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REPUBLICAN CITY TICKET.

For Mayor, F. W. Waters.
For Recorder, W. A. Moores.
For Marshal, Thos. E. Cornelius.
For Treasurer, Frank Meredith.

Aldermen.

First Ward—H. A. Johnson.
Second Ward—Clair A. Baker.
Third Ward—Paul Wallace.
Fourth Ward—J. C. Goodale, Jr.
Fifth Ward—C. A. H. Fisher.
Sixth Ward—John Knight.
Seventh Ward—Lee Acheson.
Election December 5th.

SALEM SUNDAY CLOSING.

By a conference with the mayor of this city and the president of the Commercial Club, Salem saloons have closed on Sunday for some time.

The editor of this paper, who is president of the Commercial Club, is being misrepresented by persons who call themselves good people for having done this.

Misrepresentation never yet accomplished the downfall of a good cause, and a substitution of good business tactics for litigation and prosecution ought to be commended.

So far as The Journal is able to learn, the saloon men have kept the Sunday agreement to the letter and in good faith. Their employes favor Sunday closing, and many of the saloon men themselves favor it.

Salem Sunday closing was never accomplished in this city before, and all who believe in keeping Sunday should uphold what has been done, instead of abusing the men who did it.

A good act done by a saloon keeper is just as good as by anyone else, and he is entitled to just as much credit. Let us all be fair-minded as we can, and "give the devil his due."

THE TRAMP THAT HAD TO TAKE WATER.

A locomotive, when taking water from a track tank, looks as if it was going through a river; the water is dashed into spray and flies out on either side like the waves before a boat. Trainers tell the story of a tramp who stole a ride on the front or "dead" end platform of the baggage car of a fast train. The car was coupled to the rear end of the engine tender; it was quite a long run, without stops, and the engine took water from a track tank on the way. When the train stopped the tramp was discovered prone on the platform of the baggage car, half drowned from the water thrown back by the engine when it took its drink on the run.

"Here, get off!" growled the brakeman. "What are you doing there?" "All right, boss," sputtered the tramp. "Say," he asked after a moment, "what was that river we went through a while ago?"

LABOR'S SENSIBLE COURSE.

The Federation of Labor in session at San Francisco acted with wisdom when they turned down the socialistic plan of giving a pension to every person who had reached the age of 60 years, and had received during his lifetime a wage roll of less than \$1000 a year.

Legislation of this character is paternalism, pure and simple. It places the common, everyday citizen in the role of a pauper, and leaves him dependent on the government. He forgets his individuality, and relies on the world at large for his living. It would make the average man a tramp, kill his ambition and throttle enterprise.

The idea that is uppermost in the minds of the authors is certainly not to benefit humanity, but to ride into power and influence on a hobby. Men who introduce and conceive such proposed legislation do it for the purpose of attracting attention, and not to have their foolish follies enacted into laws.

The federation also showed its good sense by voting down the resolution condemning the militia. The citizen soldier has proved valuable in time of peace and war, and no sane and patriotic American can discredit their acts.

True the soldiers have been used to suppress lawlessness, and in some cases wrongfully used against strikers, but the great principles of a free country could not well be maintained without militia or a large standing army, and the former is more preferable.

Labor men throughout the country are members of the militia, and they resent the agitation started by a few mad hot leaders, who pose as the true representatives of the working classes.

THE STORY OF "FRENZIED FINANCE."

Thos. W. Lawson, author of "Fren-

zied Finance," is now defendant in the greatest libel suit probably ever instituted in this country.

His articles, which have appeared in "Everybody's Magazine," have been read the world over, and every line and sentence in them were plain and to the point.

The charges were startling, and revealed a very cruel business world. People knew that speculators and gamblers take every advantage, and are always looking for "suckers," but it remained for a writer to deal with it in unvarnished terms.

Lawson called a spade a spade, and he did not hesitate to point out names and places. Coming on the eve of a presidential election, his articles created a profound sensation, and for a time their effect set the party managers to thinking.

The big companies are after him, and it remains for future events to determine whether they will be able to squelch him. If he has absolute proof of his assertions, then the death knell of the big combines has been sounded, but if he fails to establish his case he will have a hard road to travel.

Ordinary evidence will not be sufficient for the defendant, for he is dealing with a class that will smother and obliterate such testimony. Witnesses will be dumb when they are called, and Lawson will find himself helpless.

The entire nation will watch this gigantic legal battle, and the sympathy of the people will naturally be with Lawson, providing he can substantiate his charges in any marked degree.

HOW COPPER KILLS BACILLI

From Gilbert H. Grosvenor's "The New Method of Purifying Water" in the December Century.

Man would seem to have at last discovered an effective weapon against typhoid fever, Asiatic cholera and similar merciless scourges which invade our intestinal and digestive organs through polluted water. It is yet too soon to declare positively that we shall exterminate these dread diseases, but we have good reason to believe that we shall be able to drive them out of cities and towns, and camps and prisons, and wherever men are living herded close together. The weapon is not of steel or iron, but copper, the most convenient form being the compound of copper and sulphur known as blue vitriol, copper sulphate. Every school laboratory contains some beautiful blue crystal of copper sulphate. Every schoolboy for generations has dabbled with these blue crystals or has watched his teacher use them for ordinary classroom experiments. And yet who would have imagined that a pinch of these crystals dissolved in the water-tank in the attic, or in the cistern or well, would kill any typhoid germs that might be lurking there; that its use would insure healthful drinking water in a military camp; that it would exterminate malaria and yellow-fever-carrying mosquitos in stagnant pools and swamps by destroying the vegetable organisms on which the mosquito larvae feed; that it would in a few hours, make the water of an evil-smelling and foul-looking city reservoir, containing billions of gallons of water, clean and sweet; and that the amount of copper that accomplishes all this is so small that while it kills the bacteria in the water it does not make the drinking water poisonous or injurious to the human system.

It has been known for a long time that copper destroys bacteria, but the metal has not been much used heretofore for the purpose, because scientists have generally believed that the dose required to kill the bacteria must be very concentrated—so concentrated in fact, that it would poison the water or substance containing the bacteria and make the cure worse than the evil. A specialist of the United States Government, Dr. George T. Moore, has now come forward and announced, with the authority of the government behind him, that he has discovered how to get the good effect of copper without any dangerous result; that he has a way of using copper so diluted that it cannot hurt a baby and yet so active that it will destroy virulent cholera and typhoid bacilli in four or five hours.

Faith and Fact.

Faith is one thing and fact another, it sometimes takes any amount of faith to produce one fact. Years of earnest work and faith have produced one fact about medicine that is deserving of mention here. If people who are troubled with general weakness through overwork, dissipation or exposure can get a remedy that will make rich red blood from the food they eat, their return to health is assured. Good blood is the life of the body as well as the nerves. Weak, sickly, pale people who suffer with indigestion, dyspepsia, sick-headache, loss of strength and ambition, having dizzy spells and always tired, can be cured sound and well with Dr. Gunn's Blood and Nerve Tonic. Sold by druggists for 75c per box, or 3 boxes for \$2. This tonic acts in a common sense way, curing disease by giving strength to resist it. For sale by Dr. S. C. Stone, druggist.



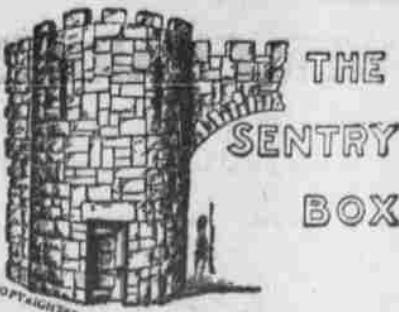
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Testimonials? We can furnish them by the thousand. Here is one:

For over half a century Ayer's Hair Vigor has been sold in every civilized land on the face of the globe.

Is not this long, unbroken history of success the very best kind of a testimonial?

Made by the J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass. Also manufacturers of AYER'S SARSAPARILLA—For the blood. AYER'S PILLS—For constipation. AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL—For coughs. AYER'S AGUE CURE—For malaria and ague.



OBJECTS OF THE SENTRY BOX.

In this age, apparently given over to selfishness, it seems hard to make people accept the possibility of a purely unselfish and public spirited motive which can inspire any course of action. This feeling of incredulity exists in spite of the illustrations visible constantly all around us, that we live in a period of great benevolence, great philanthropy and great displays of intelligent interest in public affairs. At no time previous have so many wealthy men devoted liberal shares of their accumulations to various enterprises, which in their opinion, conduce to the public welfare. Many millionaires have endowed colleges with lavish sums. Others have built hospitals where human suffering may be mitigated. One at least has gained wide approval by an unprecedented generosity in founding libraries in many of the principal cities and towns of the country.

Now, in view of these benefactions, it is certainly a supposable case that a man of large means and of practical ideas, seeing much in the workings of government machinery that needs regulating, and having faith in the people, may adopt some promising method of working needed reforms, having faith that if the people are advised as to the defects now existing they will unite regardless of party, in demanding remedies. Such being the case is there anything unnatural in a desire on his part to inaugurate a plan for collecting and spreading information on these subjects?

There are also social and economic questions of vast importance to the country, concerning which facts and illustrations—not dry statistics or detailed arguments—may be intelligently disseminated with great benefit.

Precisely the same condition stated in this supposable case has led to the establishment of "The Sentry Box" in Washington, with objects held by its promoter and his associates to fully justify its existence. The name was suggested by the idea that a sentry stands at the gateway to report to the people at large inside facts as to questions and movements of the day.

Its purpose is to discuss some public questions from an impartial and non-partisan standpoint. Incidentally, it aims to convey interesting information as to the workings of different branches of the government and on matters of importance at the national capital. Short articles are prepared for publication in the press, conveying valuable hints as to admitted defects and abuses which should be remedied.

The people of the country are the employers of public servants. This fact is sometimes forgotten by such servants, and needs to be called occasionally to their recollection. It is the purpose of "The Sentry" to advise the employers concerning the management of affairs by their servants and to comment thereon when necessary.

Various interesting subjects will be discussed, carrying out the true sentry spirit of absolute freedom and fairness. The comments may be so fearless as at times to conflict somewhat with the general policy of some of the papers, but it will be always understood and usually stated that all responsibility for its utterances is as-

sumed and borne by the Sentry Box Bureau. Editors can and do express their dissent from some of the positions assumed, but the independence and fairness of the articles will, it is believed, help commend them to intelligent readers, whether they fully agree with the positions taken or not. Newspapers are, of course, entirely free to publish the Sentry Box articles or not, as they choose; but if published, they must be in the exact form submitted, in order that the bureau may not be made responsible for something it did not send out. All the expenses of the bureau are borne, for the present at least, by the promoter, and its utterances will be entitled to such consideration as may fairly attach to entirely disinterested presentations of matters discussed. Their intrinsic importance, their literary merit, or their permanent value, may at times be questioned, but the absolute unselfishness of the motive which inspires them will soon be manifest to a discriminating public, even though at first sometimes doubted.

A sufficient amount of success has already marked the enterprise to warrant a belief in its practicability. Many strong newspapers have cordially welcomed it, and the responses from their readers direct to headquarters of the bureau, in approval of its methods, have been most flattering. Its first suggestions have aroused widespread comment among the leading city dailies and best magazines. Its suggestions have already taken form in federal legislation. The formation of the Bureau is a deliberate, well-considered act. The encouragement received is already sufficient to warrant broadening its scope and making permanent its foundation. There will be no holding back or hesitation in approaching the legitimate objects of its establishment and diffusing its benefits as widely as they may be found acceptable to the press and the people.

Prepare to Launch Cruiser.

Camden, N. J., Nov. 23.—February 22 has been fixed as the date for the launching of the armored cruiser Washington from the New York Shipbuilding company's yard here. The day being Washington's birthday, all Camden will decorate for the proper celebration of the double event. President Roosevelt, members of his cabinet, many naval officials and congressmen will be invited to attend. The hull of the cruiser is now completed up to the main deck. It is the first war vessel of large type built in Camden.

Oranges Distributed Free.

St. Louis, Nov. 23.—A carload of California flowers and oranges from the Sacramento valley were given away as souvenirs today in the California section in the Palace of Agriculture at the world's fair. Each visitor to the exhibit received a gorgeous California flower and one of this year's crop of the famous California sweet oranges from the Sacramento valley as a remembrance.

Disastrous Wrecks.

Carelessness is responsible for many a railway wreck, and the same causes are making human wrecks of sufferers from Throat and Lung troubles. But since the advent of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, even the worst cases can be cured, and hopeless resignation is no longer necessary. Mrs. Lois Cragg, of Dorchester, Mass., is one of many whose life was saved by Dr. King's New Discovery. This great remedy is guaranteed for all Throat and Lung diseases by J. C. Perry, druggist. Price 50c and \$1. Trial bottles free.

X-RAYS

Lawson is almost as great as The Journal. . . .

The gobbler will be gobbled tomorrow. . . .

Methodists versus Presbyterians tomorrow on the gridiron. The score may be a "sprinkling" affair. . . .

The Grangers missed Salem, and Salem missed the Grangers. A hearty welcome would have been extended to them if they had stopped. . . .

City election less than two weeks distant, and not a campaign story circulated. . . .

Chefo still retains its lead as the chief disseminator of war news that is not true. . . .

With two dances, a football game and union church services, Salemites should be able to spend a fairly good Thanksgiving week. . . .

Salem continues to be a good show town. People appreciate the quality of the attractions sent here this year by Mr. Cordray, and they are showing their appreciation with a liberal patronage. . . .

The usual number of crank bills are commencing to make their appearance, and the next legislature will be asked to spend its time passing a lot of worthless laws and personal hobbies. Oregon has enough "dead letter" laws without burdening the statute books with another batch. . . .

THE DOCTOR

SENT MR. HAYLAND TO COLORADO FOR HIS HEALTH.

Says His Life Was Saved by Vinol.

People of Salem will be interested in the recovery of Mr. Hayland, as so many of our friends are continually being sent to one health resort or another as the only means of recovery.

In writing of his cure from Denver, Colo., Mr. Hayland says: "I believe that Vinol, the new cod liver oil preparation, has saved my life, and I wish to mention my case, as it may be of value to others similarly affected."

"I was sent to Colorado with what my doctor said would develop into tuberculosis, and was so weak I was unable to work at my profession. Since taking Vinol my appetite has returned, I sleep well, feel very much stronger and am sure I shall soon be restored to perfect health. I cannot recommend Vinol too strongly, as it has done so much for me when all other medicines had failed."

Our well known druggist, Mr. Geo. W. Putnam, says: "The reason Vinol accomplishes such remarkable results



CURTIS HAYLAND.

when all other tonics and emulsions of cod liver oil fail is because it contains in a concentrated form all of the healing, curative elements of cod liver oil, but without oil or grease, and it does not upset the weakest stomach."

Mr. Putnam also freely offers to return money paid him for Vinol in every case where it fails to cure chronic coughs, colds bronchial troubles, incipient consumption, to make rich, red blood, increase the appetite, cure stomach troubles, give strength and renewed vitality to the aged, build up the run down, tired and debilitated, and make the weak strong.

Surely any person in Salem who is in need of such a remedy should try Vinol, as it is a simple preparation with remarkable curative powers and won't cost you a cent if it does you no good. Geo. W. Putnam, druggist.

Russian Deserters.

Vienna, Nov. 23.—The heavy influx of deserters from Russia into all the towns and villages along the Austrian frontier continues. The military authorities at Craeov are taking every precaution to prevent any of them penetrating within the zone of fortifications last, under the pretext of desertion, some Russian spy might find his way in. Up to now the deserters have been mostly merchants, clerks and factory hands. They behave themselves correctly and ask leave to stay until their relatives send them money to continue their journey to America.

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Your doctor says you mean take cod liver oil. Probably means Scott's Emulsion cause you cannot take clear oil; no one can take clear oil who needs cod liver oil. The doctor understands that and doubtless means Scott's Emulsion of cod liver oil which everybody can take because it is emulsified and prepared so that it can be very easily digested by most sensitive stomachs. Everybody likes it.

We'll send you a sample free. SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl Street, New York.

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Subjects	Fee
Arithmetic	30c
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Penmanship	20c
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Reading and Spelling	20c

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On Thanksgiving Day, being good dinner and plenty of "cheer" as an exquisite handkerchief, shirt, collar and cuffs that has that "home-made" look and color that the Salem Steam Laundry put on it at all our linen always gives perfect satisfaction when it is done at our improved methods.

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