### LEADERS WILL PRESS MEASURE

Several Other States Protest and Matter May Go Over This Term-Puget Sound Naval Station's Increased Appropriation.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.-The Congress gional reapportionment bill which was prepared by Chairman Hopkins and favorably reported by the census commit-tee does not allow an additional Repre-sentative to the State of Washington, although the Crumpacker and Burleigh bilts assign three members to that state. It is the intention of the House leaders to press the Hopkins bill, but that measure reduces the representation of Ohlo. Indiana, Maine, Nebraska, Washington and several Southern States, which all rebel, and put up a stubborn fight against

such an apportionment.

The boders generally favor the Bur-leigh bill, which provides for 387 mem-bers, and it is possible that they will stir up such an opposition that the entire question may go over to the next Con-gress. Both Washington Representatives are lighting the Hopkins bill, and will be supported by the Senators. Cushman is for the Burieigh measure, thinking it stronger on a basis of 184,000 than a bill for nearer 200,000, which would let his state in on three members. Jones is for any bill which will give Washington three

Chairman Poss, of the naval committee, assures Representative Jones that the Puget Sound naval station will receive a more cenerous appropriation this year than last.

### FIRE IN WOOLEN MILLS.

Blaze Discovered in Time, and Large Damage Was Averted.

OREGON CITY, Dec. IS—A fire broke out in the washed wool stored in the picker department of the woolen mills this afternoon, probably from a steam pipe, but was extinguished before the damage was extensive. After the wool is washed it is stored in the dryroom over the picker department, where it is dried by the aid of steam pipes. The extent of the damage cannot be ascer tained until the wool is overhauled.

Cinckumns and Incorporation. The residents of Clackamas Station held another incorporation meeting last night, and after considerable discussion post-poned the matter until Monday night, A purse will be raised to defray the expense of an injunction suit against storing powder within a specified distance of the public school building, provided it is decided not to incorporate. The principal object in incorporating is to pass an ordinance making it unlawful to store powder in the city limits, but the quas-tion now to be decided is which would be the most effective plan to secure re-Recently the Vigorit Powder Company erected a large magazine within about 200 yards of the railroad depot, but have stored no powder there up to this time. The California Powder Company also has a powder magazine a short distance away, and, in the event that the town shall be incorporated, it was the intention to make the boundary lines include both magnetnes. It is claimed by the advocates of incorporation that a large majority of the citizens are oped to storing powder so near their

## ASHLAND AGAINST SALOONS.

Voters Decide Not to License Them-Republicans Carried City Election. ASHLAND, Or., Dec. 18.—The city elec-tion passed off very quietly today. Very little interest was taken in the polling, outside of the Anti-Saloon League, on the license question, and a very light vote was cast. The entire Republican ticket was elected, as follows:

elected, as follows:
Mayor, R. P. Nell; Recorder, Milton
Berry; Treasurer, Henry Galey; Coancilmen-First ward, P. B. Whitney; second
ward, Thomas H. Simpson; third ward,

On the question of saloon license, 426 wotes were cast, the totals being 216 against and 197 for, giving a majority of s against the issuance of include a city cons. This vote was taken under a city relinance, asking an expression of the against the Issuance of license to saordinance, asking an expression of the Noters on the subject at each city elec-tion. At the present time there are six saloons in Ashland that pay \$400 lilense each per year. These licenses all expire January 15, and if the City Council takes notice of the pleasure of the voters, no more licenses to retail liquor will issue after that date.

The Anti-Saloon League claims that the new Council, which is composed of six members, will stand four to two ngainst the issuance of licenses, and there will be no more sulocus in Ashland after Jan-uary 15. At the last city election, held on the license question, 3i votes were cast, in which license carried by nine majority. R. P. Neil, the Mayor-elect, was the candidate on both the Republican and Democratic tickets.

## PROBLEM FOR SALEM COUNCIL.

Expenses Down to Bedrock, and Assessment Revenues Reduced \$2700. SALEM, Dec. 18.-The Salem City Council tonight passed an ordinance elight advances in the various city license

The Council intended passing an ordinance determining the revenue and ex-penses for the ensuing year, as provided by the charter, but the matter was laid

It is reported that the reduction of valuations in this year's assessment will cut down the city's revenue \$2700. The Council must either cut expenses that amount or increase the revenues. As expenses have already been cut to bedrock and the revenues have been made as large as possible, the Council is in a quandary, and will grapple with the difficulty at an adjourned meeting Friday

Charles Albee was brought to the pent-tentiary today from Baker County, where he was found gullty of the crime of larceny and sentenced to three years' imprison

Fred Banker, aged 24 years, and a rest-dent of Detroit, Marion County, was com-mitted to the asylum today by County F. G. Smith, aged 20 years, and a resident of Salem, was also committed to the asylum today from Marion County.

### FAITH IN CRIMINAL SHATTERED. Baker City Minister Forced to Fore-

go Good Opinion of Man. BAKER CITY, Dec. 18.—Charles Albee, the well-known young man of Baker City who pleaded gullty to stealing material to build a house, has been sentenced to three years in the penitentiary by Judge Eakin. Before Albee's sentence, he was visited by Rev. J. R. N. Bell, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, and one of the prominent ministers of the state. Pr. Bell visited the culprit as suffitual ad-Bell visited the culprit as spiritual acviser. After spending an hour with him-he came out of the ceh assuring the jailer that Albee would be a better man when he had served his term, and that he seemed to have good parts. As Dr. | account.

Bell started to leave the Courthouse he passed three trunks on the sidewalk. One of them he recognized as his own, and immediately asked where the jaller had got his trunk. "That is not your trunk; that is Ai-

bee's," replied the offices.

"That is my trunk," insisted the reverend gentleman. "Well, it that fellow didn't steal my trunk?" Rev. Mr. Hell is credited with saying that he believed there was no hope for the criminal. Circumstances after cases. A man that would steal the parson's trunk had little hop-for reformation.

CHEHALIS WANTS BETTER WATER. Analysis of Present Supply Proves

Analysis of Present Supply Proves
That It Is Impure.
CHEHALIS, Wash, Dec. 18.—At a meeting of the City Council last night, a resolution was introduced and passed declaring the water now supplied the piace from the well of the Chehalls Water Company to be impure, and demanding that water be furnished from some other source. The company furnished water from a pumping station on the Newankum River until this Summer, when a well on the flat inside the limits of the town was dug. A complete pumping piant. wn was dug. A complete pumping plant was put in and the improvement is said to have cost about \$800. The new well drained many wells in town, and it was the supposition that some impure sources of water were included.

The City Council took the matter in and and secured a chemical analysis of he water by Professor Byers, of the State Iniversity, who pronounced the water im pure. Water will again be supplied the city from the pumping statton on the river. During the Winter time this supply is generally considered satisfactory, but n the Summer it is not.

Toledo School Bonds Sold. A \$5000 issue of school bonds was sold.

Saturday by the County Treasurer for the Toledo school district, where a new schoolhouse is to be built. Coffman & Kepner, of this place, bought the bonds, paying about \$50 more than par for the t, which will draw interest at the rate of 6 per cent. The bonds are to run le years, but there is an option allowing payment to be made at the end of five

#### COURT AT VANCOUVER.

Burglary Charge Not Sustained-Burglars Pleaded Guilty.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Dec. 18.-A verdict of "not guilty" was rendered today in the case of the State of Washington vs. John Sankonan, Jr., charged with burglarizing the premises of Nestor Waine, at Hockinson

Fritz Wolf and Ira Edgill, who were bound over for trial in the Superior Court in Justice Court a few days ago for burgiary, pleaded guilty to the charge be-fore Judge Miller this morning.

Court Adjourns, The petit jury was dismissed this after-noon, notwithstanding the fact that sev-eral cases still remain on the calendar for trial. The Judge explained that the adjournment at this time was necessary adjournment at this time was necessary in order to enable him to attend court in Cowiitz County, which convenes to-morrow morning for the trial of the Stickle murder case. The jurors were notified that they would probably be recalled for the trial of the remaining cases on the docket some time during the early part of January.

#### NORTHWEST DEAD. Mary Fisherman, Noted Indian Woman.

COTTAGE GROVE, Or., Dec. 18.—Mary Fisherman, an Indian woman, died near this place last night. Her ancestry is of considerable note. She was the last of the Calapoola tribe, and was a niece of the old Chief, Ha-lo-tish. Her age is a matter of conjecture. Old settlers remember seeing her here when they settled in 1854. The citizens gave her a respectable. 1854. The citizens gave her a respectable burial today and raised money by subscription for funeral expenses.

Jesse Ferguson, Washington Pioneer Jesse Ferguson died at his home, a few niles from Olympia, Sunday. He was one of the first ploneers of the State of Washington, having arrived in 1845. He lived in Washington until his death, nearly all the time in what is now Thurston

#### WASHINGTON INFANTRY OFFICERS. Four Appointments to Commissioned | holding values for the management that Staft of First Regiment.

General Fox today made the following appointments on the regimental staff of the First Regiment, Infantry, National Guard of Washington: George B. Lamping, Seattle, Captain

and Adjutant, with rank from December and Commissary, with rank from Decem-

ber 16, 1900.

William L. Lemon, North Yakima, First Licutenant and Quartermaster, with rank from December 17, 1900, A. G. Simmer, Scattle, First Licutenant and Signal Officer, with rank from De-

Forest Grove Notes.

FOREST GROVE, Or., Dec. 18.—Re-moval of the machinery of the Washing-ton County Flouring Mills from the building where it has been located for a num-ber of years is now in progress. The Crescent Flouring Mills will at once be moved into the quarters vacated. The latter plant is to be operated by electricity. Water from Gales Creek, 21/2 miles

distant, will supply the power.

The setting of poles for the electric light system which E. W. Haines proto install here was begun yester.
The machinery has been ordered
n San Francisco, and in the course
month or so it is expected that the plant will be in operation.

Monmonth's New City Officers. MONMOUTH, Or., Dec. 18.-The followng Citizens' ticket was successful in the

town election here yesterday: Mayor, C. C. Lewis; Councilmen, A. La Chute, G. T. Boothby; Treasurer, Ira C. Powell; Recorder, L. Ground; Marshal.

Powell; Recorder, L. Groune, marsan.
R. H. Simpson.

There was no contest for any office except for Marshal. The re-election of the Mayor and Councilmen is taken as an inforsement of the present Council's action in placing electric lights on the streets and the prohibition of cows from counting at large. running at large.

Lower Puget Sound Fortifications. SEATTLE, Dec. 18.-That the Governnent has not completed the armament of the Lower Puget Sound fortifications is proved by the fact that two barbette gun carriages have been dispatched from Philadelphia for Seattle, en route to Fort Casey, where they will be set up soon af-ter January 1 next. The carriages will be delivered to Major Millis, Corps of En-gineers, who is in charge of the river and

Sale of Washington Water-Power. SPOKANE, Dec. 18.—A quit-claim deed was filed today by which the Amster-lamsch Trustees, Kantoor, a Holland Company, transfers all its holdings in Spokane County to the Washington Water Power Company for \$300,000. The Water Power Company for \$399,000. The deal includes the upper fails of the Spokane River, part of Havermale Island, and a large amount of valuable river front property on which manufacturing plants are situated. This gives the Washington Water Power Company practically complete control of the Spokane Falls.

harbor fortifications work in this state. The two carriages are big affairs, weigh-

Clark County Pioneer Is Insane, VANCOUVER, Wash, Dec. 18.—Jacob Heinrich, a pioneer of Clark County, who was brought here several days ago in a demented condition of mind, was yester-day adjudged to be income and was to-day taken to the income Agyium at Stell-

## OLD GEM MINE BONDED

COLORADO CAPITALISTS SECURE OPTION ON PROPERTY.

The Deal is Generally Regarded as One of Great Importance to the Sparta District.

BAKER CITY, Dec. 18.—The old Gem nine, in the Sparta district, has been conded to Denver capitalists. The deal s generally taken to mean that the prop is generally taken to mean that the prop-erty is to be worked on a large scale. Colorado mining men are known to be thoroughly progressive, and once they take hold of a proposition they keep "everlasting at it" until its full value is determined. Schooled in a formation pe-culiar to that state, and where muny time-honored precedents failed, they do not stampede at a dyke, such as are found in many good mines of Eastern Oregon,

Hyland, 400; A. C. Woodcock, 250; H. A. Cooly, 200; Lane County Bank, 701; W. S. McFadden, 677; J. C. Jennings, 50; Hill Bros., 800; Tom Balley, 600; M. M. Harper, 815; on exchange, 400; total, 25,665 bushels.

Against this amount there is but IL-80 bushels, leaving a shortage of 17,500 bushels, leaving a shortage of 17,500 bushels. There is said to be about 2500 or 2500 bushels in the mill, which would make the total shortage of wheat 15,000 bushels. The assignces are still engaged in weigh. The assignces are still engaged in weigh-ing the oats and other grain in the ware-house. It is not yet known what action will be taken in the matter until the weighing is all complete.

### REWARD FOR MURDERER.

Washington County Offers \$500 for Arrest of Bahlberg's Slayer.

HILLSBORO, Dec. 18.—County Judge Rood, of Washington County, after consultation with Commissioner Ward, of Gatin, has decided to ofter a reward of 5200 for the arrest and conviction of the murderer of Andrew Dahlberg.

Sheriff Sewell has discovered that the murdered man, Dahlberg, killed at Reed-ville Saturday night, and found with a bullet hole through his head, was last



ONE OF THE PRINCIPAL SPEAKERS AT THE FARMERS' INSTITUTE, HELD AT STAFFORD.

They have found that great values go with depth in their own state, and so far as they have expressed themselves on Eastern Oregon, believe the same rule applies here, although there are few instances where the idea has been put into

The Gem represents the greatest depth attained in Sparta, It has one perpen-dicular shaft 199 feet deep, another 87 feet, and an incline on the vein down 450 feet. Considerable development has been done on the extreme lower level, thus testing the permanence of the vein at that depth. Those who have inspected that depth. Those who have inspected the Gem freely state that there is no visible reason why sinking should not

in this region. It is situated in the midst of the rich placer diagnings of early days. What it yielded in pre-statistic days is not known, but reports handed down from mouth to mouth are very favorable. It has been idle for a considerable period, but not in an altogether abandoned state. The property has al-ways ranked as a mine, although not active, and has been looked upon as would work it properly. Last February, property; first by bond and later by purchase. A single holst engine of 12 horsepower, and a 90-gallon Dow steam pump were immediately installed. The property was cleared of water, which had umulated in the lower levels, and de velopment work was begun. A considerable force was employed during the Summer. Seven claims are included in the property, one of which, the Gem, is patented, and the others are held by located,

No figures are given out as to the amount of the bond. Both parties interst-ed regard this information as private. Various rumors are heard, some of which place the sum at \$5,600. The time when the new management will take possession and begin operations is not divulged, but it is understood to be in the near fu-

Ore values in the Gem vary, like those in all other properties that have of to rank as good producers. Some of ore is known to have been remarkably rich. No records have been found show ing how much of this class of quartz was removed, but from the walls left and the face of the ledge where work ceased, it is estimated that the Gem yielded handsomely. The ore is almost entirely free milling, there being a very small per cent of sulphurets. The quartz is easily mined.

The Gem, like other properties in the Sparta and Sanger districts, is remark-ably easy of access. The country is one of low hills of gentle slope. Nowhere is found the rugged mountain sides where quartz veins are usually located. Fuel is venient. The greatest advantage, now, ever, is the fine water power of Eagle Creek, six miles distant, where an elec-tric powr plant is contemplated. With a plant in operation, the Gem would

GOOD POSITION FOR MINING MAN. Elected Manager of Large Smelter at Salary of \$10,000 Per Year.

BAKER CITY, Or., Dec. 18.—Bela Ka-dish, owner of the Baker City Sampling Works, which has handled most of the concentrates and ore shipped from this region of late years, has accepted a po-sition as minager of the Northport smelter. This smelter, handling the product of the famous Le Boi mine, is a very large institution. It is reported that Mr. Kadish will receive a salary of about \$10,000 a year. He has been identified with the smelting business for many years, and bears the reputation of being an ex-

pert in the work.

The Baker City Sampling Works has recently been incorporated with a capital stock of 25,000, all being held by Mr. Ka-dish. The business of the concern will continue as before, under the manage-ment of N. E. Imhsus, a well-known operator of Eastern Oregon, who has had control for the past two months.

## SHORT ABOUT 15,000 BUSHELS. Result of investigation at Junction City Warehouse.

JUNCTION CITY, Or., Dec. 18.-The weighing of the wheat in the Baber ware, house, which has been going on for the house, which has been going on for the past four or five days, was completed inst evening. The number of bushels in the warehouse and those holding receipts against it should have been as follows: R. A. Rampy, 5000; Eugene Loan & Savings Bank, 5000; G. C. Millet, 4500; G. R. Chrisman, 2500; Jesse Sovern, 2500; Mrs. Cook, 1200; I. N. Hembree, 1200; M. P. Caldwell, 640; Huriburt, 600; C. F. Huriburt, 500; J. and F. Williams, 400; F. E.

Wodnesday paid \$110 by J. B. Imlay, the warehouse man at that place. Mr. Imlay states that Dahlberg had some money in his purse when the payment was made. From Imlay's he went to Wold's grocery. where he made some purchases, which he had charged, saying he would be in in a few days and settle. The receipt of this money rather indicates that Dahi-berg was killed by some one who knew that the farmer was expecting to get money for wood and vegetables taken to the station.

The remains of the murdered man were interred in the Hillsboro cemetery today.

Quotations of Mining Stocks.

for mining stocks	today	were:	
Bid.	Ask.	Bid.	ANK
Blacktail 8%	9	P. M. Tunnel	20
Butte & Bon. 114	156	Quilp20	23
Crystal 4	25%	Ramb. Car 2514	2614
D. T. Con 1%	2	Republic60	675
Evening Star. 5	65%	Reservation 3	434
Gold Ledge 1	126	Ross. Giant 2%	23
Golden Harv. %	75	Ramb. Car. 2514 Republic 60 Reservation 3 Ross. Giant 214 Sullivan 1414	14%
Acres Adventure 1883	22.67%	Tom Lhumb 10%	22.59
Iron Mask24	2779	Waterloo 2%	= 20
		Winnipeg	
	0.278	Conjecture 4	227
Mtn. Lion16	20	Bitter Root 4	_P2
Morn, Giory., 8%	274	Amer. Boy 9% Frade Dellar., 2%	10%
Morrison 2		Dewey 24	23
Noble Five 14	3.60	riemeh 24	- 48
Tim. Manager And	4.18		

SAN FRANCISCO	), Dec. 18.—Official closing
quotations for minis	ng stocks:
Alta	05 Kentuck Con \$0 00
Alpha Con	3 Mexican 33
Andes	SiOccidental Con
Belcher	14 Ophir 6
Best & Belcher	26 Overman 19
Builion	26 Overman R 2 Potosi B 47 Savage B
Caledonia	
Chollar	15 Sierra Nevada 2
Confidence	55 Silver Hill 46
Con. Cal. & Va 1	55 Silver Hill 46 45 Standard 3 16
Crown Point	11 Syndicate 10
Gould & Curry	11 Syndicate 10
Hale & Norcross.	20 Utah Con
Justice	2 Yellow Jacket If

NEW YORK, Dec. 18 .- Mining stocks today runswick Con... \$0 14 Ontario ...... ronstock Con. 4 Ophir ... 4 Ophir ... cn. cal. & Va. 1 85 Phoenix ... cor Silver ... 1 10 Savage ... 1 10 Savage ... 1 10 Savage ... Sadville Con. ... 5 Small Hopes ... dtije Chief ... 15 itandard ...

HOSTON, Dec. 18.-Closing quotations: Adventure \$ 7 50 Oscoolia \$ 73 50
Allouez M. Co 2 25 Parrott 49 75
Amal. Copper 94 75 Quincy 188 00
Atlantic 23 00 Santa Fe Cop. 6 50
Boston & Mont 331 00 Famarack 280 00
Butte & Boston 85 00 Cush Mining 32 25
Cal. & Hecla. 815 00 Winona 3 25
Centennial 22 75 Wolverines 45 00
Fumboldt 53 00

Corvallia Poultry Show Opens.

CORVALLIS, Dec. 18.—The local poul-try show opened today. It continues un-til Saturday, inclusive. Many coops of fine birds are already on exhibition, and others are arriving by each train and hoat. All will be in place early tomorrow, when it is expected that the quarters secured for the exhibit will be considerably crowded. The indications are that the exhibit will be very successful. Farmers of the vicinity are manifesting unusual interest, and local townspeople are fing every encouragement to the exfrom other counties, some of them com ing from as far north as Multnomah.

Driving Association Incorporates. THE DALLES, Dec. 18.—Articles of in-corporation were filed in the County Clerk's office by The Dalles Driving Asociation, which has recently been formed here for the purpose of providing a permanent track and proper grounds where trials of speed, district fairs, public games, etc., can be held. The property of the association consists of \$1300 in cash and the lease of 20 acres of ground adand the tease of 30 acres of ground ac-joining this place, where the work upon a tract leased from the Catholic Mission is well progressed. The incorporators of the association are: E. C. Pease, H. L. Kuck, J. S. Fish and D. V. Poling.

Colored Miner Killed Sweetheart SEATTLE, Dec. 18.-Elisha B. Francis lored, a young coal miner, Sunday night of and instantly killed his sweetheart shot and instantly killed his sweethear.
Lola Jones, also colored, at Newcastle,
a mining town 20 miles from here. He
was drunk and jealous. He is now in
jail here, awaiting trial.

Monmouth Farmers Organise Grang MONMOUTH, Or., Dec. 18.—A local Grange organization was instituted here today by Deputy Organizer J. C. White, of Polk County. About 59 farmers compose the membership.

If you wake in the morning with a bit-ter taste in the mouth, coated tongue, perhaps headache, your liver is torpid. You need Carter's Little Liver Pills.

## OREGON INSANE ASYLUM

BIENNIAL REPORT OF SUPERIN-TENDENT CALBREATH.

large Gain in Number of Curables Statistics of Institution-Several Recommendations.

SALEM, Dec. 18.—Superintendent J. F. Calbreath, of the Oregon Insane Asylum, today made his biennial report to the board of trustees of that intitution. Of the 24 months in the blennial term, Dr. D. A. Paine served as superintendent for 13 months, and Dr. Calbreath files office for the remaining II months. The report spens with the following statistical information regarding the population of the institution:

treatment 1283
Discharged, recovered 148
Discharged, much improved 54
Discharged, improved 22
Discharged, not improved not im-Discharged, not insane. 92 Escaped
Discharged, died and
escaped

has risen to 31.3 per cent on admissions during the term, and to 11½ per cent on the whole number treated. When we re-member that the general average of patients discharged as cured in the United States is approximately 20 per cent on the admissions and ours has reached 1.9 per cent, it certainly affords satisfaction. Of the whole number remaining in the hospital, November 30, 1900, it is considered that 102 of them may be classed as curable; 880 incurable, and 91 doubtful. The check placed upon committing persons because of the temporary aberration incl-dent to the immediate effects of the "drug habits" and their defective control of the same, has been effective. Only those really insane, either coincidently or as a result, have been received."

pays small heed to the claims of health. He eats anything, anyhow, anywhen, and anywhere. He doesn't eat crusts Criminal Insane. "Representations have been made in former reports, calling attention to the impropriety of associating the insane, the idiotic, the epileptic, and those affected with tuberculosis. And to this list may well be added the criminal insane. The last class is entitled to just and intellilast class is entitled to just and intelligent consideration, both in the framing and operation of laws. If the person who commits an act knows its nature and quality, and that it is wrong, but through mental aberration, the result of disease, is irresistibly urged to commit the act, should he, in justice, be sent to the prison? If his self-control has been so indermined by disease that even triffing rovocation or temptation suffices to over-ome it, so that he cannot resist the impulse to commit a crime, should he, in justice, be sent to the prison? Such persons constitute a menace to community safety, and the latter must be protected but this safety can be subserved without the stigma of felon or convict attached

the stigma of feron or convet attached to the irresponsible criminal.

"Rigid and separate provision should be made for the safe detention of such persons when convicted, but they should not be classed among ordinary criminals. On the other hand, it is unfair and unwise to place the criminal logar with the other. to place the criminal lnane with the other classes, because of personal dangers, difficulty of management, danger of escape and their contaminating association. That both these objectionable conditions exist in Oregon today is a matter of common knowledge."

Individual Treatment. "Of the cases ordinarily admitted to the insane asylum, it is probable that over one-third have, apparently, a fair chance for cure. With the ordinary care and treatment, the greater part of this one-third attains recovery, but it is unde-niably true that there is a certain proportion whose prospects hinge entirely upon the degree and quality of the individual treatment they receive at first. The recent patient should, most emphatically, he met at the very door with the most advanced plans of individualized practice. To this end trained nurses must be utilized, and they must be further equipped by special training in this branich of service. With our present knowledge, the greatest effi-ciency can be secured in no other way. This plan would necessarily entail some greater relative expense, but if a greater curative success were reached, there would be no better financial investment, nor one more cordinally applicated by citizens of our steels."

It is recommended that the system of conveying patients be changed so as to provide that anylum officials shall attend the patients during their transportation to the capital. In support of this, statis-tics are presented, showing that in Idaho the cost of transportation has been re-

It is estimated that the general appropriation for the ensuing term of two years be the same as during the last two years, \$388,000. Other appropriations are advised aggregating \$67,625, the principal items of which are \$24,000 for finishing and furnishing the new wing, closed cottage and new kitchen and for repairing and painting all the buildings; \$15,800 for lighting, and \$10,000 for the purchase of 25 acres of land upon which to store fire-

wood.
The financial statement for the term shows that the total expenditures for articles consumed was \$165,461 39; total pay-roll, \$133,719 74; pay of board of trus-tees and clerk, \$1333 33; grand total, \$281. The patients now in the asylum were re-

ceived from the various counties as fol-Males. Females. Total.

Benton	14	4	15
Clackamas	36.	18	5
Clatsop	46	12	23
Columbia	20	2	22
Coos	20	7	- 2
Crook	9	3	. 31
Curry	3	.1	- 13
Douglas	100	18	- 45
Gilliam	13	3	12
Grant	2	7	1
Harney	7	**	100
Jackson	20	9	- 30
Josephine	19	3	- 1
Klamath	6	1	-0.0
Lake	8	- 22	6.3
Lane	20	35	4
Linn	81	18	- 5
Lincoln	2	1	
Malheur	-		112
Marion	63	20	91
Marrow	3	118	1
Multnomah	13	118	35
Polk	18	- 2	1.0
Sherman	**	1	
		10	1.2
Umatilla	41	10	9
Union	48	32	
Wallowa	20	10	- 5
Wasco	54	14	. 1
Washington	43	14	- 2
Wheeler	00	**	-
Yamhill	20	14	- 3
Totals	821	252	112
A.V. Co. C.		and.	-204

TRAMP FELL FROM MOVING TRAIN. Went to Sleep and Lost His Held or Truss Rods-Not Badly Hurt. CENTRALIA, Wash., Dec. 18.-Rober

CASTORIA The Kind You Have Always Bough Bears the Bignature of Chat H. Wetcher.

## MODERN MISERS.

Men Who Starve Themselves to Accumulate Money.

There is a certain fearful fascination about the stories of the misers of the past. The money they accumulated was of no more practical value to them than of no more practical value to them than the trinkets stolen and secreted by some magpie or, jackdaw. They hid it from the sight and use of men and in silence and secret gloated over the useless wealth. To gather it they lived on crusts or offal, grudged clothes to cover them and fire to warm them, lived-starved lives and in not a few cases died of starvation. That was the old-time miser. The modern miser resembles this man of the past in the particular that he frequently dies of starvation. In his eagerness to gather money he

by any means nor spare his purse to fill his stomach. The mistake he makes is

in thinking that when a man has filled his stomach, that is the end of the busi-

ness of feeding. Instead of being the end of feeding it's only the beginning. There is no value in food unless it is

digested, converted into nutrition and assimilated. These processes depend upon the healthfulness of the stomach

and the other organs of digestion and

autrition. When these organs are dis

from the food received into the stomach and the body becomes weak through lack of nourishment. One day this

"weakness" begins to find a special de

velopment in some chief organ, heart,

liver, lungs, kidneys, etc., to which the man succumbs. The doctor's certificate reads "heart disease," "kidney disease,"

as the case may be.

But the real reading of the certificate

STARVED TO DEATH.

is made up of its parts and organs, and when the stomach is "weak," digestion imperfect, and the nutrition extracted

from food inadequate to the needs of the body, the result is shared by every part

and organ of the body. For this reason no man is stronger than his stomach,

and no organ sustained by the stomach, and no organ sustained by the stomach. can be stronger than the stomach. Therefore when we hear of "weak" stomach we are pretty sure we are going to hear in time of "weak" heart, "weak" lungs, "weak" kidneys, or weakness of

some other organ of the body dependent on the stomach and its associated organs

these things being true

man has heart "trouble," liver "trouble,"

of digestion and nutrition.

and one arm burt

The truth of this statement is ap ent. The body is sustained by food digested and assimilated. But the body

eased they cannot extract

should be:

kidney "trouble," etc., where is the first place to look for the cause of the dis-ease? Why, where else can it be but the stomach? The most probable cause of these forms of "weakness" is deficient nutrition resulting from the "weak" condition of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. And if these diseases of heart, liver, lungs, kidneys, etc., begin in the stomach they must be cured through the stomach.

IT'S AN EVERY DAY AFFAIR to receive letters reporting the cure of diseased kidneys, weak heart, torpid liver, or lung "trouble" through the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Dis-

But one may say, "'Golden Medical Discovery ' is a medicine for the stom-ach and blood, in particular."

Exactly so. And that is why it cures

diseases remote from the stomach but which have their origin in disease of the stomach and other organs of digestion

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures diseases of the stomach and

digestive and nutritive systems. The food taken into the body is then converted into nutrition which is supplied to heart, lungs, kidneys, and other organs which are made strong by nutrition. Disease is thrown off. New strength comes to

the body.

"I auffered for four years with pain in my stomach so that at times I couldn't work at times." couldn't work nor eat," writes Mr. Frank Smith, of Granite, Chaffee Co., Colo. I wrote to you about my sickness and was told to use your medicine, which I did with good results. I only used four bottles of your 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and must say that I am entirely cured, and feel like a new man, and I can highly recom-mend your medicine to any sufferer."

"I was troubled with malarial fever of about three years' standing and was under doctors' care for quite a time," writes Mr. J. F. Kidd, of Parmleysville, Wayne County, Ky. They had almost given me up, and my suffering was very great. My pulse was weak, breath short and I had severe pains weak, breath short and I had severe pains in back, head and legs. Had pulpitation of heart, and from June 1st, 1895, to May 1st, 1898, I was not able to do a day's work. I purchased five bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and before I had finished taking the first two bottles I was very much better of my disease of three years' standing. I continued taking the medicine, and by the time the fifth bottle was gone I was a well man. I can cheerfully recom-mend Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery to any similar sufferer,"
"In 1998, one of my daughters was

"In 1853, one of my daughters was suffering on account of a severe cough, hectic fever, wasting of flesh and other symptoms of diseased lungs," writes Rev. Joseph H. Pesperman, of Barium Springs, tredell Co., N. C. "I promptly gave her Dr. R. V. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, with gratifying success, and she now enjoys excellent health. This ex-perience caused me to recommend Dr. Pierce's medicines to my aeighbors, who, without exception, used them with favorable results. This being true, I hereby heartly endorse your medicines."

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St. Clair, of Tacoma, was picked up by himself out into the woods, where he was the railroad section hands about four discovered this morning. The authorities miles north of here at \$.30 this morning, will leave soon to take the dying man's He was lying near the railroad track, in He was lying near the railroad track, in an almost unconscious condition. According to his own statement he was stealing a ride on a freight tram, and, failing asleep, lost his hold on the truss rods. He fell on the outside of the rails and was dragged some distance. This occurred at about 5 A. M., and he was not discovered until 8:30 A. M. The man was well dressed and saws that until lores.

INDIAN FATALLY WOUNDED.

well dressed, and says that until lately

he was employed in the revenue aerylco. Although very weak from exposure, he does not appear to be dangerously hurt. He is mangled slightly about the fest,

Assailant Was a White Man-Result of a Fight.

NEW WHATCOM, Wash., Dec. 18.—A white man, whose name is unknown, and unobtainable, went to the house of James Adams, an Indian, four miles south of Fairhaven, last night, for the supposed purpose of seiling whisky. A fight ensued, in which the Indian received two shotgun wounds, from which he is now dying. He succeeded in cutting the white man badly. The murderer came to Fair-haven this morning, bunted up the City Marshal, told him of the crime, and said was coming here to give himself up statement. Afterward he got his wounds sppearance. dressed and has disappeared.

Two women in the house at the time

of the fight escaped into the woods, where they remained in hiding all night. After dressed only in his night clothes, dragged

Brutat Crime of Barglars.

MIDDLETOWN, O., Dec. 18.-Four masked men entered the house of Michael Friedman, two miles from here, early to-Friedman, two miles from here, early to-day, and bound and gagged him, after which they searched the house. Finding no money, they released Friedman and told him they have he had just received \$3000, and that they wanted it. Upon his denial, he was knocked senseless with a club. Friedman was revived, again ques-tioned, and upon his second denial was again knocked senseless. His unconscious body was then bound with ropes, and he was left to perish from the cold. The was left to perish from the cold. The open house attracted the stiention of passers-by, who investigated and found Friedman. He is in a procartous condi-

Will Sail the Columbia.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Ex-Commodore E. D. Morgan, who will have charge of the Columbia in her races with the new defender, will have the old champion affoat early in April. He said recently that the work of overhauling and preparing her would be done at City Island, where she now lies hauled out. Here crew will be put aboard about April 1, and under the direction of Captain Barr to the Sheriff, to whom he would make a she will rapidly assume her aristocratic

> South Dakota Town Burned. SIOUX CITY, Dec. 18.—Fire at Elk Point, S. D., today destroyed the entire business portion of the town, involving a loss of about \$150,000.



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