

Daily Democrat

Inquiry is made as to the manner the four territories of North and South Dakota, Montana and Washington are to be admitted into the union. Under the provisions of the bill the delegates to the conventions in each of the proposed new states are to be elected on the Tuesday after the first Monday in May next, and are to meet on July 4th. It is made the duty of the President to admit the four new states by proclamation if the constitutions formed are ratified at an election to be held on the first Tuesday in October. Each of the new states is to be entitled to one representative in Congress, except South Dakota, which is to be entitled to two. The admission of new states is always a highly interesting and important, as it is always an infrequent proceeding. In the course of the last quarter of a century only three states have been admitted—in the last decade and a half only one. The admission of the new states is of special interest at present, owing to its possible effect upon the balance of power between the two great parties.

It is best to bathe just before going to bed, as any danger of catching cold is thus avoided, and the complexion is improved by keeping warm for several hours after leaving the bath. A couple of pounds of bran put into a thin bag, and then in the bath tub, is excellent for softening the skin. It should be left to soak in a small quantity of water several hours before being used. The internal aids to a clear complexion are most of them well known, and the present season is the best for a thorough cleansing and purifying of the blood. The old-fashioned remedy of sulphur and molasses is considered among the best. Charcoal powdered and taken with water is said to be excellent, but it is the most difficult to take. A strictly vegetable and fruit diet is followed by many for one or two weeks.

Belgium still holds its own as the most drunken country of Europe. On an average each man, woman and child consumes yearly 240 quarts of beer and 13 quarts of spirits. It may be that Bavarians drink more beer than that and Russians more spirits, but taking both together the Belgian record is unrivalled. The Government is at last aroused to a sense of the evils of the situation, and some instructive laws are to be put in force. The right to collect by legal process debts incurred in drinking houses has been abolished; it is forbidden to sell drink to persons under sixteen years of age, and to sell any one liquor until he is drunk is made a crime. The effect of these laws will be looked for with interest. It can scarcely fail to be good.

General Sherman, in a chat with Major Stuart of Texas, said that once at Vicksburg a flag of truce accompanied by a squad of men came to his headquarters, and that when it was time for them to return he found "the Yanks and Johnnies" walking about with their arms about each other, calling one another by their first names and fraternizing immensely. "If they could do it then they certainly would now in national homes," remarked the General. General Sherman forgets one thing. Those men were the boys who did the fighting. The war now carried on is being conducted by men who did no fighting.

Both houses of Congress have passed a bill directing the attorney general, within six months after the passage of this act, to cause suits to be brought in the name of the United States in the United States circuit court for the district of Oregon, against all persons, firms and corporations claiming to own interest in lands granted to the state of Oregon to aid in the construction of different wagon roads in Oregon. The suits are to determine the question of seasonable and proper completion of the same roads, in accordance with the terms of the granting acts.

Mrs. W. W. Kittredge of Vinahayen, Me., claims the distinction of being the first person born in a United States lighthouse. That event took place forty-four years ago in the tower of Saddle Rock Light, (the dwelling house had not then been added,) situated in Penobscot Bay, between Fox Islands and Isle au Haut, upon a ledge large enough to hold the necessary buildings.

The phonograph is serving a number of uses. One instrument concealed under the coat was discovered to be employed surreptitiously in stealing the score of a new opera; it was ejected. Many phonographs, it is said, are being employed by a number of actors and actresses as automatic teachers of elocution. Through the instrument they obtain an exact idea of their vocal expressions, and learn by means of mimicry the precise qualities of their tones.

The Washington Democrat says: "E. B. McElroy, State Superintendent of public instruction, has been elected department commander of the G. A. R. for the department of Oregon. Mr. McElroy is a very smooth politician, and his election by the G. A. R. is of course proof positive that the G. A. R. is not an exclusively republican institution. They let the democratic members vote."

Several leaders of Chicago society who have spent considerable time abroad have started a series of French soirees and send the invitations to them in French. They wish to make Chicago society more chic.

By the impartial verdict of history Grover Cleveland, we are entirely confident, will be ranked among the greater Presidents of the United States, and this matured judgment of time will rest, not alone on his courage or his fidelity to a public trust, nor be due to the method and industry with which he discharged it, but upon the unquestioned ability of the man.

The Czar of Russia is growing so fat that he has become alarmed at his condition. He smokes a great deal and is always under a heavy nervous strain, but in spite of these flesh-reducing influences he continues to increase in weight. He has been advised by his physicians to try the Banting system.

The Panama Canal Company in paying up some of its men, found, that, owing to two men having been murdered, it became necessary to value the loss sustained by their relatives. Ten dollars apiece was the amount settled upon. Life in Panama apparently does not come very high.

Mr. Chandler's ear, since his little altercation with Judge Blackburn, has become quite as much of an object of curiosity in Washington as Katisha's elbow ever was in the Mikado's court.

Kansas City has beaten Chicago in the divorce record. Four divorces in six minutes were given in the Circuit Court of that city one day last week.

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NOTICE.—All persons are notified not to trust my wife, J. M. Long, on my account for I will not stand good for anything contracted by her. Solo, Jan. 31st, 1889. G. F. Lusk.