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X-RAYS

The Panama canal management needs spraying.

There is one great reason why Rogers will not be jugged for contempt of court. It is \$\$. . . .

Up to date the Panama canal has cost only about \$70,000,000, but it is not completed, yet. . . .

The weather man says light flurries of snow tonight. He must have forgotten that he is talking about Oregon. . . .

The governor was caned in his office this afternoon by those who were with him on the recent invasion of California by Beavers. Oh, bats, Webfeet. . . .

Croup

Begins with the symptoms of a common cold; there is a chilliness, sneezing, sore throat, hot skin, quick pulse, hoarseness and impeded respiration. Give frequent small doses of Ballard's Horehound Syrup, (the child will cry for it) and at the first sign of a croupy cough, apply frequently Ballard's Snow Liniment to the throat. Mrs. A. Vliet, New Castle, Colo. writes, March 15, 1902: I think Ballard's Horehound Syrup a wonderful remedy and so pleasant to take. For sale by D. J. Fry, Salem, Oregon.

To Put Church on Business Basis.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 13.—The national business men's conference of the United Presbyterian church, which was called together some time ago, opened its session here today. Several hundred delegates, representing United Presbyterian churches in all parts of the country, are in attendance. The object of the conference is to devise a plan for placing the management of the church upon a strict business basis, and to secure its future financially and otherwise in accordance with 20th century methods and ideas.

Court-Martial Resumed.

Annapolis, Md., Feb. 13.—The court-martial which has been engaged in trying midshipmen on charges of hazing at the military academy and adjourned on February 1, resumed its work today.

Adjournment was not taken until the day after graduation, to give the members of the graduating class, against whom charges had been filed, a chance to graduate before the trial against them was begun. The trials will probably consume several weeks.

Would Return Dubois.

Washington, Feb. 13.—If all the Republicans of Idaho were of my mind our legislature would send Senator Fred Dubois back to Washington on the expiration of his term," said Mr. William F. Kottenback, president of the Lewiston National Bank of Lewiston, Idaho, at the Raleigh this morning.

"As it is, unless the unexpected happens, the successor or Mr. Dubois is apt to be a Republican, and it looks now as though the toga would fall on the shoulders of W. E. Borad, a very brilliant speaker and able lawyer of Boise."

The Cannery on Pure Food.

Atlantic City, N. J., Feb. 13.—The joint convention of the canned goods interests of this country, which opened here today, is one of the most important gatherings of this kind ever held, and it attracting considerable attention. Packers and canners, jobbers, manufacturers in canning machinery, representatives of the National Canned Goods and Dried Fruit Brokers' Association and others are represented in the joint convention. There is also an interesting exhibition in connection with the convention at Young's Pier. The joint session will be held at the Hotel Rudolf, where the headquarters are located. Each organization represented will also hold separate conventions in separate halls. The pure food problem will be one of the most important subjects for discussion.

Dr. Stone's Drug Store
does a strictly cash business, owes no one, and no one owes it; carries large stock; its shelves, counters and show-cases are loaded with drugs, medicines, notions, toilet articles, wines and liquors of all kinds for medical purposes. Dr. Stone is a regular graduate in medicine and has had many years of experience in the practice. Consultations are free. Prescriptions are free, and only regular prices for medicine. Dr. Stone can be found at his drug store, Salem, Oregon, from 9 in the morning until 9 at night.

Smiles

A few gentle, early and distinct frosts fell last night. . . .

C. A. Johns showed himself a natural campaign orator. . . .

One A. Lincoln was once asked how long good Republican's legs ought to be. He replied they should reach at least from his body to the ground. . . .

When the best men from Eastern Oregon and the best men from Western Oregon come together and make a ticket that all can support, nothing can stop it. . . .

In spite of a popular show in town, in spite of a delayed train that kept away thirty people from the south, there were 350 people at the Lincoln day banquet. . . .

Now let us make a good legislative ticket. Don't go to running men out of the Republican party because they have taken statement No. 1. And they can be good Republicans if they don't take it. . . .

Klamath Republican: The Smith Sisters, the new proprietors of the Lakeview Herald, announce that the Herald will be absolutely and fearlessly independent in all things. This is not only the custom but a privilege, which all men grant, and expect from the ladies. . . .

Walter Lincoln Tooze shone forth as the campaign orator. The French Prairie man had a carrying voice, he did not forget the Grand Army nor the protective tariff, without which there isn't much to any man's Republicanism. The Grand Army will not forget Walter Lincoln Tooze. . . .

A man don't have to be a college president to become a statesman. Read Lincoln's biography in the congressional record, when he was congressman in 1854. "Born in Kentucky, 1809. Education defective. Profession lawyer. Country postmaster. Had extended experience splitting rails." Walter Tooze should take heart. . . .

It arouses energy, develops and stimulates nervous life, arouses the courage of youth. It makes you young again. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. 35c, Tea or Tablets. At Dr. Stone's Drug Store.

Master Painters and Decorators Meet.

Birmingham, Ala., Feb. 13.—More than 1500 delegates from all parts of the country are in attendance at the annual convention of the Master Painters and Decorators of America, which opened here this morning at the City Hall. The morning session was almost entirely devoted to welcoming addresses and the enrollment of the delegates. There will be another meeting in the afternoon and in the evening a reception at the Hotel Billman.

Tomorrow morning there will be a short business session, which will be followed by a trolley excursion of the delegates. Luncheon will be served at Ensign. A furnace party will be given in the evening. On Thursday there will be a barbecue at the State Fair grounds, followed by a cake walk and dance in the main exhibition building. In the afternoon a carriage ride will be given the women of the party and a stag smoker for the men. At night the delegates and their ladies will be the guests of the local members at a theater party. The convention will close Friday Friday afternoon.

Nervous Diseases

Are successfully treated by Osteopathy. Dr. B. H. White, room 21, Brynman building, is a successful practitioner. He has had a large practice for several years.

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Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D., 1896. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public. (Seal)
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo O.
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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought



Overcoat Sale

For one more week we will keep our overcoats at the reduced price. You won't need much money to avail yourself of the advantages of this sale.

- \$20.00 Overcoats now\$14.50
- \$18.00 Overcoats now\$13.00
- \$16.50 Overcoats now\$11.50
- \$15.00 Overcoats now\$10.00

Young Men's Clothes

Come in and see what excellent things are offering at little prices. This is the time of year we give our young men customers a benefit. Nice all-wool and worsted suits from the ages of 14 to 20 now reduced

- \$7.00 to \$8.75 suits now \$5.00
- \$9.00 to \$11.75 suits now \$7.00
- \$12.00 to \$15.00 suits now \$9.00

Salem Woolen Mill Store

DINING CARS FOR SOLDIERS

Washington, Feb. 13.—When the Eighth Infantry moves to San Francisco to embark for the Philippines, the last of this month, the men will find an innovation in the method of providing meals on the journey across the continent. Heretofore at various stations along the route the soldiers were compelled to take their stand alongside lunch counters and railway eating houses and get what they could to eat. But this trip inaugurates the plan of carrying a buffet on each train.

Each baggage car will be fitted with an army range, No. 4, and all the paraphernalia necessary to cooking. Each train will have a tank of 120 gallons of water, in addition to two 20-gallon coffee boilers. Arrangements have been made by which the railroad companies have agreed to furnish water and coal. This matter of subsistence for troops while being transported by railroad is a serious one, and has been under advisement for some time. Quartermaster General Humphrey has been active in the inauguration of a "dining car service," and this experiment will be under the supervision of a board of officers appointed by him. This board will make a report on the feasibility of train cooking on this trip, and then the department will determine whether its permanent adoption for troops traveling on long journeys will be for the best interests of the service.

William Williams Hanged.

Minneapolis, Minn., Feb. 13.—Wm. Williams, condemned to death for the murder of John Keller, of St. Paul, last April, was executed by hanging in the Ramsey county jail in St. Paul early this morning. Under the new law, which prohibits the presence of spectators at any hanging, excepting the officials of the court and jail, the members of the jury and some other

legal witnesses, Sheriff Mieson refused permits to hundreds of persons who wished to be present at the hanging. The preparations for the hanging had been made very carefully and there was not the least hitch in the proceedings. During his confinement in the jail Williams wrote a history of his life, which covers 32 pages of closely written manuscript. The history has been revised by Sheriff Mieson and will probably be published for the benefit of the heirs of the executed murderer. Williams met his fate with stoical resignation and slept well the night before his execution.

British Unemployed for Canada.

London, Feb. 13.—Fifty of the 200 families which Lord Rothschild proposes to colonize at his own expense in Canada, to relieve the situation among the large number of unemployed in Great Britain, sailed today for their destination. The emigrants received clothes and food, the cost of passage, and will find situations awaiting them upon their arrival in Canada, with sufficient sums of money to guard them against emergencies. The total cost for each adult is placed at \$50, which must be repaid in installments. It is expected that when the allotted fund has been repaid 200 additional families will be sent to Canada under the same conditions. Agents who have made an investigation by order of Lord Rothschild report that there are openings in Canada for 10,000 respectable persons.

Will Discuss Pure Food Laws.

Bloomington, Ill., Feb. 13.—Between 200 and 300 retail merchants of this state are in attendance at the annual state convention of the Illinois Retail Merchants' Association, which met here this morning in the assembly room of the Illinois Hotel. The convention was called to order by President John J. Pitts, of the Business Men's Association of Bloomington. Mayor James S. Neville welcomed the members on behalf of the city and H. C. Cormick, of Centralia, responded on behalf of the members of the association. Then the president delivered his annual address,

and the treasurer submitted his annual report. After the convention had appointed the usual committees it took a recess for luncheon.

In the afternoon session the report of the committee on credentials will be submitted and the recommendations of the president's annual address will be discussed. Then a discussion of other important matters, like the passage of pure food laws, railroad rates, etc., will follow. In the evening the members will attend a theater party at Castle Theater. The convention will last three days. The afternoon of the last day will be devoted to sight seeing.

Ladies, read this catalogue of charms. Bright eyes, glowing cheeks, red lips, smooth skin without a blemish, in short, perfect health. For sale with every package Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea, 35 cents. Dr. Stone's Drug Store.

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Reading for 50c

For the benefit of the lady clerks and other young people of Salem who are unable to afford the higher price, Madame Zazell has decided to reduce her fee and the cost of a reading. So tonight, all day Wednesday and all day Thursday she will charge but 50 cents for her regular \$1.00 reading.

Madame Zazell has remarkable powers and reveals the hidden things to you. She can be consulted on business matters or love affairs, speculations or about anything that troubles you. This reduced price is an opportunity that all should take advantage of. Office next to Edison theatre. Hours 10 a. m. till 9 p. m.

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HAPPY NEWS

Our women's Oxfords never fail to please the most critical eye. They have a gracefulness and dash of style that all women like. The shoe is a very important item of a woman's dress, for it enhances or detracts from her entire costume. If you want a handsome, artistic and skillfully made shoe, take a look at our new spring styles. They will please you.

Remember Our Spring Opening--Wednesday, St. Valentine's Day.

A special invitation is extended to all. STEGE SISTERS' ORCHESTRA will furnish music from 1 to 6 p. m. Remember a free valentine awaits all who visit our store on opening day.

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