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## Early Arrivals

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- New Scrims
- New Lace Curtains
- New Hats for Men
- New Shoes for Women
- New Shoes for Men
- New Loop Blouses for Boys
- New Yazoo Suspenders for Boys

## MEDFORD HAS MINING CONGRESS

[UNITED PRESS LEARNED WIRE]  
Medford, Or., Feb. 2.—With nearly 200 delegates present, the semi-annual session of the Southern Oregon and Northern California Mining congress opened in this city today. The exhibit of ore from this district is the largest and most comprehensive ever gathered in this section and represents nearly 200 mines.  
Two days will be devoted to the congress. Many addresses will be made, many of them by mining men of wide experience. The congress has for its purpose the matter of arousing interest in the mineral resources of Southern Oregon and Northern California and aid in their development.  
While mining has been going on in this district for more than 60 years, it is conceded that with the exception of placer mines, all mining has been by pocket hunters, who have worked for the greater part, near the surface. Over \$150,000,000 in gold has been mined, however from the district represented by this congress.  
Medford has made great preparations for the entertainment of the delegates.

### INSPECT CONCRETE PAVEMENT.

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Riggs says it must have shrunk some, as he put the measure on all the work, and it was none of it less than six inches when put down. The best engineers say concrete does not shrink over one-eighth to three-sixteenths of an inch to the solid cubic foot. Only a few places on Asylum avenue are showing any soft spots, and they were inspected by a Mr. Smith, who was appointed by the city council while Mr. Laffy was East, and are due mainly to bad drainage, and not to any fault of the contractors. Asylum avenue, Fourteenth street and North Winter streets are about the best concrete jobs in the city.  
The concrete work on Twelfth street has some bad places between Mission and Bellevue. Enough was shown to the committee to warrant the necessity of an official investigation, and that will probably be ordered by the city council at the next meeting.

## DECIDE TO PUT IN FERRY TEMPORARILY

After considering at length the proposition of rebuilding the Green bridge which was washed away during the recent flood, the board of county commissioners prior to adjourning Wednesday afternoon, decided to install a ferry temporarily. The bridge washed away was an old structure and it is the intention of members of the board, when they build another, to make it of such a character that it will last for years to come. Probably by fall the board will be in a position to build the bridge.  
The board also considered the Newberg bridge matter. Prior to building this bridge, the board of this county and also the board of Linn county desire the citizens to build a road on this side of the river. Fifteen hundred dollars have already been subscribed for the road, and it is predicted that in the next few days it will be swelled to \$2,000. When the subscription is raised, the boards will begin preparations to build the bridge. It will cost about \$90,000 half being appropriated by this county and half by Linn county.

## MAKES COLDS OR GRIPPE VANISH

You can surely end grippe and break up the most severe cold either in head, chest, back, stomach or limbs, by taking a dose of Pape's Cold Compound every two hours until three consecutive doses are taken. It promptly relieves the most miserable headache, dullness, head and nose stuffed up, feverishness, sneezing, sore throat, mucous catarrhal discharges, running of the nose, soreness, stiffness and rheumatic twinges. Take this harmless compound as directed, without interference with your usual duties and with the knowledge that there is no other medicine made anywhere else in the world, which will cure your cold or grippe misery as promptly and without any other assistance or bad after-effects as a 25-cent package of Pape's Cold Compound, which any druggist in the world can supply.  
Pape's Cold Compound is the result of three years' research at a cost of more than \$50,000, and contains no quinine, which we have conclusively demonstrated is not effective in the treatment of colds or grippe.

### STATE NEWS.

Benjamin Guthridge a resident of Klamath Falls for 25 years, died at his home there Wednesday.  
The "Quelle," the Portland resort famous for years for its crawfish, is to go out of existence this week.  
The home of Mrs. Sarah Jeffries, at Newport, and all its contents, were destroyed by fire Thursday afternoon.  
Two soft drink places in Grants Pass were raided Thursday, and a quantity of "wet" goods were found. At Portland yesterday 26 horses were saved with difficulty from a burning stable.  
Mrs. Anna Maria Smith, aged 84, and a pioneer of 1852, died at Forest Grove Tuesday.  
The conference of Episcopal ministers in session at Albany for three days, adjourned Wednesday night. All the Episcopal ministers in the valley were present.  
The round-up of the Northwest Frontier association will be held at Pendleton September 26, 27, 28.

### HUNDREDS OF DEFUNCT CORPORATIONS

"We are accumulating some first-class evidence of the need of some kind of supervision of Oregon corporations," said Secretary of State Olcott today. "For the past two months we have been sending out notices calling attention to the delinquency of corporations in paying license fees and filing the annual reports required by law," he continued. "Within a week of the time that the first of these notices went out we began to receive by telephone, by postal, memoranda on the margin of the form letters we had mailed, and in other ways, notices that 'this corporation has been out of business for a year,' 'in the hands of a receiver,' 'bankrupt,' 'busted,' 'never organized and stockholders are scattered so that we cannot hold a meeting to dissolve,' 'defunct,' and other melancholy comment in relation to corporations that were organized on wind, capitalized on hope and starved to death for want of suckers. Within the past 30 days we have received probably not less than 100 notes and letters of the kind indicated. Today the corporation department has seven of these letters for consideration. In a great many cases the letters of this office have been returned because the postal officials have been unable to locate the defunct corporations or any person even remotely connected with them. Many Corporations Fail.  
"On January 3 there was filed in this office an executive proclamation dissolving 500 delinquent Oregon corporations. There are now 15884 domestic corporations of record in this office, of which only about 6,000 are actively engaged in business, the other 11,000 having been dissolved or being now in the throes of dissolution. Not all of these were dissolved because they were failures or swindlers, many of them having conducted a profitable and legitimate business and having been voluntarily dissolved in the manner provided by law after having wound up their business. However, there are thousands of little headstones in the corporation graveyard that mark the fast resting places of corporations that died a-borning and would never have seen the light of day if Oregon had had some such law as the 'Blue Sky' act now in force in Kansas. There is a strong sentiment in favor of some such law in Oregon and I expect to see this sentiment crystallized into some beneficial corporation legislation at the next session."

### How Cold Affects the Kidneys.

Avoid taking cold if your kidneys are sensitive. Cold congests the kidneys, throws too much work upon them, and weakens their action. Serious kidney trouble and even Bright's disease may result. Strengthen your kidneys, get rid of the pain and soreness, build them up by the timely use of Foley Kidney Pills. They will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more. Red Cross Pharmacy (H. Jerman).

### DISTRESS SIGNALS.

Pale, wan, nervous people, with distress signals constantly flying, recall to us the great carelessness which the American people evince in dealing with the supremely important question of health. We proudly claim to be a nation of workers—men, women and children with fixed purposes and the mental and physical energy to carry them out. The history of the world has never recorded such grand achievements and such a sacrifice of vitality in accomplishing them. And, it is all needless. The brain is the organ from which proceeds the brilliancy of thought, the great mental processes, inventive and executive, which have startled the world. Still, this marvelous brain is like the infant in its nurse's arms, nourished and directed by the stomach.  
Cooper's New Discovery restores to all the organs the natural operations upon which health, strength and vitality must depend. By the use of Cooper's New Discovery, dyspepsia, indigestion, biliousness, flatulency, gastritis, liver and kidney troubles, insomnia, bad dreams, constipation and other bowel disorders are invariably eradicated from the system.  
Cooper's New Discovery is on sale at J. C. Perry's Drug store.

### NOSE STOPPED UP WITH CATARRH

A Common Sense Treatment for Catarrh and Asthma Gives Instant Relief.  
No matter how miserable you are with catarrh or a cold in the head, nose stopped up, throat sore, eyes running, dull pain in the head, dry cough, fever, breath foul, Ely's Cream Balm will give you instant relief.  
It gets right at the root of the trouble, cleanses, heals and strengthens the raw, sore membranes, stops the nasty discharge so that you are not constantly blowing the nose and spitting. In a few minutes after application you can feel it doing its work of clearing the head, the pain and soreness are relieved, the breathing becomes natural and the stuffed up feeling is gone. This cleansing, healing, antiseptic balm contains no mercury, cocaine or other harmful drugs. It is easy to apply, pleasant to use, and never fails to give relief, even in the worst cases.  
Never neglect a cold, and don't suffer the miseries of catarrh, nor disgust your friends with your hacking, spitting and foul breath. Get a 50-cent bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist, and start the treatment at once. You will find that it will be the best investment you ever made. If you prefer a spray, ask for Ely's (Liquid) Cream Balm.  
It is easy to give people good advice. The hard part comes in furnishing the brains necessary to act upon it.

# The South -

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To mention the South is to suggest "good cooking." The South is the home of Cottolene, and more of the product is used there in proportion to the population than in any other part of the country. This is simply because Southerners know that cotton oil is a pure, vegetable product, and the best cooking fat known. Cottolene is made from choice, refined cotton oil, and packed in sealed, air-tight tin pails to insure its cleanliness and freshness.  
Why take chances with lard and inferior imitations when you can get Cottolene—the original cotton oil cooking fat—and still the best, most healthful, most economical in the market?  
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