### DEFENDS THE CONSTITUTION Moores Says a New One Is Not Required.

OREGON CITY, Feb. 11.—(To the Editor.)—The pica of Hon. R. G. Smith for a constitutional convention, published in your issue of Sunday, lacks the force and conclusiveness which usually character-izes articles coming from his pen. He seems to regard the state constitution. formulated by the pioneers of the state e years ago, as an intrument for the propagation of political immorality. This is the latest and by all odds the most original excuse that has ever been made for the shortcomings of members of the Oregon Legislature. It is manifestly unfair that all our legislative crimes, or any portion of them, should be shouldered upon the unoffending authors of our state constitution. It would seem that if the limitations of that constitution have undermined the morals of our legislators, it sed the morals of our legislators, it would be unsafe to adopt a constitution imposing any restrictions, and that possi-bly we should abolish the constitution ai-together and proceed upon the old-fushoned plan of having no written constitu-

if the old constitution provided for too few offices, and prescribed salaries that were inadequate for such offices as it did creats, is there not danger that in a new instrument we may go to the other ex-treme and establish offices and fix salaries that will give still greater dissatis-faction in coming years? It is an easy matter to pick flaws in a completed work, but it is well to reflect that there is more talent in this world for destructive than for constructive work. The young hump-kin who ventured the opinion that little taient was required to write the Book of Proverbs was conclusively answered by the college professor when told to write a few himself. The state would probably suffer nothing if the work of preparing a new constitution were left to men of the admitted capacity of Mr. Smith, but the chances are that any constitutional con-vention we might elect would give us a less satisfactory instrument than the one

Has the suggestion for a new constitu has the suggestion for a new constitu-tion come from the taxpayers of the state? Who is demanding it? From not a single county nor a single precinct has any re-quest come for it. A number of our pol-ticians, who seem especially solicitous about the welfare of the people, are urg-ing an amendment providing for the in-tiative and referendum. Would not the question as to whether or not we need a new constitution be a good one to open up on? What question is there that the people are more vitally interested in than the fundamental law which we designate as our state constitution? If the people want a new constitution, let them say so at the polls before the expense is incurred of holding a convention whose work they will, in all probability, repudiate, just as they did the five amendments submitted last June,
A member on the floor of the House, last

week, in discussing a bill providing for the relief of the Supreme Court, argued that the needed relief should be secured through a constitutional convention, which through a constitutional convention, which might be relied on to increase the number of Judges. Would not a constituency which has everwhelmingly voted down an amendment providing for such a thing just as readily vote down a constitution providing for it? The people of the state could not have protested more emphatically against tinkering with our old constitution than they did last June. Every amendment proposed was beaten by thouamendment proposed was beaten by thou-sunds of votes. Even the so-called nerro amendment, that no one was in reality opposed to, was voted down for no clear unless it was to rebuke the political fad that because our constitution is 40 years old it is necessarily defective. Provision is made for amending it when-ever it fails to meet present requirements. We have patched on 15 amendments to the National Constitution, and it has not perceptibly marred the beauty or the strength of that instrument. What change is needed in our constitution that cannot

is needed in our constitution that cannot be effected by amending it, and that, too, without the expense and uncertainty of a constitutional convention?

Mr. Smith's proposition that a new constitution would improve the morals of our politicians is untenable. They are past redemption, and such of our citizens as are amenable to any plan of redemption are not to be made good by statute. Mrs. Nation is demonstrating that in Kanson. Most of us are of the outping that a con-Most of us are of the opinion that a con-stitution framed only 60 years ago by such men as George H. Williams, M. P. Deady, R. P. Boise, James K. Kelly, Thomas J. Dryer, David Logan and other men of that type, is as good as gay that would be framed by the average politician of the present day. CHARLES B. MOORES.

Enights of Pythins to Celebrate. ST. HELENS, Feb. 12.—There will be a convention of the Knights of Pythias here February 19, the anniversary of the order. Avon Lodge will entertain, Ka-lama and Rainier Lodges and the Rath-bone Staters are expected to attend en

### DAILY METEOROLOGICAL REPORT

PORTLAND, Feb. 12.-S P. M.-Maximus temperature, 52; minimum temperature, 32; river reading at 11 A. M., 2.5 feet; change in Tiver spading at 11 A. M., 2.5 feet; change in the gast 24 hours. -0.5 foot; total precipita-tion, 5 P. M. to 5 P. M., 0.06 inch; total pre-cipitation since Sept. 1, 1900, 24.19 inches; normal precipitation since Sept. 1, 1904, 28.14 inches; deficiency, 4.95 inches; total sunshine Feb. 11, 7:26; possible sunshine Feb. 11, 10:12. WEATHER CONDITIONS.

Rain has failen during the last 12 hours slong the Washington and California Coasts and in Western Gregon. Elsewhere in the North Pacific States fair weather has pre-valled. The temperature changes have been small and unimportant, except in Western Oregan, where a fall of from 10 to 12 deg. is noted during the last 24 hours. The innoted curing the last 24 hours. The indications are that choudy and threatening weather, with occasional rain, will continue in Western Oregon and Western Washington during the next 24 hours. In the eastern portion of these states and in Idaho fair weather will probably prevail. WEATHER PORECASTS.

Porceasts made at Portland for the 28 hours nding at midnight Wednesday, Pebruary 13: Portland and vicinity—Occasional rain, with

stern Oregon and Western Washingtoncasional rain; southerly winds Eastern Washington and Northern Idaho-Generally fair wasther, except probably rain or snow in north portion; southerly winds. Eastern Oregon and Southern Idaho-Gener-ally fair, winds mostly southerly.

### NEW TODAY.

We Always Lead In Low Prices 2 dozen Oragon eggz, she; full weight cream-ery butter, 50c and 55c; 10 lbs. Nn. 1 rolled outs, 25c; 6 lbs. split beans or plnk, 25c; big navel oranges. 25c doz.; Nn. 1 lemons, 15c doz.; tomatoes. corn or pess, 80c dox.; we handle Famous Webfoot four; 5-lb. can of lard, 50c; No. 1 harm, 15-gc lb. Oragon Cash Grocery, 252 North 14th.

DOWN IT GOES. Proof creamery butter, 25e per th; extra chalce dairy, 25e and 35e per rul; choice creamery, 40e best full 2 he, creamery but-ter, 45e and 5e; ranch eggs, 2 dos, 45e; 2ast-ers eggs, 2 dos, 36e; thuy your goods at whilesale price, 5ee that you get full 2 he of butter is each roll or square. See the

La Grande Creamery

# TEACHERS' EXAMINATION

Portland, as follows:
Commencing Wednesday, February 13, at 9 o'clock A. M., and continuing until Saturday, February 16, at 4 o'clock P. M.
WEDNESDAY—February 16, at 4 o'clock P. M.
WEDNESDAY—February to interest the state of the saturday, and the saturday of teaching, grammar, bookkeeping, English literature, civil government.

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rows, \$1. second 5 rows, 76; last 6 rows, 50;
sallery, 26; bases and loges, \$10. Matires
prices—Lower floor, except last 3 rows, \$1.
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Initial appearance in the West of RICHARD
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Sonday matines, 2:30 P. M.

### AUCTION SALES TODAY.

At Wilson's salescoom, 182 First st., at 10 clock A. M. J. T. Wilson, auctioneer.

### MEETING NOTICES.



15. R. A. M., will most in stated convocation this (Wednesday) evening at 7.30, in their hall, Burkhard building. Work in Mark Master degree. C. E. MILLEB, Sec.

W. R. C.—The members of Summer W. R. C. No. 21, are requested to most at their hall Thursday afternoon. Pub. 14, at 1 o'ciock abarp, to attend the funeral of our late sister, MARY S. OLDER, Cor. Sec.

CORINTHIAN CHAPTER, NO. 54, O. E. S. Regular communication this (Wednesday) evening at 8 o'clock, Degrees. Degrees. MYRA H. GLINES, Sec.

### BORN.

SCOTT-Feb. 12, 1001, at 385 Ross et., this city, to the wife of A. M. Scott, a daughter.

HENDERSON—In this city, Feb. 12, 1661, at the home of her daugnter, Mrs. Edward Fatting, Mrs. Rhosa Carpenter Henderson, widow of the late Robert Henderson, of Tambill County, aged 85 years, I count and 26 days. Funeral Thursday, Feb. 14, at Mc-Minuville.

DECKERNIACH-In this city, Feb. 12, 1901, Mrs. Harbara Deckenbach, beloved with of Jacob Deckenbach, aged 90 years, 9 months, 37 days. Funeral will take place Thursday at 2:39 P. M. from F. S. Dunning's under-taking pariors, 414 East Alder st. Friends invited.

TURNEY—At Los Angeles, Cal., Peb. 6, of Bright's disease, Alice Pritchard Turney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Pritchard. Funeral today at 2 P. M. from the home of her parents, 165 East 18th st. Friends in-wited. Greeky, Colo., papers please copy. WELSCH in this city, Feb. 12, 1901, James Welsch, aged 78 years, Funecal will take place Thursday from late residence, 56; Over-ton, at 820 A. M. Bervices at 81, Patrick's Church, 9 o'clock, Priends invited. MATTHIEU-At Butteville, Gr., Feb. 12, 1901, Mrs. F. X. Matthieu, aged 74 years. The funeral will take place Thiersday at 1 P. M. from late residence. Friends invited, HARNES-In this city, Feb. 12, Margaret Jame Barnes, beloved daughter of J. B. and M. E. Sarnes, aged 17 years and 20 days. Funeral notice later.

### FUNERAL NOTICE.

SEELY-The funeral services of the late Mrs. P. M. Seely will be held Thursday, Peb. 14, at 2 P. M., at Finley, Kimball & Co. a chapel, our Third and Seferson sta. Friends of the family invited to attend.

SEELLY—The funeral of Frank M. Seely will take place Wednesday afternoon at 2.20 o'clock from F. S. Dunning's undertaking partors, oor. East Sixth and East Alber ats.
NELSON—The funeral of John Nelson, of Mount Tabor, will be held at his late residence on Thursday, Feb. 14, at 1 P. M.

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