From the Buldwins-Line of the Proposed Rond.

ASHLAND, Or., March 19.-Information reaches this city that a contract has been let to Mesers. Dunbar & Cousins, the wellknown railroad contractors of Chicago, for grading and laying the track on 22 miles of the proposed Oregon Midland Railroad. The company has also contracted with the Baldwin Locomotive Works, of Philadelphia, for five locomotives—three freight and two passenger ones. The line of the proposed road, as surveyed by Chief Enproposed road, as surveyed by Chief Estimate Falls and follows the north bank of the Klamath River to a point between Klamathon and Hornbrook, on the Southern Pacific Company's railroad. At that point the Oregon Midland has 80 acres of land and the Southern Pacific 80 acres and it and the Southern Pacific 80 acres, and it is expected that a townsite will be located there. The heaviest grade on the road will be a 2½ per celit one, while the greater portion will be under a 2 per cent grade. There will be no tunnels. The road will tap the rich sugar-pine belt of the Jenny Creek and Klamath River country, and the Hopkins (Pennsylvania) syntry, and the Hopkins (Yennsylvania) syn-dicate's timber lands will be tributary to the road. It is stated that Philadelphia financiers are behind the construction of the Oregon Midland.

#### COURT AT HILLSBORO. March Term Convened With Few

Cases on the Docket. HILLSBORO, Or., March 18.-The March term of Circuit Court convened in this term of Circuit Court convened in this city this morning, with Judge T. A. Mc-Bride on the bench. No grand jury was called, and 13 of the panel were allowed to depart for their homes, leaving but 18 jurors, this number being sufficient to try the few cases which are up for adjudica-tion. A. S. Vaughan and George McGraw were appointed bailing for the term.

Eimer Scott, who was, Saturday, ar-rested for an unnatural crime, pleaded guilty and was centenced to six months guilty and was sentenced to six months in the County Jail, the limit of the statute. His honor remarked from the bench that it grieved him that the law did not per-mit the sheriff to take such criminals out and kill them at once as a protection

to public morais.

The following Sheriff's sales were confirmed: Benjamin Anderson vs. H. Peterson; James B. Walker vs. J. H. Humphreys et al.: William Nelson vs. John Bouhart et al.: Emma S. Parker vs. Luther Beard et al.; Tyter Woodward vs. Theodore Liebe et al., and I. D. Clompet ve M. E. Hoxter et al.

Judgment by default-Dr. J. P. Tamiesie vs. George Stewart. The case of Charles Mitchell vs. E. C. Hughes et al., has been set for trial March 29. Mitchell sues for money loaned by the plaintiff Hughes, when the latter was County Clerk, and joins the bondsmen in the suit. The money in question was in the hands of the Circuit Court, and Hughes' loan turned out to be uncollect-All of the defendants have been stricken from the complaint with the ex-ception of R. B. Goodin, who succeeded

Hughes as Clerk. The case of Charles Miller, charged with illicit seiling of liquor at Forest Grove, appeal by the defendant from the decision of the City Recorder, will be heard March

Matt Cooper was this morning arrested en a charge of stealing a horse from Frank Miller. It appears that Cooper and Miller had bought a span of horses together, Miller putting up the money Cooper failed to pay anything, and in a settling later, Miller claims that the title passed to him. Last Saturday evening about midnight, Cooper went to the barr and took the horse away. The defendant was released on \$100 bonds, and will be given trial before the Circuit Court. Henry Herdick, a young fellow who has

been working on the ranch of County Judge Rood, has received the information that he has fallen heir to \$2000 by the death a relative at St. Louis, Mo., and will leave for the East at once

#### OREGON SUPREME COURT. Several Orders Made, but No Oninions Handed Down.

SALEM, Or., March 19.—In the Supreme Court today the following orders were

A. Garbade, respondent, vs the Larch Mountain Investment Company appellant, ordered on stipulation that re-spondent's time to serve and file his brief therein be extended to April 15, 1999. S. E. Young et al., respondents, vs. John Hughes, administrator, appellant, ordered that appellant have until March 22, 1900, to serve and file his brief herein.

J. C. Windle, respondent, va. Ellis G. Hughes et al., appellants; ordered that respondents have until April 15, 1908, to serve and file a reply brief herein. State of Oregon ex rel., Randina Rivers relator, plaintiff, vs. J. E. Miller, defendant; disbarment proceedings, cause sub-mitted on briefs, and argument being waived upon stipulation of parties.

Independent Order of Foresters, respon vs. Margaret E. Kelliher et al., appellants; argued and submitted on a mo tion of the creditors to remand the cause to the court below for further proceedings onsistent with the opinion herein In this latter case the creditors of the beirs did not participate in the appeal, and the counsel for appellants contended that they have no right to be heard in the

#### SALES OF STATE LAND. Beventeen Certificates Were Issued Yesterday.

SALEM. Or., March 19.-Clerk M. L. Chamberlin, of the State Land Board, today issued 17 certificates of sales of state the total area represented being 4923 41 acres. The tracts sold are mostly each. As each purchaser is limfied to that amount of land, none of the tracts contain more than that amount of land. The state receives \$1 25 per acre for the land sold, or \$5929.21 for all the sales for which certificates were issued today Only one-fifth of the purchase price is paid

Salem Notes. Harritt & Lawrence today brought a \$76 attachment suit against Leonard Brown and M. A. Brown, his wife, to recover for

John Worden, a 4-year-old boy, whose nother resides at Kings, Linn County, fell from an upper story of a house at Fruit-land, yesterday and broke his leg. He is at the Salem Hospital.

James Sullivan, age II, was received at asylum today from Lakeview, Lake

## A MISSING SKIPPER.

Captain of the Lein and Mattie Can-

not Be Found. ASTORIA, March 19.-Captain Ostrom. of the schooner Lela and Mattie, that was wrecked at Tillamook some time ago, came from that city to Astoria overland last Wednesday, accompanied by Harry Sianorf, the cook of the schooner, and one seaman. It was their intention to cone seaman. It was their intention to leave for San Francisco on the State of California this morning. Saturday, Cap-tain Ostrom disappeared, and this morn-ing the cook notified the police, as he feared that he might have met with some serious accident or foul play. Some of Captain Ostrom's local friends state that told them Saturday that he intended to start for California that evening by about his safety unless he does

New Packing Company. The Taku Packing Company has been

THE OREGON MIDLAND organized here with the following officers:

J. L. Carison, prosident: F. A. Fisher, secretary and treasurer; Otto E. Carlson, A. C. Fisher, J. L. Carison and F. A. Fisher, directors. The principal place of business will be at Astoria, but the company will erect and operate a cannery at 8unny Bay, Taku Inlet, Alaska. It is expected that the cannery will be in operation during the coming season, and John Hanthorn has been engaged to superintend it.

Fish Rucks Washed Awny

Fish Commissioner Reed made a trip to senside yesterday, and went up the Necanicum to where he had fish racks built to catch steelheads for propagation pur-poses. He found that the recent high water had washed over them, throwing out any fish that might have been caught. The outlook for catching any salmon there this season is very slim. this season is very slim

Old Burying Ground Discovered. While excavating at Fort Stevens recently for the new barracks, an old bury-ing ground was discovered, and several coffins uncarthed. No one seems to know anything about this ancient burial place, and no mention can be found of it in the records at the fort. It is evident from the condition of the remains that they had been buried many years ago.

In Quarantine. The American barkentine Arago, which arrived in from Honolulu this morning, is in quarantine in the lower harbor. She has no sickness on board and brought a clean bill of health, but as she comes from an infected port Quarantine Officer Hastings is fumigating her hold for the purpose of killing the rate. She will be

released from quarantine Wednesday and go to Knappton to load lumber. Resigned From the Reserve. Lieutenant-Commander W. A. Sherman, Oregon Naval Reserves, will leave Thursday for San Francisco, where he has accepted a position as bookkeeper in the main office of the Pacific Sheet Metal Works. He will tender his resignation as commander of the Naval Reserves Wednesday. Until his successor is ciected, Lieutenant Carroll, of the First division of Portland, will be acting commander of

#### the battalion. Astoria Notes.

County Treasurer Thompson issued a call today for all outstanding warrants indorsed prior to February 25, 1898. This

call will necessitate the payment by the County Treasurer of \$21,245 43. The Oregon Telephone Company has completed the surveys for a line from Seaside to Tillamook, and the right of way is now being secured. It is the pres-ent expectation to have the line in oper-ation during the early Summer.

#### DROWNED IN THE TUALATIN. All Efforts to Recover the Body of

Frank Price Fail. FOREST GROVE, Or., March 18.-The dragging of the Tualatin for the body of Frank Price, the missing logger, is still going on. His dinner was found near the jam of logs, and the river there is being carefully explored, but as the current is swift the body may have washed down a considerable distruce. Price left his boarding place at Gaston Thursday noon, and nothing has since been seen of him, while the logs are but little below where he stated they were on leaving for work Thursday. He had no relatives in the tists, but was trouved for those in the state, but was insured for \$1000 in the Woodmen in favor of a sister who resides in the East. He owned a timber claim on the Nehalem, was industrious and of good habits. The Woodmen are conducting the search, but have little hope of suc-cess unless the river clears enough to see down, as it is when undisturbed by shower, or the body rises.

# Astoria's Precaution Against the Bu-

bonie Plague. ASTORIA, Or., March 12.—At the meeting of the City Council this evening Chairman Brix, of the Board of Health, introduced an ordinance authorizing the Chief of Police to pay a bounty of 5 cents each for all rats caught with traps in the city limits during the next 30 days, and ap-propriating 500 for that purpose. No action was taken on the ordinance this evening as it appropriates money, but Mayor Bergman has issuel a call for a special will be taken. The measure is intended as a precaution against a possible epidemic of the plague and neary every councilman has expressed imagin as

favoring its passage. Attempted Sulcide at Sumpter. BAKER CITY, March 19 .- J. R. Peteron attempted to take his own life this wening at Sumpter, by shooting himself with a revolver. He walked outside the city for about a mile, on the Sumpter Val-ley Railroad track, and shot himself in now lying at the hospital in this city, and is not expected to recover.

Smallpox Near Corvallis. CORVALLIS, Or., March 19.-Dr. Logron, physician in charge of the cases, has wired from Philomath to Sheriff Rickard that two new cases of smallpox have ap-peared in the Gellatly family. The new patients are Recorder Gellatly and a sis-ter of Mrs. Gellatly. The place where the disease exists is 10 miles southwest or

Corvallis, and a strict quarantine is main Oregon Notes.

Summerville expects soon to have a Eggs in Corvallis were recently down to Nearly 2000 Lone County voters have reg-

This probably leaves 1400 or 1500 to register. General John P. Stevens, of La Grande, will celebrate his 96th birthday the 26th of this month.

La Grande's creamery will soon be ready to start. It will handle the milk of at least 200 cows.

shipped from La Grande for the Union Bandon school district has 152 boys and

145 girls. It is thought the town's population is about 800. Mormon elders held a meeting at La Grande Sunday, to "explain the principles

of the everlasting gospel." In Corvallis, the County Clerk keeps his office open during the noon hour to give workingmen a chance to register. A milk-skimming station has been established at Telecaset and its product will be sent to a Walla Walla creamery. A cattle-buyer has been at Sandlake, in Tillamook County, and is reported to have "picked up every steer calf at \$15 and left \$400 to \$500 among the people."

Lew Palmer, of Haystack, who is zerv-ing a term in Wyoming for manslaughter. has been granted a new trial. He was a candidate for Commissioner of Grant County in 1896. His acquittal is now ex-

The Klamath Falls town election on the 12th was spirited, 107 ballots being cast. The officers elected are: Trustees, W. W. Hazen, Otto Heidrich, H. F. Schallock, B. Ed. Martin. J. G. Pierce; Recorder, C. Parrish; Treasurer, J. W. Siemens, Judge Eakin has appointed Herbert Hanna, of Eugene, official reporter of the Eighth Judicial District, in place of B. L. Stowell, says the Union Republican, Mr. Hanna entered on the discharge of his duties at the Baker County term.

A correspondent of the Coquille Herald, writing from Gravel Ford, says: "Allie Pearson, a dog and a 22-caliber gun cut juite a figure in a bear fight. Allie found cubs. A 22-caliber gun being his best weapon, Allie cut loose at the old bear's head, and after several shots one took effect in bruin's car and caused her bearship to go dead. The dog killed one cub and Allie captured one alive. Quite a brave act for a kid of about 1s years."

DARING RAID BY TWO PROFES-SIONAL THIEVES.

tole Five Hundred Dollars in Currency and Were Puraned by Clerks, but Escaped.

SEATTLE, March 19. - A daring bank obbery occurred here this afternoon. Iwo men entered the First National Bank Two men entered the First National Bank about 3 P. M., and, seizing a package of currency estimated to contain \$500, made their escape. Employes of the bank pursued the thieves, but unsuccessfully. The robbers are supposed to be expert sneak thieves. One talked to the receiving teller while his accomplice passed quickly behind the counter and secured the money.

## IN A CANADIAN PRISON.

Captain and Crew of Americans Confined for Selling Liquor.

FAIRHAVEN, Wash., March 19.-The chooner Tumiak, just arrived from Bear River, B. C., reports that her captain and crew of three men are now serving a six months' term of imprisonment in a Cana-dian prison, charged with selling liquor to Indians. Last November one of the crew sold an Indian a flask of whisky. For this the whole crew was thrown into prison and the vessel placed in charge of two watchmen. The owner was never no-tified. After an expensive search, Captain DuBruiel, the owner, finally discovered her, and, telling the watchmen in charge that he was to take her to Vancouver, R. C., salled directly for this port. The claim of \$250 of the watchmen is of no value in the United States.

South Bend Notes. SOUTH BEND, Wash., March 13.—The Kleeb Lumber Company's mill began this week running 12 hours to fill orders. One of the orders is for 20 cars of fir ties for the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Rail-

In 1891 this city bonded itself for \$35.00 to remove a bar in the Willapa River, op-posite the Northern Pacific terminal grounds. Added to this each lot on the abutting tideland was assessed \$150 for the improvement accruing to it by having its level raised by the earth from the bar being deposited thereon. The bar, how-ever, proved larger than was estimated and only a channel was cut through ft. It is now proposed to ask Congress for an appropriation of \$200,000 to complete the improvements, and fill in some millistes on the island opposite the city, as sities are growing scarce. The growing commerce demands the improvement, as the removal of the bar will afford enlent anchorage grounds for vessels.

The New Provincial Cabinet.

VICTORIA, B. C., March 19 .- Hon. Joseph Marion has introduced his regime in a highly sensational manner by seiz-ing all the ties and timber on the Crow's Nest Railway property for alleged non-payment of royalty. Ex-Mayor M. P. Gordon, of Kamloops, has just refused the portfolio of finance in the Martin Cabinet, while Dr. Watt, of Fort Steele, ex-member of the Legislature, and father of Superintendent Watt, of William Head quarantine station, has accepted that of the department of lands and works, and s now en route to Victoria.

Indians Arrested for Murder. VICTORIA, B. C., March 19.-News comes from Skagway of the arrest there last Thursday of nine Indians believed to be implicated in the murder of Frank Worthing and his wife, last October.

A Despondent Klondiker. SEATTLE, March 19.—The man who committed suicide here Sunday night was today identified as William Jones, a Klondiker, who was despondent over having lost nearly all his money gambling. His home is in Colorado Springs, Colo.

CLACKAMAS COUNTY TEACHERS. Programme for an Institute to Be

OREGON CITY, March 19.—County Su-perintendent N. W. Bowland, Professor J. W. Gray and Miss Fannie G. Porter, as programme committee of the Clackamas County Teachers' Association, have com-pleted arrangements for a local institute to be held here Saturday, March 31. All eachers and friends of education are in vited to attend. Mrs. Elizabeth McDonald Byland, of the West Oregon City school, will present "Physical Culture," and Rob in the discussion of "The Public School the region of the heart. Peterson is 27 Teacher—His Rights and Duties." At the years of age, and belongs to a family liv. afternoon session an elaborate musical ing on a farm in Powder Valley. He is programme will be presented.

The County Court today granted County Clerk and Mrs. Elmer Dixon letters of adoption of Katle Souers, minor daughter of Henry U. Souers. The court also changed the name of the child to Inita Katle Aletha Dixon. Mr. Souers consented to the adoption of the infant girl, as her mother is dead and he is in poor health. However Mr. health. However, Mr. Souers retains possession of an older son.

	Quotations of Mining Stocks.
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SAN FRANCISCO	O, March 19 Official
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Boston & Mont. \$2	19.—Closing quotations: 98 Parrett 50 44%

Canyon Creek Miner Shot. ROSEBURG, Or., March 19 .- A mining man named Coats was shot by some one concealed on the hillside above his mining claim, about eight miles southwest of Canyonville, near the head of the right fork of Canyon Creek. It is thought a man named Monroe did the shooting. There were three men present—Coats and another, and the one that did the shooting. Coats was shot in the side, the ball coming out above the hip. Word was sent to Canyonville for a doctor, who has not returned. It seems that there has been some trouble between the men for some

#### were formerly from Cottage Grove. NORTHWEST DEAD. Herman E. Taubeneck.

time about their mining claims. They

SEATTLE, March 19.-Herman E. Taubeneck, well-known as the ex-chairman of the National Committee of the People's party, died in this city today. He came here from the East about two months ago in delicate health, and since had been resting quietly at the home of his brother, ig-

SEATTLE BANK ROBBED noring all publicity. The body will be shipped to his old home in Illinois.

Hugh G. Maxon died at his home in Salem this morning of typhoid pneumonia. Deceased came to Oregon last Summer from South Bend, Ind. He brought with him machinery for a box factory in Salem, and had just put his plant in running order when he was taken sick, about 10 weeks ago. He was 25 years old, and leaves a wife and three children. His parents re-side in Elkhart, Ind.

frs. Margaret Hammer. ALBANY, March 15.-Mrs. Margarel Eammer, mother of A. M. and W. F. Hammer, of the Blain Clothing Company, of this city, died this morning at the age of 68 years. She was born in Kentucky.

moving to Macomb, Ill., when a child, and to Oregon in 1882. Mr. Hammer died in 1889. She was a member of the M. E. Church for over 50 years. Funeral of Mrs. A. F. Mills.

VANCOUVER, Wash. March 12.—Arrangements have been made for the funeral of Mrs. A. F. Mills, who died at her
home in this city this morning, to take
place from the family residence, on Kauffman avenue, Wednesday afternoon. Mrs.
Mills was the wife of A. F. Mills, a prominent citizen of this city, and was 60 years
of age. of age.

5. C. Mudge.

SALEM. Or., March 19.—S. C. Mudge died yesterday, at the age of 56 years, at his home near Chemawa. Heart disease was the cause of his death. The deceased came to Oregon about two months ago from Benkelman, Neb. He leaves one daughter.

Mrs. G. W. Staples.
SALEM, Or., March 19.—Mrs. G. W. Staples, aged & years, died at her home, near Turner, yesterday. Deceased leaves one daughter, Mrs. J. Hussey, and two sons, George and Fred Staples. The latter is now in Alaska. is now in Alaska.

One on the Mayor-Editor. Fossil Journal.

The Journal's 6-year-old hopeful, upon learning that his dad had been elected Mayor, asked: "What does the Mayor have to do, papa?"

The Mayor, not feeling overly clear on

the point himself, made answer: "Oh, looks after the interests of the town."

Whereupon the youngster remarked: "Then you'll have to get up earlier in the morning than you've been a-doing."

Amid the laughter of the women folks the Mayer field to ble section. the Mayor fled to his sanctum

Mysterious Affair at Seattle. SEATTLE March 19.—An unknown man ras shot and instantly killed last night on a well-lighted business street in the heart of the city. He was about 45 years old, brown hair and moustache, gray eyes, and neatly dressed. He fell bleeding to the sidewalk with a 38-caliber revolver at his feet. The police say it is a case of suicide, but circumstances throw an air of mystery around the tragedy. No clew to his identity was found on his person.

## HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Chas Landan, Mentreal Henry Doyle, Vanc, BC S Blackson, Vanc, B C L H Briggs, Quincy, Or J L Kormick, Chgo H Fisher, N J H Severn, Jamestwn, N D C M Dummick, Chgo A C Gausler, Camden, N T E L Somera, Chicago Mark E Monash, do Louis Getr, San Fran Geo D Graham, S F J H Rohr, New York H Wadsworth, S F J H Rohr, New York H Wadsworth, S F J G Clark, N T M Mrs E G Wyck.

H Wadsworth, S F J G Clark, N T M Mrs E G Wyck.

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E E Willis, Arapahoe, Neb
J Close, Burlington, Vt.
E L Jones, N Whatcom H A Everson, Mont
L F Dunbar, Montana
H Harkins, Tacoma
K W M Williams, WillIams, Or
D W Raliston, Sheridn
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R S Wilson, Grants, Or G
Frank Thompson, Los
Angeles
O C Musser, San Fr
Samuel Dobren, San Fr
Samuel Dobren, San Fr
J B Seely, Woodhum
W A Foote, Spokane
W M M Butler, Ir, S R
J B Hoffman, Missoula
Chas Hill, Tacoma
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C W Cottam, Oakland,
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J H Townsend, Dalland, Or
O J Sorvasen, LaCrosse
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John Adams, Yamhilli
John Stewart, do
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R C Hunt, St Paul
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C W Knowles, Manager.

THE IMPERIAL. C. W. Knowles, Manager, Frank J Parker, W W Miss Robbins, Dalles
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H A Breeffoord, Umatilla
Sofus Jensen, Astoria
Mrs Jensen, Astoria
Miss L Chambers,
Hammond
H Logan, The Dalles
H M Dilten, Baker Cy
D K McDonald, Spokm's B Vander, New York
Miss D Emmerson,
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J Bina St Louis
Henry Jacob, San Fr
E S Francie, Springfid
R Mercer, do
F C Reed, Astoria
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B S Himulier, Salem
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W Miller, Astoria
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O P Rice, Troutdals
H C Merrill, Kalama
E M Ginty, Astoria
A L Woodward, Marahland
C H Glibreath, London, Eng
H Y Nelson, city
A L Hoff, city
J Selcher, city
S M McGregor, city
S M McGregor, city
D Dyck, Woodland
C G Moore, Stella

THE ST. CHARLES.

Geo Evans, Brownsville
J R Wright, Astoria
O G G Geiby, Hillsboro
A S Richardson, city
King Sprague, Clacksumas
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Hotel Bonnelly, Facoma. European plan; headquarters for commercial men. Chilberg's restaurant is connection.

Detroit Sails for Greytown. WASHINGTON, Marcn 12.-The Detroit has sailed from Havana for Greytown to look after American interests there.

# Oceans of Hair!

Long and flowing tresses! Rich and heavy braids! Beauty, splendor, elegance!

Feed your hair well and it will give you in return just the heavy growth you so much desire.



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Ayer's Hair Vigor is a hair-food. It gives strength, vigor, growth.

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\$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

END OF THE POPULIST ORGANIZA-TION IN CLARK COUNTY.

Fusion in Benton County-Governor Geer Declares He Is Not a Candidate for the Senate.

VANCOUVER, Wash., March 19.-There will be no Populist county convention held in this county, and no Populist ticket placed in nomination for county offices. this year. Such is the decision arrived at by the Populist County Central Committee at the meeting held in Chairman Grenn's office last Saturday. There were 20 of the 23 committeemen present, and the vote not to hold a separate convention was unanimous. By the action of the commit-tee the Populists practically abandoned their organization in this county and decided to affiliate and co-operate all par-ticulars with the Democrats, under the name of the Democratic party. It is generally understood that the action taken is due to the direct influence and advice of Lieutenant-Governor Thurston Daniels, owner and publisher of the Vancouver Register, for a number of years conducted as a Populist organ, but which recently changed its name to the Register-Demo-crat. It is understood many of the Middle-of-the-Road Populists of the county are considerably disgruntled over the ac-tion of the committee, and there is consklerable talk of bolting. No date was fixed for paimaries or convention.

# FIRST COUNTY CONVENTION.

dependent Filipino Republic." Democrats of Harney County are early n the field. On the 13th they nominated he following ticket: For Sheriff, George Shelley: County Clerk, H. C. Richardson; Treasurer, R. C. Angevine; Commissioner, R. J. Williams; Assessor, J. W. Buchanan; School Superintendent, J. C. Bartlett; Surveyor, J. R. Johnson; Coroner, Frank Stauffer. Delegates to the state conven-tion are: W. D. Baker, Julian Byrd, W.

B. Dodson, J. B. Cawifield, The Harney County News gives the plat-form adopted as follows:

"We most heartly reaffirm our allegi-ance to the Chicago platform of 1996, and especially do we continue to demand the free and unlimited coinage of silver and gold as equal primary money at the ratio of 16 to 1, independent of all other nations in the world.

"We are opposed to imperallism in the United States, and condemn the Republican House of Representatives for passing the so-called Puerto Rico bill. "We are opposed to entangling alliances with foreign kingdoms and empires.
"We demand that the Cubans and Fili-pinos be permitted and encouraged to establish independent republics, deriving all their governmental powers from the consent of the governed.

"We denounce the Hanna-Payne ship-ping bill, which, if enacted, would shackle our shipping interests.

"We are in favor of a constitutional amendment, providing for the election of President, Vice-President and United shipping interests, States Senators by direct vote of the a

"We are opposed to monopolization of "We pleage ourselves to retrenchment in "We are opposed to imperialism in the ounty and state expenditures, and we alm to put forth every effort to reduce the indebtedness of Harney County.

LIVELY DAY FOR ALBANY. Bryan Will Speak and Republicans Will Meet March 28. ALBANY, Or., March 19.—Wednesday, March 28, will be a big day in the politi-cal arena of Linn County. At 19 A. M. Hon. W. J. Bryan will speak in this city

Mon. W. J. Bryan will speak in this city under the auspices of the Democratic and

Convention will be opened with 190 dele-gates and a big following from all parts of the county. Preparations are being a full state ticket will be nominated, made which will fill Albany with people

The political ball has already begun OLYMPIA, Wash., March 19.—Governs The political ball has already begun the Union ticket, and B. F. Ramp have made several speeches throughout the county, and this week Senator Kelly will open the campaign for the Republicans

### FUSION IN BENTON COUNTY. Populists and Democrats Will Unite

in the Present Campaign. CORVALLIS, Or., March 19.-There is to be a consolidation of forces by the Demo-crats and Populists of Benton County in the coming campaign. An arrangement to that effect was agreed upon by the County Central Committees of the two parties Saturday afternoon. Each party is to elect a separate set of delegates, and the aggregate of the delegates elected by each is to be the same. All the delegates will join in a single county convention and both parties will unite on the ticket nominated by this convention. The plan is believed to be different from that of any of the other counties. One peculiarity is that the Democrats in the county largely outnumber the Populists, possibly by more than two to one. The primaries are to be held April 7, and the county convention April

GEER AND THE SENATORSHIP. The Governor Says He Will Not Allow His Name to Be Used.

SALEM, March 19.-The Capital Journal tonight quotes Governor Geer as follows on the question of his candidacy for the Senate to succeed McBride: "I will not allow my name to be used by either side or by any factions, and will not allow the subject to take a particle of my time or thought. The people have elected me Governor, and have not asked me to run for Senator, and it would be unfair for me to do so, or to do anything else than give them the best service I am capable of in the position to which I was

Nominations of Dallas DALLAS, Or., March 19.—Saturday even-ing the Republicans met in the different wards to nominate one Councilman from each ward, to be voted on at the regular election, April 2, and to elect a ward committeeman from each ward, which resulted as follows: First Ward-Councilman, J. L. Collins; committeeman, E. L. Collins. Second Ward-Councilman, M. D. Ellis, committeeman, William Grant. Third Ward-Councilman, Dr. R. E. L. Stiner. committeeman, R. L. Chapman. The Democrats have not held their city convention, but will put on their candi-

Pacific County Republicans. SOUTH BEND, Wash., March 19.-Little or no interest is being taken in the com-ing Republican County Convention, called to elect delegates to the Ellersburg convention. The reason is the absolute cer-tainty of President McKinley's renomination, and the lack of any necessity for

GONE BACK TODEMOCRACY Populist parties of this county, with Hon, for delegates are few also, because of the detrimental influence their election for the same hour the Republican County the convention might have on their

Bryan Cancels Some Engagements. iam J. Bryan stating he is obliged to be in Portland April 4. This will prevent his including Whatcom, Olympia and other towns in his tour, other than those originally advert sed.

Polk County Silver Convention. DALLAS, Or., March 19.—The County Central Committee of the "People's Free-Silver Republican-Democratic party" was The time for the holding of the county convention was set for April 16.

## THE COEUR D'ALENE SHOOTING Merely a Drunken Row in a Saloon of

WASHINGTON, March 19.-News of further trouble in the Coeur d'Alene mi ing district reached the War Department today in the following telegram: Vancouver Barracks, Want, March 19 wates West Hayes and David F. Hayden, Company M. Twenty-fourth Infantry, were badly shot in Coeur d'Abone City; suspected parties under arress, recovery of men doubtful. All quiet here, "M'CAIN,

Acting Assistant Adjutant-General, in absence Department Commander."

SPOKANE, Murch 19. - The statement conveyed by a Washington dispatch that there had been a renewal of the trouble in the Coeur d'Alone mining district is erneous and arose from confusion of geographical names. Cocur d'Alene City, where the shooting occurred, is 75 from the mining district. It is at the foot of Cocur d'Alene Lake, while the mining camps are on the headwaters of the river of that name. Adjacent to the town is Fort Sherman, a United States military post, garrisoned by a few soldiers. The rouble was an ordinary drunken row.

# GREAT PARIS EXPOSITION.

Owing to the heavy travel about to set from America to Europe, persons who contemplate visiting the Paris exposition or any part of Europe, should make apention for steamship accommodations (first or second cabin) at earliest date pos-sible, to secure desirable berths and sail-Full information regarding cabin rates, diagrams and salting dates via all trans-Atlantic ateamship lines, may be obtained at the Union Pacific ticket office Accommodations reserved promptly on ap plication. Don't forget the number, 135 GEORGE LANG City Passenger and Ticket Agent, J. H. LOTHROP, General Agent.

A Democratic Inquiry.

Jefferson Review.

E. H. Flagg wants to be re-elected to the Legislature. It's all right, E. H., but what ticket are you going to run on this

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