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General Reyes has delayed his de parture homeward from New York.

Senator Dietrich left for Washing ton Monday. He said he had papers prepared to present to the Senate a history of the bribery case and will demand an investigation in spite of counsel to the contrary.

With fully one-half the democratic senators lined up in favor of ratifying the Panama canal treaty, it is difficult to see how the democrats are going to make political capital out of President Roosevelt's action in recognizing the republic of Panama.

The coroner's jury investigating the Iroquois theater disaster has rendered a verdict in which a number of people have been held to await action by the grand jury, among them being Mayor Carter H. Harrison and Will J. Davis, the manager of the theater.

Payne, the Republican leader of the house of representatives, bluntly tells us that whereas the deficit for the fiscal year ending last June was \$4,500,-000, it will probably increase next year to \$7,000,000 and the year after to \$8,-000,000 and more. Yes, this is a great country and has often handled a deficit ten timos as large.

Congressman Baker (Dem.) of Brooklyn thinks the country is going to the bow-wows because some charitable person has opened a soup house in Cincinnati, and asks, "Is this prosperity?" Of course it is. Not to have a soup house where there was a demand for it might seem like adversity. There are always people ready to eat good soup when it is ladled out to them free.

Some inconsiderate clerks in Washpassion against the administration on account of its change in their work meager pittance of \$5 a day on an average, rain or shine, the year round, that they threaten malingering in retaliation. Some people don't like to work between meals.

Senator Burton of Kansas has h



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chosen president of the convention said on taking the chair: "This republic will live less by its material power than by the virtues it will practice. Its security is protected by a powerful people in whose veins runs the rich blood of those Puritans who ington are working themselves into a shook off with the dust of their san dals the torment of religious intolerance and the opprobrium of political hours. They are so indignant at hay. despotism." Yet some people declare ing to work seven hours a day for the that Panama has no government or political existence

National Aid for Good Rea

The go d roads movement is beginning to assume definite form. The agitation has extended from Florida to cific, and people generally are awaken- he is to be given a testimonial. The public highways in a permanent and will get hold of the incident, and make substantial manner. The time has come when the people of the rural districts have a right to demand that their roads shall be kept not only in a passable condition, but so that heavy why they have been so long neglected it is difficult to say. It is sufficient to

with every election.

There is now before congress a bill introduced by Walter P. Brownlow of Tennessee which provides for the expenditure of \$24,000,000 out of the national treasury for the construction aad maintenance of wagon roads throughout the country.

The history of every reform of permanent value is filled with slowness, when old, sometimes im- but continued agitation will in time produce wonders. Talk good roads, shout good roads, get your neighbor

interest d and sooner or later the de-

Atchison Globe Sights.

About the on'y thing a man will allow his wife to have a monopoly of is patience.

It is terrible management; the shortest day of the year comes just before Christmas.

Don't say a man is shiftless: Be polite, and say that he is too contented to ever get rich.

A man may not be able to manage his own affairs, but he will give you advice about yours.

What has become of the hand grenade that a few years ago was going to prevent conflagrations?

As a woman grows older her eye brows begin to come out, and a man's grow thicker and bushier.

After all it's pretty nice to watch a woman get her Christmas presents ready and send them away.

Hint to husband: The only way to compliment a woman on her economy, is to pay her bills wi hout grumbling.

Speaking of borrowing, an Atchison woman lends her n-ighbors such minutes.

What has become of the old fashionandaus and broughams.

more pitiful than the hope of better question that it should be considertimes, better health and improved con- ably increased. dions "when spring comes."

If you must go visiting, don't go to the service. As there are now about Chicago. The people there are so 20,000 carriers, it will add about \$3,000, nervous that if anyone steps on a 000 to the annual cost of the rural match and it ignites, it causes a panic. branch of the postal service. It is

A real old fashioned woman lives in number of carriers will be doubled. Atchison. She recently was asked for If the salary should be increased \$250 her recipe for nut cake, and refused it; a year, it would not be very long till the recipe had "been in her family" for salary allowance in this branch of the years, and they had made it a rule service would be increased \$10,000,000 never to part with it.

enough, according to some authori-

Farm Leans

J. H. BAILEY, Red Cloud.

Have you indigestion, constipation,

counties; can pay off at any time.

corpse in the house.

An Atchison man lately whipped his This is exactly what rural delivery Maine, from the Atlantic to the Pa- mother in-law, and there is talk that means. It is no longer a question whether we shall have rural free deing to the necessity of establishing movement should be stopped; Topeka livery. That has been decided. No intelligent person dreams that it can be repealed, or stopped where it is, or another roar about Atchison. preven ed from expanding. Such being the fact, the service The neighbors are so anxious to do something when there is a death that must be maintained in an equal degree of efficiency to that of the other if the bereaved family are not also beloads may be hauled upon them. Just reft of their senses they can get the branches of the department, and the carriers, upon whom the burden of whole house cleaned for nothing, in the work falls, should be paid proporthe preparation for the funeral. tionately to the standard of compensation of the other postal employes. It is a late custom to make the en gagement short Three weeks is a long

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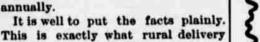
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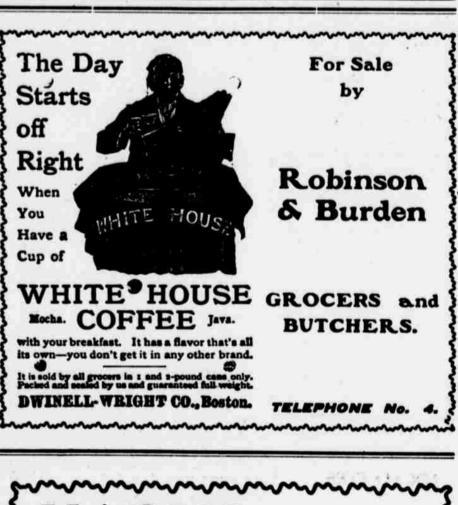
Rural Carriers' Salaries.

There is a well-nigh universal feel ing that the pay of rural free de ivery carriers is insufficient, and that congress should grant about what they ask in the way of additional salary. They receive now \$600 a year, out of which they must provide and main tain an outfit and keep from two to four horses. The men have to be out every day in all kinds of weather. Conpoor butter that they return it in ten sidering the work, the expenses involwed and present cost of living, the pay is inadequate

The carriers ask that the pay shall ed family that owned a buggy? We be \$600 for the first year, \$720 the secare all mixed up with traps, rockaways, ond and \$850 the third and thereafter. There is some question whether the pay should be thus graded or be made We don't believe there is anything the same figure for all, but there is no

> It is true that an increase even of \$150 will add largely to the expense of certain that within a few years the



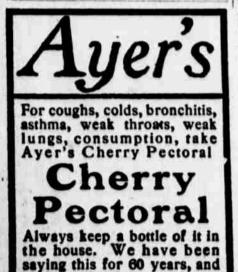


"One price and no monkey business."

indicted by the federal grand jury at St. Louis, charged with having accepted a bribe from the Rialto Grain company, which the postal authorities had attempted to prevent transacting business through the mails. Senator Burton was one of the attorneys for the company and it is charged that he was bribed to use his influence as a senator to allow the company the use of the mails.

Democratic papers are making a great hullabaloo about a Republican war in Ohio, the "war" aforesaid being the difference of opinion as to whether the intimate friends of Foraker or the intimate friends of Hanna will control the Ohio delegation in the Chicago convention and the resultant patronage of the state. The Republican majority in Ohio is sufficiently bouncing to tempt our friends to get up a sham battle at any time, to keep themselves in fighting trim in face of the enemy A party that is in a minority that is hopeless never quarrels over the offices, even in fun.

The constitutional convention of the republic of Panama has taken over supreme power from the provisional junta. Dr. Pablo Arosemena, who was



so have the doctors.

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say that we face a condition and not a theory.

The roads as a general thing are in bad condition. In 1903 the United States government appropriated \$32,-540,198 for river and harbor improvement, which goes to the benefit of commerce and largely to help cities. It has spent millions upon millions in the years past for the same kind of improvement and not a dollar for the construction of permanent roads. Many farms are sold at half their value simply because the farmer is unable to market the produce he has raised owing to the bad condition of the wagon roads.

ty has expended large amounts of she put it? money in the past and still we have nothing to show for such expenditure. Undoubtedly there is much truth in the statement, but we are inclined to

the opinion that such expenditures have almost without exception been made with the idea of public good in view. But no man or set of men can nouncing that the stork would soon intelligently direct the engineering pay a visit to their household It has difficulties necessarily involved by since been learned the young women giving it thought but three or four of the society to which the young wife times a year, and it is not right to ex- belonged while in college gave an enterpect them to do so. We doubt not that our commissioners would gladly fit of the stork's 'cargo,' whatever that listen to the plans of an expert road might be. The announcement has builder and would be only too pleased been much discussed in domestic to construct a wagon road on scientific circles, and it has been generally principles if competent help were at hand. For furnishing expert opinion after all." and giving the entire country the benefit of its investigations the National Good Roads association was formed and local associations have since sprung into existence. These

associations have expressed their willingness to give what information they may receive from time to time to any who are interested. But the main obget everyone to work in unity with his Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will

the work where the last one left off money back. That's fair. Tea or

Church vs. Saloes.

The resignation of Rev. Hauptmann ties There seems to be a disposition owing to the inadequacy of his salary to make the agony as short as possible, the same reason prompting a bereft to support his family, the inefficiual efforts of the Methodists to build a family to shorten the time there is a suitable church building in which to hold their services, and the general lack of finaces with which to carry on An Atchison woman dressed for a dinner recently and wore a dress she church work in this city is a sad contrast to the flourishing condition of the had not had on in two years. It re-

saloons and gambling houses. quired the united efforts of her hus-Red Cloud has a population of about t and, two sisters and a servant girl to 1600, has three saloons and two gamblmake the dress meet before it could be fastened. But she went out to the ing dens, and there seems to be little But some will tell us that the coundinner and ate a big one. Where did danger of either of them suspending business from lack of finan; ial support. It is conservatively figured that there This Indiana story was contained in are ten families in this city supported a special dispatch from Franklin, Ind., by the traffic in liquor and the "rake-

off" from the gambling tables. to the New York World. It was as On the other hand, there are five follows: "A mild sensation was caused here yesterday when a prominent resident ministers of the gospel in this city, four of whom have families to young married couple issued cards ansupport, and neither of them has an income sufficient to provide in a suitable manner for the needs of himself and family.

And now Red Cloud is about to lose one of the brightest and most popular tainment a few days ago for the beneministers who ever occupied a pulpit here, just because the church people are not as liberal with their purses as are the supporters and adherents of the saloon and gambling den. agreed it is not such a bad practice,

If the churches are to successfully combat the growing evils in this town, the members will have to "dig" down in their pockets and bring up some-

wara the support of the work. Supposing you're busted-haven't a

dime.

Getting poor isn't a serious crime, ject is to stir up public interest and headache, backache, kidney trouble? Put on a bold front, work with all your might,

neighbor. One official must take up make you well. If it fails get your You're sure to win by taking Rocky Mountain Tea at night -C. L. and not attempt to change the pluns tablet form. 35 cents. C. L. Cotting. Cotting.

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