

Weather Tonight and tomorrow Probably fairs

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P. Brower, one of the most wealthy resi-

practioner who assumed full charge of the

and would not even allow the em-

COURT MARTIAL CONCLUDED

(Scripps News Association) Annapolis, Dec. 29-The Coffin court-

martial concluded its deliberations shortly

after noon to lay. The findings of the

court will be forwarded to Admiral Sands,

There is a conflict of opinion whether Admiral Sands as convening authority is

empowered to review the findings of the

court. The Admiral intimated that he

would send the records with recommend-

ations to Washington. The trial of mid-

shipman Stephen DeCatuer Jr. was com-

TRAIN IN HARD LUCK

(Scripps News Association) El Paso, Dec. 29.—The Rock Island

FRANCE DENIES IT

24 hours by a snow slide.

Venezuela

(Scripps News Association)

hazing.

grew rapidly worse until he died.

LA GRANDE, UNION COUNTY, OREGON, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1901

# WEALTHY GERMANS TO WED

(Scripps News Association) St. Louis, Dec. 29-Theodore Scharrer aged 35, a wealthy hop dealer of Stuttgart, Germany, announced today that he will marry Wilhelmina Busch, daughter of Adolphus Busch, at the latter's home on New Years day. On Wednesday the the couple drove to Belleville, Illinois, and registered as man and wife at a notel. They went for a license but the office **GOOD SENSE** was closed, and they returned to St. Louis. Adolphus Busch says he don't know of the contemplated marriage, and don't care. He says the registration at Belleville is Scharre'rs German idea of a joke. Scharrer says the wedding will be (Scripps News Association) San Masto, Calif., Dec. 29-William A. quiet.

#### OUR TAXABLE PROPERTY

dents of this county, died at Elcerrito The county clerk has notified the city Park this afternoon after a three weeks scorder that the taxable property within illness from double pneumonia. Brower the city limits of La Grande is \$921,275 was a great believer in Christian science. This is quite an increase over last year. and refused administration of physicians, but called in a San Francisco scientist

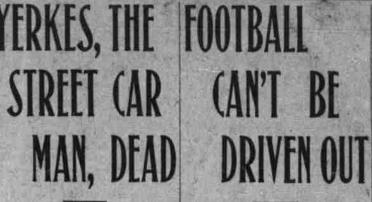
ployment of a trained nurse. The patient JIIH II

(Scripps News Association) Chicago, Dec. 29 .- Secretary Shaw acmenced this afternoon. He is accused of

companied by several of the local bankers tramped the streets through a driving snow storm this morning on what is said Golden State limited was wrecked early this morning forty miles north of El Paso. Sha, will depart for Washington this system.

The officials of the company report no evening and until then will devote every one injured. The entire train left the moment to avert further serious consetrack but remained upright. Previous to quences. Shaw denounced the newsthis accident this train had been delayed papers of Chicago, charging them with distorting his statements. He declared had been betrayed by Chicago newspaper down the reballion,

men and said that hereafter he would of law which had become the custom.



#### (Scripps News Association)

New York, Dec. 29-Charles Yerkes, the street railway financier, who has been at 2:15.

Mrs. Yerkes was not at his bedside the notel since he was stricken, and refuses to say why.

city bonds, failed to carry out his contract, was indicted, found guilty but executive clemency extended and later the city council released him from all of his healthy sturdy young men." debts, afterwards Yerks paid his credito's. He arrived in Chicago in 1882, opened a banking house in 1886, made is first railroad venture in Chicago His first action was to change the system from horse to cable and was first to give the city anything in return for his franchise. He gave a \$50,000 telescope to

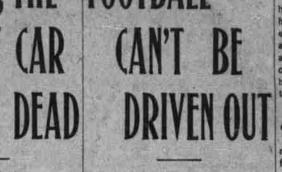
the Chicago University. In 1898 he began the consolidation of the Chicago street railways. In 1901 he left Chicago with \$15,000,000 and went to London and built underground railways. to be an effort to save the financial situa- He was rewarded with wealth and fame tion. In regards to the condition of Wall and far outgenerald J. P. Morgan and street, they are grave enough to enlist his associates who formed an American syndicate in London for an underground

## PUTTING DOWN REBELLION

(Scripps News Association) St. Petersburg, Dec. 29 .- Troops are that this was not the first time that he pouring into Moscow to assist in putting

At Warsaw little news is being received deny himself to them. He also denied of the occurences from the other parts of Paris, Dec. 29-It is formally denied having declared that Walsh would not be the empire. The latest in Poland from that France has sent an ultimatum to prosecuted because he racticed violations Moscow says the Cossacks are gaining ground against the peasants.

SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY



(Scripps News Association)

St. Paul. Dec. 29.-Cyrus Northrup, president of the University of Minnesota ill with heart trouble several days at the speaking before the Minnesota State hotel Waldorf Astor, died this afternoon Educational Association today said, "the correspondent of an Eastern publication

when the end came. She has not been at of football is miserable. This correspond-

Born in Philadelphia in June 25, 1859. or completely misquoted me. I favor Segue business at the age of 17 & 90 football but am opposed to it between

men and a woman, made their escape.

#### LIABILITIES ENORMOUS

(Scripps News Association) Boston, Dec. 29.--H, R. Leighten & Company, stock brokers who have made an assignment for the benefit of their creditors, have liabilities amounting to half a million dollars. The cause of their failure was because a creditor could not meet his liabilities. It is probable that there will be enough assets to pay out the indebtedness.

#### FIRE IN MINNEAPOLIS TENEMENT

Scripps News Association) Minneapolis, Dec. 29,-Ons dead, two fatally burned, I fteen or more injured or overcome by smoke is the result of a fire hich guite I the Higgens' tenement house this morning. Twenty-seven families ware rescued from their beds and were sent shivaring and smothering into the outer air. The thermometer indicated ten degrees above zero at the time the inmates of the house were driven out.

#### UNION COUNTY'S PROSPERITY

Union county is one of the best counties the state of Oregon. We have mire large diversified interest; which provide

# MUST BELUST?

(Scripps News Association) Charlottaville, Val. Dec. 29.--No word has been received from the President, and his stonographer here says he has received no message from Washington necess-ary to be transmitted. The executive and the whole family are freed from official cares. Theodore, Jr., and Dr. Rixy have joined the party. It is supposed that they went rabbit hunting again today.

# SWEARING EFFECTIVE SOME TIMES

(Scrippe News Association) Stockton, Dec. 29.—Dave Miller, a deaf mute, who came have a few days ago from Salt Lake City, was cured in a remarkable manner. One night this week his bed fellow pulled all the covering off from him. Miller awoke angry and near-ly frozen. Such were his efforts to curse his roommate that something snapped in his head and he regained both his speech



(Scripps News Association) St. Petersburg, Dec. 29 .- Ziatoust. a town of seventeen thousand, on the Ural mountains, is under a republican form of government established by the rebels. Red flags now fly over the government arms factory. The officials are impris-oned and the Cossacks have sent out word that if the town is charged they will kill the officers.



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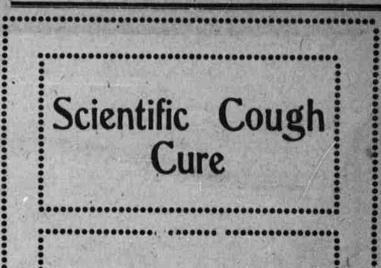
(Scripps News Association)

Portland Dec. 29 .- Gasper Van Dran, these wife was polsoned on August 12 last under mysterous circumstance. indicating murder, committed suicide at ten last night, swallowing cyanide, the identical poison with which his wife was killed. The body was found this morning. Much mystery surrounds the death of Mrs. Van Dran and the case was never fully solved. On May 2, before her death. J. W. Young, who owns a saloon two doors from Van Dran's place of business, went to Van Dran's saloon. and shot the latter five times. Van Dran. was at the hospital two months before he recovered. Young was tried and con-victed for assault to commit murder, and sentenced to six years. He appealed he case.

Van Dran is well known, having con-ducted the Hotel Pendleton, with his brother George for several years. On account of ill health he moved to Portland a little over a year ago where he has since resided.

### **GRAIN MARKETS**

(Scripps News Association) Chicago, Dec. 29-Wheat opened at 85%, closed 85%; corn opened at 50 closed 50; cats opened 51% closed 52%.



#### was a private banker. In 1861 pur- high schools and colleges. Football has chased the first street railway stock came to stay. It has a hold upon the in 1864 assumed millions of Philadelphia popular imagination. It can be regulated popular imagination. It can be regulated but not driven away. Professionalism. commercialism and betting can be driven out and it can be made a good game for

JEWELERY STORE ROBBED

(Scripps News Association) New York, Dec. 29.—Schwartz Bros jewelery store window on Broadway was smashed this morning while the street was crowded with pedestrians. Four thousand dollars worth of rings were stolen." The sobbers, believed to be two

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labor. There are only two counties in the state which employ more labor than Union county. These counties are Multnomah and Clackamas. Where is there another county outside of Multnomah which requires a solid train every other day to carry their products to the market centers? 1906 will bring us many homeseekers, and every citizen should wear that happy smile and be ever ready to extend the glad hand. While we all know we have a banner county, strangers must be made acquainted with these facts

SPECIAL COUNCIL

There will be a special meeting of the city council held this evening for the folowing purposes according to the mayor's call. For the purpose of levying a tax upod the assessed property of the said city of La Grande for general and municipal purposes not to exceed one per centum upon all property both real and personal, within the said city limits. Also to jevy a special tax not to exceed one per centum for the purpose of and to pay in-terest upon the bonded indebtedness for the year 1906. Also to levy a poll tax of \$2 upon each male inhabitant within the city between the ages of 21 to 50 years axcept active fireman. 

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