

There will be no war if the Japanese government can help it ,but the mikado may be no more able to prevent war than President McKinley. was in 1908.

The battle-ship fleet is coming here for the better protection of American interests in the Pacific and everybody knows that is is only such a reasonable precaution as any nation which maintains a fleet at all would exercise.

It is not a ground of offense to any nation, and if any nation makes It a ground of offense it is because it desires and intends to do things to us which a big fleet would probably would prevent.

And we do not believe that the Japanese government has any such intent.

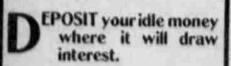
And whenever the ships go back which do go back, we presume that they will go by the Suez canal and on the way pay such a friendly visit to Japanese waters as that which some Japanese ships have been paying in Hampton roads.

THE ALLEN STOCK COMPANY, good old stock days when comedy,

To Be the Attraction at the Grand **Opera House All Next Week**.

Stock Company is about to take its departure for California where they will spend the winter. Having two nia engagement Mr. Allen, the manager, decided to play one of them in Astoria and the other here. Of the Astoria engagement which opened last Monday night the "Astoriaa" has the following comment:

"The opera house was crowded last night at the initial performance of the Allen Stock company, the play given followed in the lines of the



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pathos and sentiment was expressed. "The company produced "That Girl From Texas' and the stellar role was played by Miss Verna Felton

After having played continously who showed herself as a most capain Portland for 54 weeks the Allen ble leading lady, holding her audience with her elever conception and handling of the part, in a most pleasant atmosphere; she varied weeks to spend before their Califor- from the lighter moods to the more effective ones with such an ease as to be a delight and treat for all who witnessed the play

"Mr. Irving Kennedy proved himself worthy of his part as Lord Arthur and carried it through with much skill.

"As Hans, the eccentric German, Mr. Seabury made the real fun of the piece and as a comedian, touched the humorous side of his part, giving all its points.

"Mr. Ayres played Shaun McCrey effectively, displaying no effort, but that of case and grace.

"The company as a whole is strong, precise in their work and absolutely in all their details."

The company commences it's engagement at the Grand opera house next Monday night in the delightful comedy "That Girl from Texas," with Miss Verna Felton in the stellar. role. Each night during the week a new bill will be presented, and a meritorious performance is assured. Although popular prices will prevail, the plays will be put on in a much better manner than some of the higher priced productions that have been seen here.

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commanding appearance was given in marriage by her father. Her gown of white elysee cloth, with an underdress of white chiffon over satin, was made in the empire style and very becoming to her style of beauty. Her vell was held in place by a coronet

of diamonds and pearls, and she carried a bouquet of white asters with fern. The other members of the wedding party were Dudley Randolph Clark, who was best man, and Jack Latourette, John Kerr and Gordon Moores, who acted as ushers.

The reception was held at the Irvington home of the Chamberlains' and was attended by the relatives and immediate friends. Among those who attended from this city were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Gatens and Mrs. Stelton, of the executive department, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Cannon, Mrs. E. C. Patton, Miss Mina Parrish, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stockton, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Gatch of Salem, and Misses Jones and Mrs. Rankin of Labish Meadows.

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For a Winter's Visit.

Miss Genevieve Potter, a graduate of the '07 class of the Salem high school, left Tuesday evening for an extended Eastern trip, going first to Victoria and Vancouver, B. C. Her next stop will be made in St. Paul and Minneapolis, where she will visit friends. She will also visit friends in Lansing, Michigan, and then leave by way of Niagara Falls for Washington, D. C., where she will spend some time before leaving for Jamestown, where, after a short stay, she will go to Boston to spend the winter with her uncle, T. J. Potter, On her return trip in the spring she will visit most of the principal cities of the South

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the Board of Trade rooms. After the fair is over demonstrations will be continued at the latter place, and be made up into designs to suit the overyone interested is invited to inspect the invention.

The Limit of Life.

The most eminent medical scientists are unanimous in the conclusion that the generally accepted limitation of human life is many years the advanced knowledge of which the race is now possessed. The critical period, that determines its duration, seems to be between 50 and 60; the proper care of the body during this decade cannot be too strongly urged; carclessness then being fatal to logevity. Nature's best helper after 50 is Electric Bitters, the scientific tonic medicine that revitalizes every organ of the body. Guaranteed by J. C. Perry, druggist, 50c

-0-A Cow Shot.

An interesting case occurred near this city last evening. Here is the version of it given the Democrat: A cow of Mrs. Hunley got into the garden of Mr. Schwatka. John Schwatka finally got his gun and shot the cow twice. Mrs. Hunley demanded the price of the cow, \$40. The young man came to town consulted a lawyer and telephoned his father to pay for the cow, which though filled with shot, will probably live, and this was done and the matter dropped .--- Albany Democrat.

An Ounce of Prevention

Is worth a pound of cure. There are many poor sufferers, consumptives who are hopeless of getting wellwho, if they had taken care of themselves, would now be well. A cough is the foundation of consumption. Ballard's Horehound Syrup will cure that cough. Mrs. S-. Great Falls, Montana, writes: "I have used Ballard's Horehound Syrup in my family for years-my children never suffer with coughs." Sold by D. J. Fry.

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The stock rooms are being filled up rapidly with all styles of fixtures and material in the rough which will

trade. Including in the \$10,000 order which was placed in the east several weeks ago, are some of the most elegant goods to be seen on the and you'll nevar bother with coast. Many bronze life size statues it done at home again. Time are now in the show room, the orig- when every family could not a inal of which cost from fifty to one to send the washing to a lat

hundred thousand dollars. Over 500 but times have changed-so. below the attainment possible with bins have been constructed in which have the methods and prices. to keep the various designed fixtures.

> The polishing department is fitted with the heaviest buffers, and ing, rough dry, or finished. with automatic iron saws and air pumps.

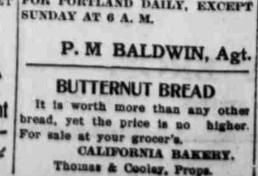
The assembly room is equipped with lathes, drills, brazing machines and brass designing saws and the plating department machinery is probably not excelled on the coast. The large plating tanks are capable

of turning out \$500 worth of work per day. The plant contains all the latest machinery and equipments including a photographic department and will probably soon be doing a business that will bring thousands of dollars into the city.



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