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Martin Stieckel, who was arrested and brought to Tacoma, has made a confession to the effect that he and E. G. Pierce murdered Cornelius Knapp and his wife near Castle Rock, Wash., last week; also that they murdered a rancher named Shanklin a year ago.

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THE PURE GRAIN COFFEE

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Lots of coffee substitutes in the market, but only one food drink—Grain-O.

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Forethought is easy; it's the afterthought that pulls hard.

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Carter's Little Liver Pills. Ask him. Try it. Carters are sent annually to every state in the Union. Do you buy Carter's?

Lots of people who are inclined to do good keep putting it off until tomorrow.

**PITTSBURGH'S CARE.** No Pittsburger can afford to neglect his health. The first day a use of Dr. Kilders' Great Nerve Restorer, Sold for FIVE DOLLAR BOTTLE and treated. See H. H. KILDER, Ltd., 501 Arch St., Philadelphia, Pa.

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Your clothes will not crack if you use Magnetic Starch.

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Take LAXATIVE BROOM. QUININE TABLETS. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on the box. 25c.

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C. H. Crabtree, Des Moines, Iowa, will on request explain all about the Gladiator Gold-Mining company; extremely interesting; write me.

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**What Shall We Have for Dessert?**  
This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. At your grocers, 10 cts.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials.

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Eall's Family Pills are the best.

Try swallowing saliva when troubled with your stomach.

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Wheat-O, the new breakfast food, is prepared by a scientific process that removes all indigestible parts of the wheat, but preserves all the phosphates in the grain, consequently it is an ideal food for the building up of muscle, brain and brain. It is good for healthy people and a godsend to the tired and fagged dyspeptic. Get a package from your grocer and give it a trial. You will then use no other.

Man wants but little here below, but the wants of woman are an unknown quantity.

**Best for the Bowels.**  
No matter what ails you, headache to a cancer, you will never get well until your bowels are put right. CASCARETS help nature, cure you without a gripe or pain, produce easy natural movements, cost you just 10 cents to start getting your health back. CASCARETS Candy Cathartic, the genuine, put up in metal boxes, every tablet has C. C. stamped on it. Beware of imitations.

A man should get up before the break of day in order to have the whole day before him.

Try Magnetic Starch—it will last longer than any other.

The band of hope—an engagement ring.

If you have not tried Magnetic Starch try it now. You will then use no other.

Wine drowns care—and it serves care right for killing the cat.

**Neb. Business and Shorthand College**  
Boyd Bldg., Omaha.

Most perfectly equipped College in the west. \$2,500.00 new banking furniture. \$3,000.00 worth new typewriters. Send for catalogue. A. C. Ong, A. M., L. L. B., Pres.

An old bachelor says that marrying for love is but a tender delusion.

A vigorous growth and the original color given to the hair by PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM. HIS DEBONAIR, the best cure for corns. 15c.

Heaven helps those who help themselves only to what belongs to them.

**Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.**  
For children teething, soothes the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

A married man's idea of a good time is doing the things his wife objects to.

No man knows what it is to be a woman.

**ARMY BILL IS ADOPTED**

Measure to Provide Troops Goes Through by Strictly Party Vote.

**INCREASED ARMY IS PROVIDED FOR**

**Amendment Abolishing Canteen System Carries by Overwhelming Majority—Generals Lee and Wilson Are Denied Retirement with Rank of Brigadier.**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The house of representatives today, at the end of a long sitting, passed the army reorganization bill by a vote of 166 to 133. Three democrats, Messrs. Hall of Pennsylvania and Underhill and Clayton of New York, voted with the republicans for the bill, and Mr. McCall, republican of Massachusetts, with the democrats, against it. Otherwise it was a strictly party vote. The proposition which some of the democrats attempted to commit their side to in caucus, an extension of the present temporary army until July 1, 1903, which was voted upon indirectly on a motion to recommit, commanded the votes of only about half the opposition and two republicans, Mr. McCall and Mr. Mann of Illinois. Many of the democrats voted against the motion, however, because they were opposed not only to the reorganization bill, but also to continuing the army at its present strength.

Quite a number of amendments were placed on the bill before it was passed. The liveliest fight was made on a substitute made by Mr. Littlefield of Maine for the canteen section. The substitute absolutely prohibited the sale of intoxicants at military posts. It was supported by Messrs. Littlefield, Grosvenor, republican of Ohio, Dick, republican of Ohio, and Hay, democrat of Virginia, and opposed by Messrs. Shnyder, democrat of Texas, Fitzgerald, democrat of Massachusetts, Pearce, republican of Missouri, Parker, republican of New Jersey, and Bartholdt, republican of Missouri. Large delegations from the Woman's Christian Temperance union, which is in session in this city, watched the fight from the galleries. When the vote was taken the prohibiting amendment was carried by an overwhelming majority, 159 to 51. Mr. Bartholdt attempted to secure a record vote in the house, but the peculiar parliamentary statutes shut him out.

The sections designed to retire General Shafter as a major general and Generals Fitzhugh Lee and James H. Wilson as brigadier generals were stricken out.

Among the amendments adopted were those providing for fifty volunteer surgeons and 150 assistant surgeons for service in the Philippines; for thirty dental surgeons and for a veterinary corps with actual rank. The officers of the pay corps were increased eleven and of the signal corps twenty-three. The age limit was removed from volunteer officers eligible for appointment for first and second lieutenants, and the provision for retiring officers who served in the civil war as of the next higher grade was stricken out.

The Hepburn amendment to provide that vacancies in the quartermaster's department would be filled from civil life or from volunteer officers commissioned since April 10, 1898, which was pending when the house adjourned yesterday, was voted down without division.

Mr. Hay of Virginia offered an amendment, which was adopted, authorizing the president to appoint fifty volunteer surgeons with rank of major and 150 volunteer surgeons with the rank of captain for terms of two years unless previously discharged.

Mr. Otey offered an amendment to empower the surgeon general of the army to employ not to exceed thirty dental surgeons, three of whom should be chief dental surgeons.

Mr. Otey made a humorous speech in support of the amendment, appealing to every member to vote in the interest of 3,200,000 teeth. "Irrespective of party or the result of the late election," he said, "vote to rid the old soldier of the toothache."

The amendment was adopted.

**Report to Galveston Losses.**  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The secretary of war today sent to the senate reports of the board of engineers concerning the effects of the Galveston storm of last summer on the jetties in the vicinity of that city. The board finds that \$1,500,000 will be necessary to repair the jetties at Galveston and \$175,000 for the repair of the Brazos. The board places the loss of life at 5,000. The damage to fortifications is placed at \$99,000.

**American Officials Presented.**  
CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 7.—The United States charge d'affaires, Lloyd C. Griscom, today officially presented Captain Colby M. Chester and the other visiting officers of the United States ship Kentucky, now at Smyrna, to the minister of marine, Hassal Pasha. The American officers were also entertained at dinner today at the British embassy by Mr. DeBunzer, the first secretary of the embassy.

**Otto H. Littman Confirmed.**  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The senate today confirmed Otto H. Littman of Missouri to be superintendent of the coast and geodetic survey.

**TWENTY-SIX BEHEADED.**  
Only Because They Were Employed by American Contractor.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Dec. 7.—Walter Kennedy, contractor and expert engineer, who has just returned from completing some contracts in China, said that he saw twenty-six Chinamen beheaded for no reason other than that they were in his employ. During the time he was erecting extensive machinery he was practically a prisoner and did not know what moment he would be taken from his work and executed.

**PROSPERITY IN OKLAHOMA.**

Governor's Report Argues Conditions Warrant Admission.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The annual report of the governor of Oklahoma says that the year has been marked by general prosperity—agriculture flourishing, manufacturing and commerce expanding in an unprecedented manner. The total assessed valuation of property is \$49,338,661, an increase of \$6,247 over 1899. The report states that in addition to its excellent public school system, Oklahoma has five higher institutions of learning, which are not excelled by the similar institutions of any state in the union. There are still 5,733,355 acres of vacant government land in the territory, subject to homestead entry. While most of the land is unfit for farming there are still many sections upon which the homesteeker from the north or east can find a comfortable home and attain a competence in time.

An each justice of the supreme court of the territory sits as a trial judge with original jurisdiction of all cases of civil and criminal litigation arising in the district to which he is assigned the report recommends that a separate court of appeals be provided. In order to avert sentencing of youthful criminals to the penitentiary, the establishment of a reformatory institution within the territory is recommended. The report says that the prosperous condition prevailing in Oklahoma, its population, area and wealth, when compared with a like condition prevailing in a large number of states at the time of their admission in the union, amply justifies its claim to statehood. The report recommends that Fort Supply, which was abandoned several years ago, be presented to the territory for use as a public institution.

**CONNECTING LAKE AND RIVER.**

War Department Furnishes Estimate for Proposed Canal.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The War department today sent to congress reports on the number of important river and harbor projects, including that for connecting the Mississippi river with Lake Michigan by the means of the Illinois river and the Chicago sanitary canal, and also for extensive improvement of the Sault Ste. Marie canal. The total cost of the project for connecting Lake Michigan and the Mississippi river is placed at \$7,731,517 for a five-foot depth. The project involves the construction of twelve locks and two dams with movable weirs. The estimates are based on the assumption that all necessary franchises in connection with the construction will be ceded free of cost to the United States.

The estimate for improving the channel between Lakes Superior and Huron, through St. Mary's river, including Hay channel, is \$9,000,000. The distance is sixty-four miles, part of which is improved.

The estimate for deepening the Sturgeon Bay and Lake Michigan ship canal to twenty-one feet is \$218,000.

**Abbie Sage Richardson Dead.**  
NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—A special cable dispatch to the Brooklyn Eagle from Rome says:

Mrs. Abby Sage Richardson, dramatist, poet, literary critic and translator, died in this city today. She was the widow of the late Albert Deane Richardson, newspaper man and author, long time correspondent of the New York Tribune in the civil war, and afterward an editor on that paper. Mrs. Richardson arrived here with her son, William Sage, the novelist, early in November and her death was wholly unexpected by her friends in Rome.

**House Bills Introduced.**  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 7.—The senate today transacted no business of importance in open session. Throughout almost the entire afternoon it was in executive session. The ship subsidy bill therefore received no consideration.

Mr. Hoar presented a resolution of the Massachusetts legislature in favor of the purchase by the United States government of Temple Farm Moor house, at Yorktown, Va.

**General Fagan Is Retired.**  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Brigadier General Charles R. Egan, commissary general of subsistence, who has been under suspension since February 9, 1899, by sentence of court-martial for alleged intemperance and abuse of language, concerning Lieutenant General Miles in connection with the army beef investigation, was restored to duty today, and he was afterwards placed on the record list of the army.

**To Arrange Inaugural.**  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—John Joy Edison was today named as chairman of the committee having charge of the inaugural ceremonies. He was accepted. Senator Hanna, chairman of the republican national committee, previously tendered the office to Mr. Theodore W. Noyes, who was compelled to decline the honor as his duties would not permit him to devote sufficient time to the position.

**Hold Up an Iowa Stockman.**  
CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—Fred T. Gilmore of Baxter, Ia., was knocked senseless late last night near Michigan avenue and Harmon Court and robbed of \$11,229 in negotiable paper, \$23 in money and a watch. The robbers, William Cummings and George Hayes, after a desperate battle with detectives, were captured and all the booty save the watch and money was recovered.

**Czar Getting Back to Health.**  
LIVADIA, European Russia, Dec. 7.—The following bulletin was issued this morning by the czar's physicians:

"The czar slept well all night long. His general condition and spirits are very good. His temperature and pulse are normal."

The czar now leaves his bed each day and spends an hour or two in an armchair. In sleep and appetite he is steadily improving, though he is still limited to a light diet. It is probable that the bulletins will be discontinued next Sunday.

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No other medicine in the world has received such widespread and unqualified endorsement.

No other medicine has such a record of cures of female troubles or such hosts of grateful friends.

Do not be persuaded that any other medicine is just as good. Any dealer who asks you to buy something else when you go into his store purposely to buy Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, has no interest in your case. He is merely trying to sell you something on which he can make a larger profit. He does not care whether you get well or not, so long as he can make a little more money out of your sickness. If he wished you well he would without hesitation hand you the medicine you ask for, and which he knows is the best woman's medicine in the world.

Follow the record of this medicine, and remember that these thousands of cures of women whose letters are constantly printed in this paper were not brought about by "something else," but by **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, The Great Woman's Remedy for Woman's Ills.**

Those women who refuse to accept anything else are rewarded a hundred thousand times, for they get what they want—a cure. Moral—Stick to the medicine that you know is Best.

When a medicine has been successful in restoring to health more than a million women, you cannot well say without trying it, "I do not believe it will help me." If you are ill, do not hesitate to get a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once, and write Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for special advice. It is free and helpful.

Magnetic Starch is the very best laundry starch in the world.

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For starching fine linen use Magnetic Starch.

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Cures all Throat and Lung Affections.  
**COUGH SYRUP**  
Get the genuine. Refuse substitutes.  
**IS PURE**  
Salvation Oil cures Rheumatism. 15 & 25 cts.

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It injures nervous system to do so. BACO-CURO is the only cure that REALLY CURES and notifies you when to stop. Hold with a guarantee that three boxes will cure any case BACO-CURO is vegetable and harmless. It has cured thousands. It will cure you. At all druggists or by mail prepaid. \$1 a box; 3 boxes \$2.50. Booklet free. Write EUREKA CHEMICAL CO., La Crosse, Wis.

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