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State of Oregon) ss: Salem, Ore., Aug. 24, 1901.
County of Marion)

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To whom these presents shall come, Greeting.

About fourteen years since at nine years of age I met with an accident which caused an injury to my spine and pelvic bone which resulted in the formation of twisted shoulders and hips, a shortening of the waist and displacement of internal organs, and shortening of about two inches of one limb between the knee and hip.

In addition to the outward appearance of my body as above described in March 1900 I was taken with a severe attack of la grippe from the effect of which I suffered greatly with my lungs and heart, and when in May 1901 I came to and began treatment with Dr. J. P. Cook my condition was about as follows:— Could perform no manual labor, could not stoop to pick anything from the floor, could get about the house only with difficulty, and getting up stairs was next to impossible. Could use my limbs only with difficulty and one of them was much wasted. My nervous system was badly wrecked. Had cough and severe pain on lungs and heart, no appetite, could sleep only in broken spells, and in many ways suffered almost constant and unbearable agonies. In short I was as much dead as alive. Previously to my attack of la grippe I was treated over a period of years by many physicians to no effective purpose.

My personal appearance at this time is straight in the back as anyone. My wasted limb restored to normal size and but little more than half as long shorter than the other. Have been out of my invalid's den and can go to visits, one look after another with perfect ease. My waist is comfortable. Can stoop to the floor with ease. Can get about and do pretty much any and everything other well people can do. My appetite is splendid, I sleep soundly, and am absolutely free from pain.

Having lived in Dr. Cook's family for nearly a year I have seen much of the effect of his treatment upon others, and can truly and cheerfully recommend the doctor and his method of treatment to all in any way afflicted.

The doctor's treatment in this case was wholly confined to the treatment of the spine, and was absolutely unobtrusive. No resort to the use of knife, mechanical appliances or other method of treatment being employed.

Lillian Rosenbaum has lived in this vicinity about nine years.

At the instant signed, am personally acquainted with the above said and cheerfully subscribe to the truth of the foregoing statement.

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 24th day of Aug. 1901.

Attest.

W. W. HALL, County Clerk.

By A. McCulloch, Deputy.

SCHMITZ ASSUMES OFFICE

Frisco's Labor Union Mayor

Takes His Seat—And Announces Many new Appointments.

Naming Union Labor, Republicans and Democrats.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 8.—Mayor Phelan has retired and Mayor-elect Schmitz assumed office today. Mayor Schmitz announced the following appointments: Commissioner of public works, Michael Casey, Union labor party, president of the Teamsters' Union, and one of the leaders of the recent strike on the city water front.

Fire commissioner, J. S. Parry, a member of the bridge builders and pile drivers union and secretary of the Union Labor party. Police Commissioner, W. H. Hutton, Union labor, attorney of the sailors union and labor manager of the boats on Stowe Lake in Golden Gate Park and formerly in the theatrical business. School director, Alfred Roncovieri, Union Labor, a musician and a member of a theater orchestra. Election commissioner—Thos. Boyles, Democrat, business manager of the Evening Bulletin. Park commissioner—A. Altman, Republican, an artist. Member of the Board of Health—Dr. James W. Ward, Republican, a Homoeopath. Secretary to Mayor—Geo. R. Kean, a Republican lawyer.

RAILROAD INQUIRY ADJOURNED

Will Resume Its Sessions Jan. 24.

CHICAGO, Jan. 8.—Owing to the absence of necessary witnesses the inquiry of the Interstate Commerce Commission into the workings of the "community of interest" of the railroads was today postponed until January 24th. The commission adjourned to meet in Chicago on that date. President Harris of the Burlington, and Danis Miller, said to be slated for the traffic directorship of the Northwestern lines if their consolidation is not prevented, were present, as were a number of other railroad men. President J. J. Hill of the Great Northern and President C. S. Melan of the Northern Pacific will be examined. Chairman Knapp declared that if necessary, witnesses would be compelled by court subpoenas to attend.

ISTHMIAN CANAL DEBATE

Now Proceeding in the House Second Day.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—In the House the second day's debate of the Nicaragua canal bill was opened by Schackelford, of Missouri, a member of the committee which presented the bill. He spoke earnestly in advocacy of its passage. He did not like the Panama route but if the new proposition from the Panama Company offered advantages over the Nicaragua route he thought the President should have alternative authority to accept it.

NOTABLE BRITISH CAPTURE

Take a Laager Defended by Women.

CAPE TOWN, Jan. 8.—The latest capture by the Kimberly column is a Boer laager near Mokwani (Phokware) with great numbers of cattle guarded wholly by women under the leadership of the wife of Commandant Debeers.

New York, Jan. 8.—Commenting upon the situation in South Africa, the London correspondent of the Tribune says:

Lord Rhodes will entertain Cecil Rhodes at Montmore for a few days and will be brought into closer touch with the situation in South Africa. Speculators in mining shares are anxious to impress foreigners with the fact that there is a boom in the Kaffir market.

Prices have advanced intermittently during the last few weeks, but the movement is artificial, with speculative purchases with borrowed money other than solid investments.

Operators eager to work up excitement in the Kaffir market refer to the increasing demand for shares from Paris and New York, but the evidence of foreign investment is tainted with suspicion. The market is always strengthened when Mr. Rhodes is in London, for his optimism is infectious. Money is now cheap in the city and speculators' purchases of shares are easily financed.

Shaw will be Feted

DES MOINES, Jan. 8.—Arrangements for the big banquet to be given by the Grant Club of Des Moines to Leslie M. Shaw, upon his return from Washington are practically complete. It will be given at the Savoy and 350 prominent guests from all over the state will be present. The attendance has been limited to men on account of the great number who have signified their intention of being present. Governor A. B. Cummins will act as toastmaster. A reception committee of about 100 members has been announced. At its head is Ex-Governor Frank D. Jackson of Des Moines.

GUERRILLAS STILL FIGHTING

Nicaragua Helping Colombian Revolutionists.

Government Forces Confident of Success.

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—"Nicaragua continues to help the revolutionists," said Minister of War Concha in an interview with the Bogotá, Colombia correspondent of the Herald. "The revolution in the interior of the country is a Venezuelan affair. The situation is unchanged but we will have more well armed men on the frontier soon." "How long do you think the revolution will last, and why not make terms?" the Minister was asked.

"It is impossible to arrange terms," Minister Concha replied. "The revolutionary chiefs do not even agree among themselves, and they have no recognized leader with whom we can deal. The guerrillas are getting weaker and tired of fighting. They see no prospect of success. I expect the revolution to end within two months. We are strictly protecting the foreign mails. The government has repulsed all the revolutionary leaders after seven days of fighting."

Would Learn Our Methods

PARIS, Jan. 8.—Baron D'Estournelles de Constant, the well known French diplomat, member of the Chamber of Deputies and delegate of France to The Hague peace Conference, in informing the Associated Press that he has accepted the invitation of the City of Chicago to make an address there February 22, Washington's Birthday, adds that he has striven for a long time past to draw the attention of Frenchmen to the marvellous progress of the United States. Continuing the Deputy says: "We have schools in Italy and Greece to learn lessons of the past. We ought to establish similar schools in the United States to prepare for the future. I desire that Americans should know France and that Frenchmen should know America, because an understanding between the two countries would be a most precious guarantee of civilization and the world's peace."

Sheriff Slayer is Cornered

CARPER, Wyo., Jan. 8.—Deputy Sheriff Kennedy and men think they have Charles Woodard and one or more men implicated in killing Sheriff Ricker surrounded in McDougle's Gulch in the Battlement mountains. Thirty men are guarding against escape.

Shot by Crazy Chinaman

SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL.
PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 8.—Low John, a crazy Chinaman, shot Low Oa, a Butte City mining contractor in the body this eve. The result is doubtful.

The estate of John W. Hendrie, of California philanthropist amounted to \$243,855. A bequest of \$10,000 awaits his niece, Sarah Louisa Hendrie, who can not be found.

The entire province of Vilna, Russia, is under martial law owing to Polish agitation.

SCHWAB ON THE TRUSTS

He Says American Workmen Prosper

And are Better Because of Trusts.

Prophesies American Industrial Triumph.

PARIS, Jan. 8.—Le Journal prints an interview this morning with Charles M. Schwab, President of the United States Steel Corporation, who defends trusts as a necessary outcome of an advanced state of civilization. Mr. Schwab says that the countries where trusts do not exist are destined to abandon the struggle for commercial supremacy. He says that the trusts have nothing to fear from Socialism and that the American workmen are better paid and happier under the trust system. When people earn good wages, he says, their rights do not trouble them.

Mr. Schwab said further that the commercial power of the United States is unlimited and unlimitable. He says she would inundate France with her products and force the French industrial classes to abandon the struggle. America is only beginning. The old world has no idea what the United States will become a quarter of a century hence. All here belongs to the middle ages.

Mr. Schwab approves of the French plan of industrial schools in the United States, but expresses his fears that the graduates of these schools, when they return to France, will be paralyzed by the old ideas prevalent here and will do little or nothing. Le Journal also announces that it is in receipt of a letter from M. Lebaudy, denying any connection with the reported gift of \$1,000,000 to the University of Chicago for the establishment of a French school in connection with that institution.

CENTRAL AMERICAN CONFERENCE

Jan. 15 to Further Peace Methods.

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—According to the Monaghan, Nicaragua, correspondent of the Herald, the executives of the Central American States expect to meet January 15 at Corinto, Nicaragua, to confer on the subject of establishing more cordial relations between their respective republics and to devise means for assuring peace among them.

LIKE QUEEN VICTORIA

Edward VII Resembles Her in Many Ways.

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—The King's health is all that can be desired, if the court officials speak without reserve, cables the London correspondent of the Tribune. He refers constantly to the subject himself and seems bent upon preventing a revival of the sinister rumors which cost the tradesmen heavily when they were insuring the coronation stocks. What was once known as the "Prince of Wales" set has been restored to favor, if it was ever in danger of being excluded from the court, and the Queen welcomes at Sandringham all the King's old-time friends.

The King is described by officials as following closely his mother's manner in dealing with public business. He makes it a matter of conscience to read every document carefully and to ask for information if he does not understand it. He takes every detail of the business of reigning as seriously and methodically as she was in the habit of doing, and uses many of her characteristic expressions.

IOWA SUCKERS HOOKED

The Innocent Farmer Worked Once More.

INDEPENDENCE, Ia. Jan. 8.—A scheme to defraud scores of farmers in this part of Iowa has come to light. It is estimated that had the plan succeeded the promoters would have cleared about \$25,000 as notes representing that amount have

been sent to the bank at Jessup, in this county, for collection.

Three months ago a stranger, giving the name of John Smith, covered the western and northern portions of the county and obtained farmers' signatures for various causes. He secured the signatures of at least 200 farmers and possibly more. On Monday a large number of the wealthy signers received notices from a Chicago law firm notifying them to meet certain notes. At the bank were promissory notes to the amount of \$14,000 for collection, bearing the names of about seventy men.

The notes revealed the scheme. Blank sheets of paper were signed and promissory notes were printed at the top afterwards. The farmers are united in their efforts to fight the case and the best of legal counsel has been retained.

Butte Mines Re-Open

BUTTE, Mont., Jan. 8.—The Anaconda mine, with the exception of the Never-sweet, resumed operations yesterday morning. The Anaconda and the St. Lawrence have been closed about 10 days pending repairs. It is understood that as soon as the hoisting engine can be placed, the Never-sweet will commence operations. These mines furnish employment to about 2500 men.

GERMAN OUTLOOK GLOOMY

Kaiser's Speech From the Throne.

Overflows With Dismal Forebodings.

BERLIN, Jan. 8.—The speech from the throne read by the Imperial chancellor, Count Von Buelow, at the opening of the Prussian diet today took a gloomy view of the economic situation. It pointed out that revenues from the state railroads in 1901, fell considerably short of the estimates and also states that the results of the financial year are disappointing. The concluding portion of Emperor William's speech pointed to the necessity of adopting measures against the agitation in the Polish districts of East Prussia and promised that the government would fulfill its duty in cultivating the German national spirit in that region and combating with firmness all tendencies hostile to the state.

A DUEL AND A JOKE.

Count Boni de Castellane's First Duel.

Count Boni de Castellane's first duel was when he had just come from school. And as he was, he could ride, shoot and handle a sword, but he was still very young, very luscious, rather green. At the club to which he had just been admitted some of the men, whom life made cynical, began to gush him. It was easy to stir up his anger, for they chattered scandal about a woman he knew. He pulled over the table and struck one of the men. The next day he received a challenge. In good faith he selected two good clubmen as his seconds. In all this the club fellows saw only a joke, and when the arrangements were hurried and the two opponents stood face to face in a meadow near the Seine the pistols were loaded with blackened bread crumbs.

"One, two, three!" They fired together. The clubman gave a great cry and fell to the ground groaning.

"He's fatally wounded—dying!" the seconds exclaimed, choking with laughter.

De Castellane felt the heart in him run away like water. He had killed a man. It was not possible!

"Dead?" he asked anxiously.

"Yes," said the corpse and sat up grinning.

The seconds looked at the laughing clubman and saw the joke they had played on him. He stooped and caught the corpse by the ankle, dragged it a bit and with a sudden jerk tossed it ten feet into the river.

"Then I'll bury it," said he.

As the clubman crawled from the river, dripping mud and water, they decided the joke was on him.—Saturday Evening Post.

Both Rather Filippine.

There is a curious parallelism between two stories told respectively of the late Mr. Spurgeon and of Dean Swift.

Mr. Spurgeon, on hearing of the devastation wrought by an earthquake in Essex, merely remarked, "I am glad to hear that my country is moving at last."

The dean of St. Patrick's, Dublin, was watching with a friend the roof of a building on which several men were at work fixing slates. Suddenly one of the men vanished. Thereupon the dean turned to his companion and said, "I like to see a man go quickly through his work."

His Usefulness.

"Cholly doesn't seem to be of much use in the world."

"Oh, I don't know; he makes a nice cigarette holder."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Couldn't Use Him.

Cholly—So you think I am too slow for any use?

She—Yes. You don't even make the other young men jealous.—Smart Set.

TWENTY EIGHT DEAD

In Terrible New York Tunnel Collision

Many Scalded by Escaping Steam.

While Pinned in Debris of the Wreck.

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—A collision between trains occurred today in the New York Central Railroad tunnel at Fifty sixth street and Park Avenue in which at least 28 persons were killed or injured. The trains were an accommodation on the New York, New Haven and Hartford road from Norwalk, Conn., and the White Plains local on the New York and Harlem branch of the New York Central.

The Norwalk local consisted of five crowded cars. At Fifty-sixth street it was stopped by a signal, in a few minutes the big engine of the White Plains local crashed into the rear passenger coach splitting it and driving portions of it into the next car. Steam from the engines badly scalded many persons in the wrecked cars. The crash was heard by the residents of the neighborhood, and enormous crowds collected. Clouds of steam arose from the air holes of the tunnel making rescue difficult. The injured were lifted out by ropes or were carried through the tunnel.

LATER—At 11 o'clock the railroad officials placed the number of dead at fifteen, including one woman. List of dead: A. G. Talton, New Rochelle; H. G. Diamond, New Rochelle; Geo. Potter, New Rochelle; Albert M. Perrin, New Rochelle; H. G. Thomas, New York; A. E. Mills, New York. A man said to be Oscar Meyrowitz, optician, of New York City and a man believed to be D. C. Finkoff, of New Rochelle.

By the last reports received seventeen persons were killed, and forty injured, twelve seriously. The engineer and fireman of the White Plains local and the tower man were arrested. District Attorney Jerome, will personally direct the investigation, and endeavor to fix the blame for the disaster.

Another Smashup.

SALT LAKE, U. S. Jan. 8.—A freight train on the Rio Grande Western Ry. and a work train collided near Roy Station ten miles south of Ogden in a thick fog this morning. Fireman Frank Cowell, of Salt Lake was instantly killed. The injured are: James Woolwine, brakeman, fatal; J. O. McNickle, engineer, severe; J. C. Frazer, Clinton, Utah, slight.

Presidential Nominations

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—President Roosevelt has sent the following nominations to the Senate: Leslie M. Shaw, Secretary of the Treasury; Henry C. Payne, Postmaster General; John S. Broedland, of Missouri, Minister resident and consul general to Liberia; Alphonso J. Lepianoso, New York; Consul at Tuxpan, Mexico; Treasury, Conrad N. Jordan assistant Treasurer of the United States New York, George W. Whitehead, appraiser of merchandise for New York; W. S. Graham, surveyor

ASYLUM BIDS ARE OPENED

For Supplies for Next Six Months.

The Board of Trustees for the State Insane Asylum today opened bids for the year's supplies. The work of listing and comparing the bids received will occupy several days, as the bidders are numerous and the prices close. The bidders are principally Salem and Portland firms.

Groceries.

Syrup—3,000 gal. first grade, 33½¢; second, 30½¢; third 28½¢.
One firm quotes Costa Rica coffee at 9-20 cents per pound; Java at 14-19-20 and Mocha at 15-19-20. Granulated sugar at \$4.90 per cwt.
Harritt & Lawrence bid for white beans at \$3.70 and \$3.90. Japan rice at \$4.05 and \$4.95.
The contract for flour went to the Salem Milling Co. at \$2.55.
John Hughes quotes standard rolled oats at 3½¢ cents and fancy flakes at 3½¢ cents; cream white at 2½¢, corn meal at 2-6-10.

Bids on Meats.

The bids on meats were presented by E. C. Cross and F. W. Steadloff of this city:
Cross—3,000 lbs ham, 13½¢; 1,500 lbs Hkft Bacon, 14½¢; 1,000 lbs heavy bacon 12½¢; 600 lbs beef per day, \$8.45; 300 lbs mutton per day, \$8.45.
Steadloff—3,000 lbs ham, 12¢; 1,500 lbs breakfast bacon, 13¢, 1,500 lbs heavy bacon, 12¢; 600 lbs beef per day, \$8.25; 300 lbs mutton, \$8.25.
On pure cider vinegar Moody 25 cents Stolz 14 cents.
The comparative prices on Japan rice were, Weller Bros, 5.05; Roth & Graber 4.95 and 4.05; Harritt & Lawrence, 4.87 and John Hughes, 4.87.

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Ayer's Hair Vigor doesn't suddenly restore color to your gray hair; but gradually the old color comes back—all the dark, rich color it used to have. It stops falling of the hair, too, and will often make the hair grow to be very long and heavy.

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H. All druggists. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

Mrs. Kincaid, of Seattle, who was thrown from a trolley near the Mexico line Monday afternoon by the lightning of the team, died last night. A fracture of her skull caused death.

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