#### SUED BY DAUGHTER

Emma Spreckels Gave Up Fortune When Married

NOW SHE IS SORRY SHE DID SO

Wedded Against Wishes of Her Father, He Will Fight Minor Suit in Honolulu Despite His Great Wealth,

BAN FRANCISCO, July 15.-(Special.)-A cable from Honolulu says that Mrs. Emma Spreckels-Watson, only daughter of the old sugar millionaire, Claus Spreckels, has begun suit there for possession of a business block worth \$400,000 and for \$100,000 damages for being deprived of

Fents for five years.

This suit recalls the peculiar quarrel that resulted from the sudden and secret marriage of Emma Spreckels, in 1897. The old millionaire guarded Emma carefully from fortune-hunters, as he had given her more than \$2,000,000 in her own right. among the friends who dined at his house was Thomas Watson, a grain broker, who was old enough to be Emma's father. He courted the girl, however, and she married him at San Jose, without notifyang her parents.

Old Claus was savagely angry, as he had just built a new house, and expected his daughter to preside over it. He called

Watson a fortune-hunter.

His daughter, a few days after her marriage, deeded back to her father the block on Market street and the Honolulu property, and also transferred bonds orth \$1,000,000.

The father never saw her after her marriage, and cut Watson dead. Spreckels' friends also cut Watson, and he was forced to leave the city. He went to Lower Kingsford, Surrey, England, where he is now chairman of the parish council. One year after she had transferred her fortune back to her father, Emma evidently repented and made formal demand on the tenants for the rents of the Honolulu property.

Her lawyers claimed that, as her bushand had not signed the deed, the trans-fer was illegal under the Hawalian law. The present suit will be made on this ground. Old Claus will fight it, despite the fact that he recently cleared up \$2,500,-000 on the electric and gas deal.

#### OBLIGATION IS MORAL ONLY. Polygamous Wives Cannot Claim Legal Support.

SALT LAKE CITY, July 15,-According to a decision of the State Supreme Court, a man is under moral but not legal obligation to support his plural wives and educate his children by such unions. The decision was rendered in the case on ap peal from the Utah County District Court of a suit for separate maintenance brought by Mary Caroline Riddle, a plural

vife of Isaac Riddle.

The Supreme Court is of the opinion that. "notwithstanding celestial or plural marriage is one of the essential tenets of the Mormon Church, the legal status of marriage exists between parties who in Utah, before the enactment of any statute upon the subject, though members of that church, having made a contract of mar-riage in which they mutually agree to asriage in which they mutually agree to assume and observe the legal obligations of that relation, and in pursuance of that agreement openly cohabit as man and wife and hold themselves out to the public as such. But in the absence of such an agreement the legal status of marriage can not arise."

can not arise." It was shown during the first trial that Riddle married Mary Caroline in the Temple at Logan, Utah, in the Fall of 1886, while he was dodging Deputy United States Marshale who had a warrant for his arrest on the charge of polygamy. Riddle already having two plural wives.

#### EXTENSION OF PACIFIC CABLE. Manila Will Be Connected With the Chinese Coast.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 15 .- The Pacific Commercial Cable Company will lay s cable from Manila to Shanghai and surveys for the work will shortly be made. R. Lucas, the engineer who has had charge of the laying of the cable from Honolulu to Manila, has arrived here cussing the project, Mr. Lucas said: The cable will undoubtedly be extended from Manila to China, for such was the intention when I left England to begin the work of connecting Ho The port of Shanghai was selected by the company for a terminus of the wire. The work of laying the cable from Guam to Midway and thence to Honolulu was accomplished without accident. The steamers Anglia and Colona will return home, and one will then be out with the cable which is to con meet Marila and Shanghal."

#### EPILEPTIC CHILDREN INELIGIBLE. Vancouver School May Not Admit Unless Otherwise Defective.

OLITMPIA, Wash, July 15.-(Special.)-Children subject to epileptic fits, unless otherwise defective, cannot be admitted to the state school at Vancouver, under an interpretation of the law handed down by The Attorney-General today, in response to a request from the State Board of Cor It had been the policy of the board to admit epileptics who had no other de fects, and the increasing number of applifor admission has led to the belief that some parents were seeking to shift the care of their children on the state upon slight provocation.

The result of the decision will be to exlude a large number of children from the

#### PAY LESS FOR CITY WATER. Corvallis Council Cuts Down Company's Allowance,

CORVALLAS, Or., July 15.—(Special.)— The Corvailis City Council has unani-mously voted to reduce the allowance to the Corvallis Water Company for service on all accounts from \$53.50 per month to \$33.33 per month. This company has no contract with the city. The re-duction is based on the elimination of pay to the company for seven cisterns, for which \$3 per month each has been paid

by the city in the past.

The Council has also awarded contracts for the construction of six lateral sewers within the city limits.

### PASSED A FORGED CHECK.

#### Baker City Hotel Man Brings Charge

Against Easterner. BAKER CITY, Or., July 15.-(Special.) J. Hascall is in the county jall awaitforged check on L. Crabill, the proprietor of the Crabill Hotel. The check was for 29.55. The young man was preparing to leave town, but was captured before he could get away. After his arrest it was learned that his real name is Fawcett, and that he is a member of a prominent and influential Eastern family.

#### TOOK TOO MUCH MORPHINE Kendrick Man Dies From Effects of

the Done. KENDRICK, Idaho, July 15 .- (Special.) About 4 P. M. today G. A. Plummer, of this place, was found at his home by Mrs. William Meyers in a dying conditicn from an overdose of morp

Physicians Bothwell and Hunter were out of town, but such remedies as were at hand were given, but to no avail, and he died soon after he was found. When he purchased the deadly drug this forenoon he said he wanted to ease

bis pains, and whether it was an over-dose by mistake that caused his death or intentional is not known. He was an old resident here and well known. His wife was the daughter of John Moore, of Mos-

LEAVE MURDEROUS HUSBAND. Enterprise Citizens Will Then See

She Gets Back East, ENTERPRISE, Or., July 15 .- (Special.)-Mrs. Cam Robertson, the prosecuting wit-ness in the case that resulted in the holding of her husband under \$200 bonds on a charge of threatening to kill, has filed a suit in the Circuit Court praying for a divorce and the custody of the children. divorce and the custosy of the kitchen of a notel in this city, and the children have been placed in the hands of strangers by the father.

As soon as the divorce case is settled the itizens of the town will probably provide means for her to return to her only known relative, a grandmother, in the State of

KILLS AN OLD NEIGHBOR.

Montana Ranchers Have Quarrel Over Some Horses. BUTTE, Mont., July 15 .- A Miner spe

cial from Glasgow says: About 4 o'clock this afternoon at Hins-dale Robert Walsh shot and instantly killed Joshua Truax. Both have ranches near Hinsdale, and have lived in that neighborhood for about if years. The killing occurred in Dick Pledge's saloon. It is said that the men had some words about some horses, and Walsh wanted to facht Truax. When they both seed fight Truax. When they both got up from a table, Walsh knocked Truax down, pulled his gun and shot him in the neck, killing him instantly. Walsh sur-

#### GIRL PROBABLY MURDERED. Found Dead in a Tent in an Idaho

Town. MOSCOW, Idaho, July 15 .- (Special.)-A report of the mysterious death of a girl ear Jansville-reached Moscow today. A nan came into Troy, riding his horse furiously, and sent word to the authorities at Moscow to come immediately. From all that can be learned, the girl was alive and well the night before. This morning she was found dead in her tent.
The girl's name is Hattle Cox. She was probably murdered. Attorney Stillenger and the Coroner left immediately for Jansville, 40 miles east. They will be back Thursday night.

#### TAX ON INSURANCE COMPANIES. Montana Supreme Court Decides in Test Case.

BUTTE, Mont., July 15.—A Helena spe-cial to the Miner says that the Supreme Court this morning decided that insurunce companies operating in this state are liable for taxes upon the excess of premiums received over losses and expenses in the county where the agents conduct the business. The decision is regarded as a very important one and will greatly increase the revenues of every county in the State of Montana. The decision waw rendered in the case brought against the Northwestern Mutual Life Company, a test suit.

#### MOTHER WANTS HER CHILD.

She Gave Up the Custody Only

Through Fear of Imprisonment. SAN FRANCISCO, July 15.-A petition has been filed in the Supreme Court for a writ of habeas corpus in behalf of a child known as Arvilla Barnsdell. It is stated that A. A. Hopkins, California agent for T. N. Barnsdell, a millionaire of Pitts-burg, has the custody of the little girl. Mrs. C. T. Davis, mother of Arvilla, claims that she surrendered the guardianship of her daughter through fear of being railroaded into an asylum.

Painter Arrested at Pendleton, PENDLETON, Or., July 15.—Felix A. Doherty, a painter, was arrested here to-

day on a description sent from Franklin, Pa., from Sheriff Fred T. McCullom, of that county, offering a reward of \$50 for arrest and detention of Felix Doherty for the crime of embezzlement.

The man at first denied the charge, but

after going to jail said he was the man wanted and that he was the treasurer of local union in Franklin and absconded with the funds. He is willing to go back and have the matter settled. He has a wife and seven children in the East.

Worry Kills Deputy Coroner.

SAN PAFAEL, Cal., July 15.-William Ward, Deputy Coroner of Marin County, who embanned the body of the late Colonel W. J. Best, after the latter's sudden death at the home of Dr. John Woods, last April, is dead. An autopsy will be ough Ward's death is generally attributed to heart trouble. It is known that he worried considerably over the de-velopments in the Best case since the allegations that the New Jersey capitalist was murdered were first published.

Boycott of Telephone Company. SAN FRANCISCO, July 18.—Secretary S. A. Holden, of the Western Conference, International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, announces that systematic boy-cott of the Pacific States Telephone & Telegraph Company is to be inaugurated at once, not only in this city, but in every town on the Pacific Coast, from Vancouver to San Diego. Already, he states, many orders have been sent to the com pany to have the telephones removed ding the strike of the linem

Picture Man Kicked Out.

ENTERPRISE, Or., July 16 .- (Special.)-S. Klingar, a collector and deliverer for a portrait company, was today forefbly ejected from the residence of C. G. Stacey by the latter, as the result of a slight agreement over a picture the collector tempted to deliver. At the last report attempted to deliver. the portrait man was looking for a Justice of the Peace who would entertain his complaint, but none had been found in Wallows County so far.

Action Against Proternal Insurance. SEATTLE, Wash., July 15.—The Attorney-General for Washington yesterday applied to the Superior Court for a restraining order forbidding the Fraternal Knights and Ladies from doing an insurance business in the state. The petitioner states that the fraternal organization has violated the state law in charging rates below the minimum fixed for fraternal insurance, thus placing the society on a dangerous base, which in a panic would mean great loss to the policy-holders.

Brownsville Men Plan Mill.

BROWNSVILLE, Or., July 15 .- Brownsville capitalists are planning to establish a large sawmill in the foothills about a large four or five miles southeast of town. The plan includes the building of a flume from the proposed mill to Brownsville, means of which the lumber is to be tran ported to the railroad at this point. There is a fine body of timber where the mili is to be established.

Dement Will Not Contest Election WALLA WALLA, Wash., July 15 .- (Special.)—Frank S. Dement, opponent of Gil-bert Hunt in the late election, announced today that he would not contest Mr. Hunt's election. There were slieged irregularities in Fremont precinct, where Mr. Hunt received a majority

William F. Furay. plete the purchase and would forfelt the 50 cents per acre. In that case the state would be \$5000 ahead on the deal. On the other hand, if the state holds the lands and they are not included in the reserve, the state would miss an op-BUTTE, Mont., July 15.—William F. Furay, one of the best-known men in the state and United States Marshal during President Harrison's administration, died this morning.

#### QUESTIONFORLANDBOARD

MUST SCHOOL SECTIONS BE SOLD AT FIXED PRICES?

Hinges Upon Legal Effect of Act, the Title of Which is Defective in Phraseology.

SALEM, Or., July 15 - (Special)-Did the last Legislature raise the price of school lands to \$2.50 per acre and require the State Land Board to sell at that price? This is the latest important quesprice? This is the latest important ques-tion to be raised regarding the legal ef-fect of acts of the last Legislature. It is important because the state has 10,000 acres of school land within proposed for-est reserves, and applications are ready to be filed covering every acre of it. The board has ordered the land with-drawn from sale for the present, but it is claimed that the board has no author-ity to do this. If, upon the advice of ity to do this. If, upon the advice of the Attorney-General, the board recedes from its position, the land will be sold,

portunity to realize 50 cents an acre from Again, however, if the state should sell the lands at \$2.50 an aire and the Government should permit them to be used as base, the state would lose the difference between their value in place, \$5.50 and their value in place, \$5.00 and their value in place \$5.00 and acre. Most of the lands thus located would not sell unless the creation of a reserve were contemplated.

A Mind-Render Wanted. If the board were able to read the minds of Government officials, as some of minds of Government officials, as some of the land speculators seem able to do, the problem would be easy. Speculators seem roady to invest 50 cents an acre on their belief that the school sections will be usable as base. If they win they will make \$25,000. If they lose they will be out \$5000. The same situation faces the State Land Board. If the board guesses the action of the Government correctly and proceeds accordingly, the state will be the gainer by \$5000 or \$25,000, or the loser by \$6000.

If the Federal Land Department or the

Department of the Interior would make bepartment of the interior would make known the rules which will govern the use of the school sections as base in case a reserve is created, the solution of the problem would be accomplished.

The State Land Board recently turned

expect. He finds the soil filled with water at a depth of less than eight feet. This was not expected and materially hinders the work of digging the ditch.

CRAZY DENTIST ATTACKS NUNS.

an Francisco Mob Beats Him Very

SAN FRANCISCO. July 15.-With his face badly battered from the rough usage with which he met at the hands of au indignant mob for his attacks upon three Dominican Sisters yesterday Dr. W. P. Selbach, a dentist of Columbus, O., ap-peared today before Police Judge Conlan on a charge of battery. The arresting officer reported that the nuns who had been attacked could not be found. The The Judge, therefore, postponed the hearing until Friday. The belief prevails that Selbach will not be prosecuted.

Dr. Selbach Has Been in Asylum. COLUMBUS, O., July 15 .- Dr. William P. Selbach was for probably 20 years a dentist in this city. He was prominent in secret societies. Some years ago he the Attorney-General, the board recedes problem would be accomplished.

The State Land Board recently turned in a number of sensational street epithe most of it going to persons who ex- down an effort to purchase at \$5 an acre sodes, resulting in his being committed

#### WILL GATHER OREGON EXHIBITS FOR DISPLAY AT LOUISIANA PURCHASE EXPOSITION.



A. F. Miller, of Sellwood, In charge of Horticultural and Agricultural Departments.



J. H. Fink, of Portland. In charge of Mining Department,

tice here.

Later he was released, then rearrested and again dismissed. He has been before

the police court frequently. Recently he left the city and his relatives did no

know of his whereabouts until they heard

acquired quite a fortune during his prac-

PINED BY CUSTOMS COLLECTOR.

able Goods.

Damming of Fall Creek.

Booth-Kelly Lumber Company

EUGENE, Or., July 15.-(Special.)-The

structing a flood dam 30 feet high in Fall

Creek for the purpose of driving out logs. The dam is being built between two rocky

points, above which there is a large basin for holding water.

It is estimated that when this dam is

sprung a sufficient quantity of water will rush out to raise the creek to a

depth of six feet at its junction with the

Willamette River. It is about the only

way of getting out logs for use during

Skamania to Build Courthouse,

STEVENSON, Wash., July 15 .- (Special.)

Skamania County is to have a new Courthouse. County Commissioners J. M.

Coulter, Ed Harris and George F. Bres-lin have returned from a junket to Moro and have decided that such a building as

It will be a brick structure, quite com

nodious, and cost between \$6000 and \$8000.

The site chosen is just back of town on a slight rise that commands a pretty

scene, and the building can be seen for miles. The county is in very good con-

Yambillers Coming to Play Ball.

Arrangements are completed for a

OREGON CITY, July 15 .- (Special.)-

has materially strengthened its organiza-

tion and expects to win out in the return

big river steamboat excursion will be run to this city Sunday from Dayton and

Beautifying Monument Grounds.

contest. A good game is assured.

intermediate points.

Sherman has will suit.

of his troubles in San Francisco.

as "base" after the reserve is created. Title of Act Defective. The whole question hinges largely upon the legal effect of the act which purport-ed to raise the price of school land from \$1.25 an acre to \$2.50 an acre. The title of that acf is, "An act providing for the selection of indemnity school land and governing the sale of the same and fix-

pected to realize about \$5 an acre on it

ing the price thereof." Indemnity Lands Alone Named.

It will be noticed that the title of the act mentions only indemnity school land and not school land. The two classes of land are entirely different and are of different relative values. The body of the act raises the price of indemnity land from \$2.50 to \$5 an acre, and purports to from \$2.50 to \$5 an acre, and purports to fix the price of school land at \$2.50 an acre. It provides that these school lands are. It provides that these school lands their true value, but in no case at less than \$5 an acre." This act leaves the board no option in

the matter, but says the board "shall" sell them. That the price of school land has been raised and that the raise was warranted by law, there is no question. The act in force prior to 1903 gave the board the power to fix the price of school land, at not less than \$1.25 an acre. The board could therefore place the price at \$2.50 an acre, even if the act of 1903 is ineffective. The only question is the board must sell at that price.

Pretty Much a Gamble Even if the Attorney-General should hold that the act of 1903 does not apply to school land, because of the defective title, the board has still a difficult prob before it. It was the plain intent of the Legislature that the price of school land should be raised to \$2.50 and the board is carrying out the wish of the

Legislature in that regard. Whether any school land should be en-tirely withdrawn from sale in anticipation of its being placed within a forest reserve is a debatable question. If the general Government should create the reserves upon the same plan that has no vailed in the past, it would be clearly for the best interests of the state to hold the school sections and use them as "base" for the selection of lieu land. As "base

a lot of indemnity lands worth much to the state hospital. more than that price. In 1839 the Legis-lature passed an act withdrawing from sale all indemnity lands that had been selected up to that time. Many sections of these lands are very valuable for their timber. After the act of 1903 was passed fixing the price of indemnity land at \$5 an acre it was claimed by intending purchasers that the board must sell these withdrawn lands at that price.

The board took a different view and refused to sell. Mandamus proceedings have been threatened but the members

have been threatened, but the members smile complacently and await the pro-ceedings. The act of 1903 provides that "the State Land Board shall sell indemnity school lands hereafter selected only after such selections shall have been

The members of the board think it was not the intention of the Legislature that the withdrawn sections should be sold, If either the indemnity lands or the school lands inside a proposed forest re-serve are to be sold, the board will make its intention to sell known so that every one who wishes to buy shall have chance to apply for the land.

FOOT STRUCK WHIRLING SAW. Mink Shingle Mill Hand Is Severely

OREGON CITY, Or., July 15.—(Special.)

—A young man named Guille, who is employed in a shingle mill near Mink. met with an unfortunate accident yester day afternoon. It attempting to kick away some blocks of wood from beneath a saw, the trouser leg was caught in the machinery and before he could extricate simself the right foot was almost severed wounded man was brought to this and the physicians think they will be able to save the injured foot

GARFIELD FLOUR MILL SOLD. Roseburg Man Buys an Up-to-Date Plant.

GARFIELD, Wash., July 15.—(Special.)

The Garfield Roller Mills purchased 

The Late A. T. Clark, ......

it is not certain that the Government follow its former plans.

Purchasers Might Forfelt.

to exclude school sections and land grants. If the state should sell these sec-

tions at \$2.50 per acre, receiving 50 cents per acre as a first payment, and then the Government should exclude the sec-

tions from the reserve, the purchasers in most instances, would refuse to com-

#### HONORED PIONEER OF HARNEY COUNTY.

DIAMOND, Or., July 15 .- (Special.)-A. T. Clark, a pioneer of County, passed away July 6, after a brief illness, of pneumonia. Mr. Clark was a brave soldier in the warfare of justice, in defense of truth and honor. His gift of mind and heart, so superior, carried out through his generous nature the wonderful words of his God, "It is more blessed to give than to receive." The body was temporarily interred in the Happy Valley cemetery, thence to be moved to the family burying ground near Keosaugua, Ia.

Mr. Clark came from the vicinity of the latter town to Oregon at the age of 24, and had been a resident of the State of Oregon for 44 years. He had always been a stanch Republican.

last week by Brown & Vernon have just been sold to F. G. Leonard, of Rosethey are worth \$5 or more per acre. But burg. Or., for \$8000 cash. Mr. Leonard has returned to Roseburg, where he will settle up his business matters and with his family remove at once to this city and take charge of his new possessions. The has been intimated at Washington that hereafter forest reserves will be cre-ated on the "checker-board" plan, so as to exclude school sections and land

> the best in the Palouse Valley. L. W. Carson purchased the property in 1857, and had owned and operated it up to last Water Delays Eugene Sewer Work, EUGENE, Or., July 16.-(Special.)-The contractor who has begun the construction of the new sewer on Jefferson street has

property just purchased by Mr. Leonard is equipped with the newest Plansifter

chinery, is a 60-barrel mill and one

OLYMPIA, Wash., July 15 .- (Special.)-The contract for improving and beautifying the grounds around the state soldiers monument in Olympia, for which an appropriation was made by the last Legislature, was awarded this evening to Con-rad Klam, of Olympia, for 1999. The board having the work of selecting the plans and leiting the contract was composed of Governor McBride, Adjutant-General Drain and Colonel George B. Lamping, of Despondent Swede Commits Suicide, FOREST GROVE, Or., July 15 .- (Special.)-Andrew Olsen committed suicide by

hanging himself in a cabin on the farm of C. L. Jacobsen, where he had been working for the past 15 years, near Beaver-ton, Monday night. The verdict of the jury impaneled by Coroner Dr. C. L. Large, was that despondency was the motive of the rash act. Deceased was born at Christiania, Norway, in 1823. Astoria Population Is 15,000.

ASTORIA, Or., July 15,-(Special.)-The school census for Astoria district jus completed shows that there are 3010 children of school age in the city, which is 400 more than last year. Figuring five persons for every child of school age as is done in other cities would make the total

population of Astoria about 15,000. Chinese Pour Into Mexico. TUCSON, Aris, July 15.-A Star special

YARDMASTER ELLIOTT FALLS ALMOST UNDER ENGINE'S WHEELS.

rible Death.

Yardmaster J. T. Elliott had thrown a switch in the Pennsylvania Railroad yards and was crossing the track in front of an engine, when he was seen to stagger and then suddenly to collapse. He fell almost under the pilot, but, fortunately, rolled off the track to one side. He was not injured.

"After that," said he to a reporter, "I made up my mind to quit work. The fall which might have cost me my life was caused by a nervous disease and might occur again at any time. The trouble began with a severe pain in the legs, and my physician said it was muscular rheumatism. I took his medicine for some time without seeing any improvement. The pain continued, and my strength kept ebbing away. I noticed that I was not as agile as I used to be, and could not catch and climb a moving car as readily as I once did. Then came my narrow escape, and I gave up work. "A different physician this time said I had locomotor ataxia, but I only grew worse under his treatment. I began to have attacks of vomiting, one of which lasted for sixteen days. I grew thin as a skeleton and very weak. Finally I had a consultation of three Pittsburg physicians and they reproduced the lower physicians. cians, and they pronounced me incura-ble. The pain in my body and legs continued to increase, and became so severe that I had to take morphine sometimes to get a little relief. I became just about helpless, with no control of my legs.
"One day a friend sent me a clipping

from a newspaper, telling of a remarkable cure of locomotor ataxia by Dr. Williams' Pink Pilis for Pale People. So I began taking them. I followed directions carefully, and soon began to improve. It was gradual but sure, and now I am like another man. I can gradual to the property of the sure of the property of t now I am like another man. I can go around, and took a three weeks' trip a little while ago without experiencing any bad results. I have not had a pain or vomiting spell since I began taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

Mr. Elliott was in the employ of the Pennsylvania Railroad for 14 years as brakeman, then conductor and finally as yardmaster. He lives at No. 5818 Parker street, Pittsburg, Pa., and is ready to corroborate the above state-Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are sold by all druggists, or direct by Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. X., 50 cents per box; six boxes for \$2.50, postpaid.

from Guaymas, Mexico, says an English tramp steamer landed 1400 Chinese at that port yesterday. The steamer came direct from Chinese ports. During the last 30 days, according to Guaymas advices, fully 3000 Chinese have landed there. The large immigration is due to favorable Mexican

mmigration laws.

#### TIRE OUT BLACK BASS.

Such Fish May Leave Water Stx Times in a Combat.

New York Sun There is but one way in which to land black bass that is well hooked, and that is by tiring it out. It cannot be reeled straight to the boat, as may be done many times with the Oswego, because its activ-ity and muscle are such that it will always break away if it can get a straight, hard dash against a taut line.

The length of time required to subdue one of these bass, when considered along with the size of the fish is great. Ten Captain Harts Did Not Declare Duti-SAN FRANCISCO, July 15.—Captain William W. Harts, U. S. A., who came from the Orient on the transport Thomas, and who failed to declare 152 articles in minutes, 15 minutes, sometimes 20 minutes go by before the furious battle is ended. Such a fish will go out of the water half a dozen times in the course of the combat, and after the first rise it will shake its head from side to side in the effort to his baggage subject to customs duty, to-day paid a fine of \$1971.13 to the Collector. This money will be held subject to the This money will be held subject to the throw out the book so violently and rap-decision of the Treasury Department, to idly that the flutter of it is distinctly audlike the beating of a bird's wings. This strange sound, not at all unlike the The articles were appraised at \$657 and burr of a rising partridge, is made by both head and tail, and there is a shimmer will be confiscated unless the department lecides favorably to Harts. or blur about the fish such as is made

by a stick swiftly revolved in air.

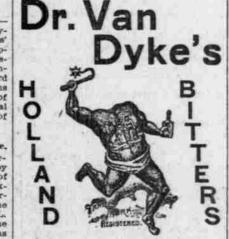
Enormously active and enduring, with a savage temper and tremendous speed, it will leap and bore, fighting for every inch of the line, whirl over and over in the water, endeavoring to wrap the line about its body, and so break it, go to the bottom and try to cut the line by sawing it against the sharp edge of a rock, force its way so tightly between the rocks that the line is often broken in trying to drag it out, butt its mouth furiously against the sand in the effort to rub the book from its place, dart around dead logs, snubbing itself close to the fastened timber, and then break away; speed into any submerged brush it can find and, as a last resort, when reeled in and despairing, will leap from the folds of the dip net itself and shoot under the boat, bending the rod nearly into a circle and popping sharply unless it be of the best material.

Cheeseenke Louis Wonts Damages. New York World.

Louis Mass, who is widely known on the East Side as "Cheescake Louis" cause of his proficiency in making that delectable confection, has an odd suit pending in the City Court, which is to come to trial before Judge Fitzsimmons

and a jury.
"Cheescake Louis" seeks to recover \$115 from the Chickering Club, being the price of a banquet he served to the or-ganization. Mass alleges that for the modest sum of \$100 he served a banquet turn game between the Oregon City and Dayton baseball teams to be played at for 200 guests, consisting of soup, fish three entrees, four roasts, coffee and Canemah Park next Sunday afternoon. The Yambili County team in the first game was defeated by the locals, but dessert, and that he also furnished three kegs of beer "at \$5 per keg."
The Chickering Club answers that he

began his job all right, but that after guests he quit work, leaving the other 170 hungry.



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## **Prove Our Claims**



Dr. W. Norton Davis.

After thoroughly investigating all the curative influences science has so far dis-covered, we are of the opinion that our treatment marks the limit of medical pos-sibilities in the cure of men's diseases. However, we are going to strive toward still greater accomplishments, just as we have striven for the past 21 years, though at no time will we accept a case for treatment or receive pay for our services where we have the slightest doubt as to our ability to effect a cure.

#### SYPHILIS

This most hideous of all venereal diseases can no longer be classed as incur-able. The idea that the limit of medical aid is to keep the disease dormant by per-sistently dosing the system with mineral poisons is as incorrect as many other an-cient theories to which many of the pro-fession cling. Such treatment not infrequently results in the virus being driven desper into the system, where it attacks and destroys even the very bones of the sufferer. We positively drive the very last taint of poison from the system. The cure is thorough and permanent, and every symptom of the disease vanishes forever. We employ no dangerous drugs or min-eral poisons, but use harmless blood-cleansing remedies heretofore unknown in the treatment of this disease. We regard our success in overcoming this frightful leprosy as the crowning triumph of our

#### STRICTURE

Our treatment for stricture removes the necessity for surgical operations, even in severe cases of long standing. We do no cutting or dilating. No other physician employs our methods of overcoming this disorder, so the service we offer you is original and distinctive. Do not give up hope because others have failed. We will cure you, and the cure will be a prompt and painless one. Our treatment dissolves the stricture and permanently removes every obstruction from the urinary passages, subdues all inflammation, relieves all irri-tation or congestion that may exist in the kidneys or bladder, reduces enlargement of the prastate gland and restores health and tone to all the organs affected by the disease.

#### Contracted Disorders

Every case of contracted disease we treat is thoroughly cured; our patients have no relapses. When we pronounce a case cured there is not a particle of infection or inflammation remaining, and there is not the slightest danger that the disease will re-turn in its original form or work it way into the general system. No contracted disorder is so trivial as to warrant uncertain methods of treatment, and we especially solicit those cases that other doctors have been unable to cure,

#### "WEAKNESS"

That condition commonly known as "weakness" is merely a symptom of chronic inflammation in the prostate gland. It is not weakness at all, though in time it brings general debility through its de-pressing influence upon the mind of the sufferer. We treat for such inflammation in years we have not failed to obtain complete and permanent results. The cause of weakness was discovered by ourselves, and no other physicians can duplicate our

#### REFLEX AILMENTS

Often the condition appearing to be the thief disorder is only a reflex allment resulting from some other disease. ness sometimes comes from varicocele or stricture; skin and bone diseases result from blood poison taint, and physical and mental decline follow long-standing functional disorder. Our long experience in treating men enables us to determine the exact conditions that exist and to treat accordingly, thus removing every damag-

#### ing cause and Its effects. **PILES**

'Certain Cures Quick Cures

We cure the worst cases of piles permanently without the use of cintments, without pain, cutting or detention from busi-ness, in from two to three treatments. Our treatment is entirely new and peculiar to ourselves. Remember, no matter who has failed before in your case, we will cure you with mild methods, and without danges, or else make no charge whatever for our services. uld you live at a distance, we can treat you successfully at home.

> WE ARE ALWAYS WILL-ING TO WAIT FOR OUR FEE UNTIL A CURE IS EFFECTED.

We usually can treat just as successfully by letter, but prefer one personal interview if possible. Should you be unable to call, write for our free book describing the male anatomy. It is both interesting and instructive. We mail it in plain wrapper, Consultation and advice free. days and holidays, 10 to 12,

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Changes of Naval Officers.

WASHINGTON, July 15.-Rear-Admiral Terry has been ordered to command the naval station at Honolulu, and Rear-Admiral Miller has been ordered to command the South Atlantic station.