give the date on which

Fitzgerald, T Jones, Miss Myra Kirk, Mr R A Mulley, Mat (2) Pross r, Miss Myrle Robison, Mr Ernest Rease, Miss Kose Sanden, Miss Anna K Speer, W H Sullivan, Mr Geo

the following about the father of a prominent citizen of Albany In connection with a sketch of the early press of Ore-

Soon after Mr. Wait's connection with the Specta or was ended, it suspended publication. On October 4, 1849, it again appeared with Rev. Wilson Blain, a clergyman of the United Presbyterian Church, as editor, and George B. Goudy, printer. On February 7, 1850, the paper was reduced to sixteen columns on account of a shortage in the paper supply. On April 18, 1850, Robert Moore, then proprietor of Linn City, opposite Oregon City, became owner, Blain being retained as editor.

On September 6th Blain ended his

career as editor.

Mr. Blain was born in Ross county, Ohio, February 28, 1813. He was graduated at Miami University, Oxford, Ohio study at the Associate Reformed Theoogical Seminary at Allegheny, Pennsylvania, was licensed to preach by the first presbytery of Chillicothe, Ohio. Optober 17, 1839. He had pasteral charge of the congregation at Hebron, Indiana, until May 15, 1847, when he began pre-True Story of Lewis and Clark; and a parry can be regarded as poor in material small church—the first of his denominafor a etrong Presidential candidate that tion in Oregon. On June 6, 1849, he upright, learned and fearless men as are first territorial legislature. In November 1850, Mr. Blain removed to Union Point, Linn county, and organized a church over which he was installed pastor in 1853, He was a prime mover in the organization of the United Presbyterian Church there. He established an academy at Union Point, in which he was manager and teacher until 1856. These exacting duties, in connection with his ministry, injured his heaith, and he died on February 22, 1861.

To-Night.

The play of Vendetta will be given tonight at the Albany opera house.

MISFITS

Both Furnish and Hermann were

There was great applause last night when Mr. Hermann said he had been dismissed from the land office.

Mr. Ernest Hofer, of the Salem Jour nal, is speaking for Binger Hermann. Mr. Reames is to be congratulated. "Take that goat ad. out, Ali sold

right off, and many more wanted them," a common experience among DEMOCRAT advertisers. A Linn county man it is reported sees visions. That is nothing, the asylum at Salem is full of people who see visions

continually.

A Minnesota Congressman has been Imported to assist Mr. Hermann in the congressional fight, an indication that he needs help.

Voters may vote anywhere in the congressional district by swearing in their vote. Keep this in mind and vote wherever your are.

In a column article on a church socia held in Salem all but twelve lines are devoted to the part the editor himself took in it. The Colonel against the world.

The U. of O. men will know that they have been to a track meet after their contest with Albany next Saturday. The margin in their favor will be so small as to make them nervous.

The burdens of county clerks are just now increased. They have to compare all the names on referendum petitions with those registered to see if they are entitled to vote, considerable of a task.

A citizen who took a trip over the city was surprised at the number of new residences that have been erected in the last year or two. They are all over town, some of them among the prettiest in the city. Albany goes ahead without exhausting its supply of wind.

During the summer months the stores of the city should close at 7 o'clock, thus An Early Oregon Editor.

Geo. H. Himes in the Quarierly of the Oregon Historical Society just out gives to 70 clock closing. Let others follow.

> Mr. Reames has not stated in any of his speeches whather he is a Cleveland democrat or a Bryan democrat.—Salem Journal. The editor of the Journal has not stated in any of his speeches whether he is a Cleveland republicau or a Bryan democrat. The public waits breathlessly.

The report has been circulated that it keeps letter carriers jumping to go their rounds. The following is from the Eu-

gene Guard
The post office "equad" has rented a room on the second floor of the Hovey block for a lounging place during idle hours. They are now fixing it up into very cozy apartments.

Here's a warning. Ralph Newcomb Walla Walla young man, was all ready to be married when he was presented to be married when he was presented with a bill for his wedding suit. Charrined he fled to his room and tried to commit suicide, then he fled from the city. The bride is to be congratulated in escaping from marriage with a young man who does not pay his debts particularly for his wedding suit.

Oregon, by Prof. F. G. Young, editor of the Quarterly; Documents relating to on questions of monopoly and of tyranthe Organization of Early Immigration ny—whether of capital or of labor—have Parties; Review of "The Conquest," the given them a national prominence. No True Story of Lewis and Clark; and a party can be regarded as poor in material small church—the first of his denomina—instance of the depot being filled with freight cars and trains, a notable case occurring a few days ago. 29th. Soon atterwards they organized a small church—the first of his denomina—instance of the depot being filled with freight cars and trains, a notable case occurring a few days ago. 29th. Soon atterwards they organized a small church—the first of his denomina—instance of the depot being filled with freight cars and trains, a notable case occurring a few days ago. 29th. Soon atterwards they organized a small church—the first of his denomina—instance of the depot being filled with freight cars and trains, a notable case occurring a few days ago. 29th. Soon atterwards they organized a small church—the first of his denomina—instance of the depot being filled with freight cars and trains, a notable case occurring a few days ago. small church—the first of his denomina-depot on the other side of the yards is an tion in Oregon. On June 6, 1849, he was elected to the upper branch of the justifies a change.

> city as well as a long distance down Lyon street. The S. P. should now show its appreciation by at least keeping a telephone in its office at its own expense for the benefit of the public, the same as any other live business concern. Later: - Superintendent Fields has

ordered a telephone in at the depot at the expense of the company. He hap-pened along and wanted to use one him-self.

The referendum should be kept going. It may be somewhat intricate, with a good deal of red tape, but it gives the people an opportunity to rule, so much The Readick Stock Company was expecially organized for the Auditorium Theatre in Dawson, Y. T., and as the people of Dawson wanted the best talent obtainable and were determined to have it, no expense of care has been epared in selecting the highest class Eastern artists.

The complete scenery and all the effects have been specially designed and built for this company, and the piece is produced under the personal direction of Mr. Readick; this insures the smoothness and attention to detail whica is needed in such a high-class production.

people an opportunity to rule, so much meded in these days of legislative bar-gains and grait bills. It is strange how many papers which professed friendship for the referendum before election are now silent. No matter what an individual's position in reference to a bill may be he chould be willing for the scale for nearly 5,000 names to appetitude to set it in motion, no small thing to accomplish. The real friends of the referendum should stand by their colors.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

The President Rested.

number 13.

Miss Ware has returned to Eugene prepared to answer her accessers face to face.

Mr. Hermann might as well retire from the race. He is number 13 on the ballot.

In President Rested.

Hotte Del. Monte, May 10.—President Roosevelt today spent one of the most restful Sandays he has encountered since his trin began. In one of the most restful spots in California, two miles from the nearest city, unhamdered by curious crowde, he has hap a chance to rest thoroughly and prepare for the comballot.

Stantord's Typhold. Stanford's Typhold.

Stanford's University May 10—Foster Ely Brackett of Washington, D. C., a senior in the department of Latin, died today from typhold fever. Brakett has been down with the fever for over three weeks. His condition was not regarded as serious until last night, when he declined until the end came. Fueral services were beld this afternoon and the body shipped to his home in Washington.

on. Brackett's death is the eighth result-

Killing Christians

Constanting Christians
Constantinople, May 10.—Consular
dispatcles received here from Monastir,
Turkey, says the Mu-sulmans and Turkish troops are murdering Christians in
the suburbs of the Christian quarter of
the town. Houses are deserted and the
shops closed.

Killes With a Stone.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., May 10.—
Tommy Saluskin, an Indian, was killed yesterday in a fight over a horse at Big Cottonwood, on Upper Antatum. A number of Indians got in altercation, when George Ward hithim with a stone. An inquest will be held tomorrow.

The President Kicks. The President Ricks.

San Jose, May 11.—President Roosevelt today gave the people of the country an object-lesson on the evile of vandalism. While at Santa Cruz this forenoon he was taken to the big tree grove. Almost the first sight that greeted his eyes was one of the huge trees with housands of business and personal cards tacked on

of business and personal cards tacked on it. Touriets for years have been placing their cards upon this tree. The President instantly expressed his disapproval of such a procedure.

Race Riots. New Oleans, May 11.—There was a race riot in Saint Tammany Parrieb, about 50 miles from this city, Saturday night. An insolent negro was beaten with an ax-handle by a white grocery clerk. The n grees we e armed, and a pitched battle with white citizens followed in which four negroes, one of whom was the aggressor, were killed. Peace was then restored.

facoma vs. Seattle.

TACOMA, May 11—Representative Will E. Humphrey of Seattle declares he will "be dameed" before he permits Tacoma to carry out its program of escorting the Presidential party about the Sound on the steambhip Spekane, unaccompanied by the Seattle member of Congress and his friends.

Turkey's War.

Salonica, May 11.—In an engagement between Bulgarians and Turkish troops between Bulgarians and Turkish troops between Bulgarians and Turkish troops recently fought at Igapari, many Bulgarians were killed and 74 were made prisoners.

Another fight is reported to have occurred at the village of Gorestrovo. The village was burned.

The panic in the Monastir district has not abated.

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The Right Way.

PANAMA, May 11.—It is reported here that President Marroquin has been compelled to resign office on account of political troubles, and that General Raphael Reyes, Second Vice President of Columbia, will assume the Presidency. Friends of the causal are auxiously awaiting confirmation of this raper. ing confirmation of this report.

Russia In the Way.

BAANGHAI, May 11. — The Chinese treaty revision commissioners have re-ceived from the Chinese Foreign Office instructions to decline further discussion instructions to decline further discussion with the American commissioners on article 12 of the proposed new treaty, which refers to the opening of points in Manchuria to foreign trade. It is added that such negotiations are inadvisable, owing to Russian action.

A Sweeping Decision.

Several prominent Albany men have been unable to secure tickets at the depot when going away on account of the yard this side of the depot being filled with freight cars and trains, a notable case occurring a few days ago. The man managed to get on the cars just as they were leaving. Having the depot on the other side of the yards is an ourrage. The big business at this city justifies a change.

The electric light in front of the depot is now illuminating that section of the city as well as a long distance down Lyon street. The S. P. should now

The Presidential Party.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 13 — Heartier greeting was never given a President of the United States than that offered to-dayby the City of San Francisco to Theodore Roosevelt. Through miles and miles of densely packed, cheering, patriotically enthused humanity, the Nation's Chief passed, bowing his acknowledgments. It was a magnificent ovation.

Cleve and Woat Talk

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Mindle Bass Island, O., May 12—ExPresident Cleveland and Captain Limberton, U. S. N., who recently arrived here to fish, have been joined by several ther distinguished visitors. Mr. Cleveland steadiastly refuses to discuss his possible candidacy for the democratic nomination for President and politely informed newspapermen that he is here to fish and not to talk politics.

Seattle and Tacoma.

SEATTLE, May 12.—The latest phase in the row between Seattle and Tacoma over, the entertainment of President the state for nearly 5,000 names to a cetition to set it in notion, no small bring to accomplish. The real friends dources that the revenue cutter disal sources that the revenue cutter accomplish. The real friends dources that the revenue cutter moderate design and the real friends of the referendum should stand by their colors.

You should see the new Glassware ust in at U. E. Brownell's, and the state of the special purpose of being placed by Sochay & Mason, druggists.

CUTICURA OINTMENT

Purest of Emollients and Greatest of Skin Cures.

The Most Wonderful Curative of All Time

For Torturing, Disfiguring Humours.

Cutioura Ointment is beyond question the most successful curative for torturing, disfiguring struours of the skin and scalp, including log of hair, ever compounded, in proof of which a single anolating with it, preceded by a hot bath with Cuticura Soap, and followed in the severer cases by a dose of Cuticura Resolvent Pills, is often sufficient to afford immediate relief in the most distressing forms of itching, burning and scaly humours, permits rest and sleep, and points to a speedy cure when all other remedies fail. It is especially so in the treatment of infants and children, cleansing, soothing and healing the most distressing of infantile humours, and preserving, purifying and heautifying the skin, scalp and hair.

Cuticura Olutment possesses, at the same time, the charm of satisfying the simple wants of the toilet, in caring for the state of the state free. ing, disfiguring memours of the skin and

same time, the charm of satisfying the simple wants of the toilet, in caring for the skin, scalp, hair and hands from infancy to age, far more effectually, agreeably and economically than the most expensive of toilet emollients. Its "Instant relies for skin-tortured bables," or "Sandis for skin-tortured bables," or "Songle treatment of the hands," or "One-night treatment of the hair," or "Use after athletics," cycling, golf, tennis, riding, sparring, or any sport, each in connection with the use of Cutieura Soap, is sufficient evidence of this.

Millions now rely on Cutieura Soap, assisted by Cutieura Ointment, for pre-

assisted by Cutleura Ointment, for pr assisted by Cutteura Chimment, for pre-serving, purifying and beautifying the skin, for cleansing the scalp of crusts, scales and dandruff, and the stopping of falling hair, for softening, whitening and soothing red, rough and sore hands, for baby rashes, itchings and chafings, as well as for all purposes of the toilet, bath and nursery.

Hotel Arrivals.

Henry Lang, Portland. Wm Riddle Jr, Monmouth. Henry Lang, Portland.

Wm Riddle Jr, Monmouth.

J Pray, Portland.

L Ooblentz, P.

Thos Collinson, Portland.

J Friedenthal, Portland.

H F Wentz,

T E Colline,

J T Apperson, Or. City.

A N Smith, Portland.

W P Smith,

D McCarty, Ashland.

J W Holmes, Portland.

J E Pelton, Ashland.

J W Holmes, Portland.

J F Potton, J Ffereon.

J F Sommers, Scio.

J H Patty, Kings Valley.

R B Arnold,

"Geo Archart, Lebanon.

O K Spaulding, Newberg.

H L Bush, Hoskins,

J F Day, Hillsboro.

Neitie Day, Pricaville.

W C Allingham, Shedd.

W J Williams, Salem.

W T Grav, Portland.

T H Horning, Toledo.

J J Walter, Portland.

Frank Gard, Salem.

Hush Freeland. Salem.

Frank Gard, Salem.
Hugh Freeland, Salem.
W W Haines, Eugene.
H L Holgate, Washington D C.
Mrs Woodcock, Corvallie.
J R Smith, Lebanon.
A S Hammond, Grante Pass. R II Parmelee, Bloomington. Geo Rose, S F.

Go Rose, S.F.
O.H. Fithian, Chicago.
M. Wise, P. Prtland.
W. H. Russell, Eugene.
O. Seitz. Portland.
V. H. Good, S.F.
O.F. Schurches and J. G. F. Schurches and J. G. F. C. F. Schurches and J. G. G. F. Schur

OF Schmerker and wf, Portland. E S Crawford, Salem. E S Crawlord, Salem.
J L Skipton, "
J C Lewis, "
Cora Huddleston, Los Angeles.
L F Williams, Guveston, Ida.
H T Bruce, Portland.

Victor Brewer, Red Wing, Minn.

AG MoNes, Waterloo.
W W Martin, Forest Grove,
Jos Nicholls, Dilley.
A F Rogers, Portland,
M S Myere, N Y.
J M Woodraff, Portland,
W D Elkins and wf, Dallas,
U E Gorey, Portland,
L R Knowles, Or City,
Mrs Cole, Lebanon,
Geo Cochren, Tangent.

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A & Prompt, J B Ramsey, Sanford Englimy, Madison, His. Bruce Lucas, Scio, Jas S Reed, Portland, G W Ellis, Portland, T A Univert, Niagara.

The Canal.

Washingon, May 12.—Dr. T. H. Herran, Columbian Charge d'Affaires here, said today he had not been advised by his government that President Marroquin had resigned, as reported in dispatches from Panama.

If it shall appear shortly that the Commbian government is disposed to defer final action beyond the reasonable time mentioned in the Spooner act, the State department will at once endeavor to resone negotiations with Nicaragua and Costa Rica, with a view to secure control of the alternate route for a canal through these countries.

Sure Cure for Plies.