# EASTERN FIRM BACK OF IT

WILL PLOAT STOCK FOR A. B. HAMMOND'S DRYDOCK.

Representative Selected Site Near Warrenton, on Lower Columbia, Some Time Ago.

ASTORIA, June 38.-Articles of incorgration of the Columbia Drydock Company were filed in the County Clerk's office today. The incorporators are A Hammond, of Missoula, Mont.; Wa Walter C. Smith, of Portland, and D. K. Warren of Warrenton. The capital stock of the apany is fixed at \$1,000,000, divided into \$8,000 shares of \$100 each. The principal office of the company is at Astoria. Its objects are to build one or more drydocks on the Columbia River and to dock, build and repair sailing vessels, steamships and other water craft.

While the persons connected with the formation of the company are reticent, it is learned that the company is backed by the Simpson, Drydock Company, of New Yerk. This company has placed all the stock and will build and operate the dock. Several months ago Mr. Simpson visited Astoria with Mr. Hammond, and at that time selected the location on which the plant will be erected. The site consists of about 1000 feet of water front-age between Warrenton and Flavel and has been donated by Mr. Warren. The deeds, which have been placed in esgrow, provide that a certain amount of work must be done on the construction of the dock during the present year. A. B. Hammond, when asked this even-

ing concerning the drydock proposition, said he had no information to give out at present, and would make no statement. County Warrants to Be Called In County Trensurer Thompson will issue call tomorrow for all warrants drawn on the general fund and endorsed prior to December 1, 1800.

Accepted by Government. The hospital recently erected by Contractor Surprenant at the Fort Stevens barracks has been accepted by the Government, and this morning Mr. Supre nant received a check for the work.

#### TEACHERS' INSTITUTE CLOSES. Marion County Meeting Was a Most

Successful One. SALEM, Or., June 28.-The Marion County Teachers' Institute closed a successful five days' accession this afternoon, During the week 240 teachers registered, also many persons who are not teachers but are interested in educational work attended the lectures. The speakers who conducted the work of the institute were Superintendent R. F. Robinson, of Multnomah County; Professor D. A. Grout, of the Portland schools; Mrs. Ellen M. Pennell, of Monmouth Normal School, and State Superintendent Ackerman, The institute has been conducted when some institute has been conducted upon some-what original lines, and the teachers have en given many new ideas, of which they can make practical use when they return to their work in the schoolroom.

Today's session opened, as usual, with music. The first jecture was that by Su-perintendent Robinson on "Reading." He discussed particularly the recitation, saying the problem of the successful recita-tion is in the child. The pupil's inter-ests must be kept in mind, and an effort must be made to arouse in him a desire to express himself well in reading. Su-perintendent Robinson disapproves the idea of criticism by fellow pupils, as such criticism makes the reader timid and self-conscious, and is not the encouragement to which he is entitled.

Professor Grout delivered an interest-ing address upon 'The Personal Element in History," showing the effect individuals have had in shaping the course of events in this, as in every other country. He emphasized the importance of a study of the blographies of the great men of the country. Such a study will show that great men are but human, and are influ-

"How Time Is Wasted," was the subject of a brief talk by Superintendent Robinson. Briefly stated, he said time is wasted in educating a child by not drilling sufficiently in fundamental principles, and by not requiring a sufficient degree of accuracy in work.

This afternoon Professor Grout on

the exercises with an address on "School

Discipline," in which he laid down the general rule that the pupil must taught to expect the natural consequences of his act. Puntshments should be de-termined accordingly. For example, a child who mutilates a desk should be compelled to replace it with a new one The relation of geography to history was considered in an address by Superintendent Robinson. He showed by illustrations the effect the geographical structure of a country has upon the outcome of battles and campaigns, and how such matters are considered in the formation of plans for campaigns and for general policies during wars. Thus it was one of the chief aims of the Union to blockade Southern ports and seize the Mississippi. in order to shut off the means of supply

of the Confederacy. All such matters should be shown by maps quickly drawn for the occasion, rather than by detailed maps carefully drawn and showing many things not relevant to the subject. The day's work closed with a lecture by or Grout on "The Making of the

#### LADIES OF THE G. A. R. Good Convention Just Closed-Astoria Next Meeting Place.

FOREST GROVE, June 28.-The Ladies of the Grand Army of the Repub convention assembled, met at Forest Grove June E-26, with Department President Mrs. Elizabeth Wards in the chair, though she had to come on crutches. Quite a goodly number of delegates from the different circles in the state were present, though not as many as usual, on ecount of the inclemency of the weather Department President Wands took greet ings to the G. A. R., and was kindly received. On the second morning, elec-tion of officers took place, and the fol-

lowing were elected for the ensuing year; Department president, Mrs. Sarah Chap-man, of Eugene; senior vice-president, Mrs. E. E. Butcher, of McMinnville; juvice-president, Mrs. A. M. Heustis ortland: chapiain, Mrs. K. Sherwood of Salem; council of administration, Mrs Jennie Brown, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Fair, banks; delegates to National convention, Mrs. E. Wands and Edith Carroll.

Wands, department president, ceived many beautiful presents. The one prized most highly was a book from Ord Post, with the names of the members of the post and their regiment inscribed

A short session was held on the third day, at which a great number of the boys in blue were obligated. A great treat was enjoyed by the presence of Commanderin-Chief and Mrs. Rassieur. Astoria was en as the next meeting place of the

# TO ARRANGE FOR COMBINE.

#### Number of Pacific Coast Cannerymen Reach New York.

NEW YORK, June 28.-The Journal of Commerce says: "Representatives of eight of the Alaska salmon-packing concerns interested in the new consolidation have reached this city. It is stated on authority that the deal will not be completed for nearly a week, as a number of other packers from cific Const will not reach here un

til Bunday, and several days will then be required to close up the consolidation.
"Among the Coast salmon-packers who have arrived here, presumably in this connection, is E. L. Griffith, of Griffith, Durney & Co., San Francisco, representing the Pacific Steam Whaling Company,

one of the largest salmon-packing con-cerns in Alaska. Several representatives of other Alsaka salmon-packers have also arrived, but none, so far as could be learned, has appeared in canned goods circles. It is stated that representatives of Fuget Sound packing interests will drop in daily from now until the end of the week, when it is expected all will be here. Aithough not officially stated, it is believed some preliminary discussion on combine matters has been indulged in between the proposters and speckers here. between the promoters and packers here. Serious business is not looked for until early next week.

#### O. N. G. ENCAMPMENT.

Good Order and Great Interest Mark

Meeting at Eugene. EUGENE, June 28.-The second day of ent of the Fourth Regiment, the encampment of the Fourth Regiment, O. N. G., found everything permanently settled in camp. The camp was awake at a o'clock in the morning, and the early drill was at once taken up. After break-fast the first ceremony was that of guard mounting, which was well performed For the drill of the forenoon Major May's battalion drilled on the parade ground in the evolutions of the battalion. The parade ground is ample, and affords opportunity for proper instruction. It is somewhat rough, but this is considered no great objection, as it is the desire to teach the men to handle themselves prop-

erly under all conditions. In order to give the men instruction in advance and rearguard duties, Major Leabo was sent with his battailon on a reconnoitering expedition. The battallon started on a march, taking the main road leading north from the camp, making a thorough reconnoissance of the country in ion. The main road is crossed by several crossroads, and upon return a report was made of all observations, together with a rough map of the country traversed. Tomorrow the second battaln will be sent on another reconnois sance in another direction, while the first battalion will drill on the parade ground. Major Ellis reports that at sick call this morning there was practically nothing for the Hospital Corps to do. There is not a ingle man in camp excused from duty This is rather more than was expected.

One of the most efficient Captains in the camp is Captain J. M. Williams, of Company C, who has the honor of being the ranking Captain of the Oregon National Guard. He has been in the service 14

The delinquency court had no work today. The guardhouse has been empty so and there has not been a charge against any man.

#### ARRESTED FOR STEALING HORSE. Farmer Also Charged With Taking

Quantity of Groceries. SALEM, Or., June 28 .- Peter Lafferty was arrested early this morning, charged with stealing a horse, cart and quantity of groceries, belonging to A. Choquette, a farmer residing in the north end of the county Choquette left his horse tied in front of a store at St. Paul, and loaded the cart with groceries. While the owner was absent for a moment, Lafferty, it is alleged, took possession and drove to his home in Salem. Deputy Sheriff Colbath made the arrest this morning before Laf-ferty was out of bed. The accused denied any knowledge of the transaction, but, upon search, the groceries were found in the house. The horse has not been recovered. Lafferty will have a hearing tomor-

#### Dallas Brevities.

DALLAS, Or., June 28.-The annual re mion of the Dallas public school alumni was held last night. An excellent programme, consisting of songs, recitations and addresses, was followed by a ban-

The dam at the Dixle flouring mill which was washed out last Winter is being replaced.

The flouring mill of Philix Noel was sold yesterday for \$3500 at public auction.

The Evangelical Church will apply to
the City Council for authority to use the City Park for its annual campmeeting. All the Evangelical churches in the Willamette Valley will take part in the meet-

ng. The body of Mrs. Clara Robbins was exhumed this week, it being believed that the papers accessary to a settlement of her estate had been deposited in the cof-The papers were not found,

Woodburn Wants to Cut Off Lights. WOODBURN Or., June 28 .- At a spe cial meeting of the City Council last night the ordinance regulating licensed saloons and card tables was repealed. The Counmean the annulment of the electric light contract existing between A. B. Kurtz and the City of Woodburn, which is in effect until the Fall of 1902. The matter will doubtless go into the courts for settle-ment, as the Council has served notice on Kurtz that payment for lights will be refused after July 1, 1901.

Thirteen-Year-Old Girl Drowned. HEPPNER, Or., June 28.-Emma Beckett, daughter of J. W. Beckett, was drowned in Rhea Creek yesterday morning. The girl, accompanied by her brother aged 10, was fishing, when she slipped and fell into the creek. Her brother jumped in after her and held her up with one hand while he hung onto the limb of a tree with the other. Henry Gay, hearing their cry for heip, ran to the rescue and succeeded in getting the boy out. The girl was 13 years old. The remains were buried at Hardman today.

# Notes of Medford.

MEDFORD, Or., June 28.-Charles H. Pierce, of Medford, and John Coleman, of Ashland, are preparing to conduct a fruit cannery in Ashland this Fall. They expect to put up 70,000 or 80,000 cans of fruit during the season.

The total valuation on Jackson County property for the year of 1901 will be nearly 15 per cent higher than that of

# Northwest Pensions.

WASHINGTON, June 28.—Pensions have been granted as follows: Washington-Original, John R. Roth, Restoration and Reissue-James W. Sny-

der, deceased, Davenport. \$10. Original Widows, etc.—Frankle Snyder, Davenport, \$8. Idaho-Original, Alson Sears, Weiser, 36

Mrs. Hugh Tevis Returns Home. SAN FRANCISCO, June 28 .- The steamer Doric arrived from China and Japan tonight. Her passengers will not be land. ed until tomorrow. Among the Dorle's passengers is Mrs. Hugh Tevis, who brings with her the remains of her husband, who died from appendicitis, in Japan, while on their wedding journey.

Appointed Administrator. SALEM, Or., June 28.-Upon the peti-tion of C. C. Barker, I. L. Patterson was today appointed administrator of the estate of the late T. O. Barker. The property is estimated at \$5000.

Inspected Reform School. SALEM, Or., June 28.-Governor Geer, Secretary of State Dunbar and Superintendent of Public Instruction Ackerman made an official visit of inspection to the Reform School today.

Shoot Being Sunk on Vein of Coal. CASCADE LOCKS, June 28 .- A shaft is being sunk on a good vein of coal about three miles scuthwest of here by Paul Clark & Co., of Portland,

Payment on State Taxes SALEM, Or., June 28.-Yamhill County oday made a payment of \$4000 on its state taxes for 1900

Purker's Hair Balsam keeps the hair soft and plentiful and restores the color when gray. Greve's Ointment makes a healthy skin. 50c.

# STRAWBERRIES PAID BIG

HOOD BIVER CROP THIS YEAR NETTED \$75,000.

Average Returns Show Net Profit of \$150 Per Acre-40,000 Crates Were Experted.

HOOD RIVER, Or., June M .- Hood River's most successful strawberry season has practically closed, and the total shipof berries will foot up clos crates, as compared to 25,000 year. Although the season was backward, and the weather conditions unfavorable to the production of anywhere near a full crop, the berries produced were of good quality and market returns to the grower were never better. This year's crop has netted the Hood River farmers \$75,000 in hard cash, and there is hardly an acre in the valley planted to atraw-berries that has not netted the owner from \$100 to \$500. A few of the farmers with patches along the river bottom, fato early ripening of the berries, secured fancy prices at the opening of the season, which netted big profits, but a conservative estimate of the average returns for the valley would give the farmers a net profit of \$150 per acre for their strawberry crop. The shipping union will return to the growers an average of \$1 90 per crate. Of the 19 cars billed out by the union, eight went to Montana, seven to North Dakota, three to Winnepeg, and one each to Duluth, Denver and Omaha. The 40,000 crates of berries were pro-duced on less than 460 acres of land, the average size of the individual berry patches being less than five acres.

Good Prospect for Apples. Emile Schanno, of The Dallos, Hortiultural Commissioner for the fourth district, is in Hood River inspecting the orchards of the valley. Mr. Schanno re-ports the prospects for Winter apples as good. Although the crop this sesson will not equal the record-breaker of last year, new orchards are coming into bearing for the first time, and weather conditions have been favorable to the production of a larger crop than Mr. Schanno expected find. Orchardists who thinned their over-loaded trees last Summer will have a good crop this year, while orchards allowed to overbear have little or no fruit, There will be a good crop of prunes peaches and pears, says Mr. Schanno, bu the cherry crop was rather light. Mr. Behanne says the Hood River apple-growers are making a thorough use of the spray pump and, consequently, are better otected against the fruit pests than the fruitgrowers of any other section of the

Threshing Begun in Donglas County ROSEBURG, Or., June 28.-The McGee orothers, of Myrtle Creek, started their new steam threshing outfit this morning, the first run being made on an unusually fine and heavy crop of barley grown in the famous "Missouri Bottom." This is the first threshing done in this section of the state. All grain crops are in fine condition in the Umpqua Valley, and indications are good for a fair yield.

### Fruit Crop Will Be Large

DALLAS, Or., June 28.—Indications are that there will be a large crop of fruit in Polk County. If a large percentage of the orunes do not fall off, many trees suffer, and fears are entertained that quantity and size will be not as good as sual.

The rain is doing considerable damage to clover that has been cut, and is lodg. ing some that is standing.

SALEM, Or. June 25.—By a contract executed May 30, 1901, Susan Smythe and Lizzle Maneeley, of St. Paul, sold to Lillenthal Bros. 2000 pounds of hops at 11 cents per pound. This is the first contract to be recorded here that was executed these early Sovies and for the trace. outed since early Spring, and for that rea-son may be taken as an indication of what hops could be contracted for on

Corn Only Was Not Doing Well. cornees reports all Spring crops doing well except corn. His estimate as to Fall wheat is 70 per cent of an average crop. Hops have never looked better, and an increased yield over last season is almost certain. No contracts are being made.

Poor Ontlook for Hay and Grain. MEDFORD, Or., June 28.—The outlook for the hay and grain crop in Jackson County is poor, owing to the late rains,

# NORTHWEST DEAD.

California Wheat King.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 28.-William Dresbach, one of the ploneer wheat men of this state, and known for many years as the "wheat king," died in this city today after a brief filness. Deceased was known to shipping and wheat men all over the world. He was about 75 years

# Two Ploneers Laid to Rest.

OREGON CITY, June 28 .- Two prominent ploneers were buried here today. William Singer, of Portland, and Legrand D. Harding, of Colfax, Wash. Legrand D. Harding was the son of the late V. O. Harding, a prominent ploneer. Deceased resided here about 25 years. For the same of the late V. O. Harding a prominent ploneer. years, For the past I years he had lived at Colfax. Wash. The funeral was largely

attended. Services at the grave were con ducted by Rev. P. K. Hammond. William Singer was employed in the louring mills here by Dr. John McLough lin in the late '40s, and in the early '80s creeted a three-story flouring mill on the edge of the bluff, near Seventh street The venture did not succeed. The old mill was a familiar landmark until about four years ago, when it was mysteriously burned. The funeral ceremonics took place at the Masonic Cemetery this afternoon, J. H. Walker, worshipful master of Multnomah Lodge, A. F. and A. M., conducting the services.

Quotations of Mining Stocks. SPOKANE, June 28 .- The closing quotation

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NEW YORK, June 28.—Mining stocks today closed as follows:
Adams Con \$9 25 Little Chief \$0 13 Alice 41 Ontario \$25 Bresce 1 600Ophir 80 Brunswick Con 15 Phoenix 9 Comatoek Tunnel 5-Potoni T Com. Cai. & Va 2 65-Savage 8 Deadwood Terra. 50 Sierra Nevada 18 Horn Silver 1 35 Small Hopes 50 Iron Silver 600Standard 3 50 Leadwills Con 5

BOSTON, June 28.-Closing quotations Adventure \$ 22 00 Onceola \$ 89 00 Annal Copper 123 75 Parrott 57 36 Bing, Min Co. 22 56 Quiney 172 0 Atlantic 37 60 Santa Fe Cop. 7 60 Cal. & Hecla 705 00 Tamarack 338 00 Centenniai 30 25 Utah Mining 31 77 Pranklin 16 50 Winona 2 00 Humbeldt 25 00

Dubois Will Soon Be Well. HELENA, Mont., June 28.-United States

Senator Frederick T. Dubois, of Idaho, who is being treated for sciatica at Hunt. er's Hot Springs, Mont., is not in as Serious condition as a dispatch from Boise Tuesday indicated. While he is suffering more or less pain, there are no other com-plications, and doctors say he will be cured in two weeks.

JOHN J. SCANNELL INDICTED Charged With Neglect of Duty and

Defrauding the City. NEW YORK, June 28 .- Two indictments were returned by the grand jury against Fire Commissioner John J. Scauneli, Another indiltment was returned jointly charging Commissioner Scannell and Willcharging Commissioner Scannell and William L. Marks with conspiracy. It is alleged that nearly all supplies of the Fire Department have been purchased through Marks. There are three counts in the indictmenta against Scannell. One is a charge of evading the law, another is of defrauding the city, and the third is neglect of duty. The indictment against Marks charges him with connivance with Commissioner Scannell to defraud the city by seiling inferior goods at the highest by selling inferior goods at the highest prices. It is also charged that the commissioner gave Marks excessive commis slors. Ball was fixed at \$2500 each, and

### TRIED TO SAVE HER HUSBAND.

Wife of Ruthven, the Murderer, Claimed She Committed the Crime. COLUMBUS, O., June 28.-Mrs. Edwin Ruthven, wife of the Cleveland murderer, who was electrocuted at the penitentiars early today, made a last effort to save the life of her husband. In the presence of Rev. W. M. Langford and others she declared that she heracif killed Policeman Shipp. She said that the night of the murder she and her husband had a little quarrel, and she left the house her wrath. She met Charles Jac mysterious individual of whom Ruthven spoke so often, and he asked for Edwin told him that her husband was not at home, but that she would help. According to her story, she dressed herself in her husband's clothing and assisted Jacobs in committing the burglary. Pelicecook in committing the burgiary. Pelice-man Shipp appeared on the seene, and Jacobs left, leaving her alone with the policeman. She said she shot and killed Shipp, Ruthven, when told of the confession, declared it was not true, and that his wife was innocent of any crime

Would-Be Lynchers Killed. PANTHER, W. Va., June 28.—The attoday resulted in the killing of two of the would-be lynchers. The negro, Peter Price, was accused of insulting a white woman. He was pursued by a crowd of men, and sought refuge in a small room in the rear of a saloon. The mob battered down the door and as they entered the room Price threw himself at them w each hand. In cutting his way out he killed George Hooks and F. M. McGran and seriously cut Charles Davis. As Price struck down these men, the others fell back, and the negro made his escape through an open window. Price was captured by officers, who hurriedly sent him to the jail at Welch.

Jessie Morrison Will Not Talk. ELDORADO, Kan., June 28,-Jessie Morrison, who pesterday at her second trial was found guilty of manslaughter in the second degree for the murder of Mrs. Olin Castle, refused today to make any statement. Her lawyers also declined to say what further steps, if any, they in-tended to take in her behalf. Judge Alkman will wait a few days before passing Walter Wiley, brother Castle, said: "We are not satisfied with the verdict. I did not think it would be below second-degree murder." Miss Morrison slept soundly last night and today expressed herself as feeling very well.

# Tortured by Rabbers. WHEELING, W. Va., June 28.—Early Friday morning six masked men entered the Summer residence of Jacob L. White, at Brothers Station, just over the Penn-sylvania line, overpowered, bound and gagged the seven occupants of the house and ransacked it. They secured \$3000 in

White and his aged wife and their daugh ter were tortured by having lighted matches applied to their bodies and their skin lacerated by needles. White is a onaire oil operator.

Sheepmen and Cattle-Raisers Mix. CHEYENNE, Wyo., June 28.-A report of a clash between sheepmen and cattle-raisers in the Sweet Water country has reached here, but nothing definite can be ascertained. The Sweet Water country is where a dead line was reported estab lished by cattle men a few weeks ago. The ranges there are greatly overstocked with sheep, and the flocks have threatening to invade territory hitherto held exclusively for cattle.

# Hangings in Alabama.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., June 28.—Frank Miller, a notorious safe robber, and Alon-zo Williams, the latter colored, were hanged in the county jail here today. Miller was convicted of the murder of Policeman Adams in this city in March, 1900. Williams suffered the death penalty for killing a fellow-convict named Callahan in the state penitentiary. Miller protested his innocence to the end. Williams died in a religious frenzy.

# LIVESTOCK CONVENTION.

Importance of the Next Meeting to Be Held at Chiengo.

CHICAGO, June 28 .- Final arrangements were made teday for the fifth an-nual convention of the American Livestock Association and the second annual livestock exposition, which will be held in this city December 3 and 6 inclusive. John W. Springer, president of the association, has leased the Studebaker The-ater for the sessions. Discussing the prospects for the convention and expo

sition, he said:
"This will be the most notable convention in the history of our organizamand an attendance of 259,000 people We have arranged for some of the ables: talkers in this country and abroad to discuss topics of interest to up-to-date stockraisers. The sessions will be held from 9:30 A. M. to 1:30 P. M. each day, the adournments being taken early be-cause of the splendid exhibition at the Union stock yards of the finest aggregation of horses, catttle, sheep and hogs brought together in this country or other. One day of the convention will be devoted to matters affecting legislation. Five or six bills will be sub-mitted to the delegates before being presented to Congress. There are numer ous questions in which the livestock in dustry is interested that demand an immediate solution, and our association must consider its welfare. The complete programme will soon be ready for the

United Commercial Travelers. COLUMBUS, O., June 28.—The annual meeting of the Supreme Council of the United Commercial Travelers convened here today, about 50 members being present. Supreme Chancellor Clinton E. Hobbs, of Boston, read his annual report. Secretary C. C. Daniel reported that during the past year 2801 members were admitted to membership, and that since the beginning of the year there had been 1864 more added. The session will continue tomorrow.

Canton Home Ready for Mrs. Mc-Kinley.

CANTON, O. June 28.-President Mc. Kinley's home is now in readiness for the arrival of the family, which will be only

BUFFALO FAIR OFFICIAL COMMIS-SIONED WOMEN.

The Legislature Refused to Recognize Them, and There the Matter Ends.

OLYMPIA, Wash. June 28,-Much mit apprehension has existed in the public mind regarding the status of the women who were supposed to be members of the Pan-American Exposition Commission. and the following statement is made that the public may be informed regarding the facts in the case. More than a year ago the following letter was received by Gov-

the following serior Rogers:

"Pan-American Exposition, Buffalo, January 26, 1906.—Hon, John R. Rogers, Governor, Sir: The act of the Legislature of
ernor, Sir: The act of the Pan-American Exposition provides that a Board of Women Managers, to consist of not less than 25 members, shall be designated by the Board of Directors. . . In accordance with the terms of this resolution, and by instruction of the president and of the executive committee, I have the honor to request your excellency to transmit to me the names of two women from your state who will thereupon be commissioned by me to be honorary members of the said Executive Board of Women Managers.
"W. I. BUCHANAN,
"Director-General."

Governor Rogers replied as follows: "William I. Buchenan, Buffalo.-Sir: In you ask me to name two women from the State of Washington who will there-upon be commissioned by you as honor-any members of the Executive Board of Women Managers of the Pan-American Exposition, to be held in Buffalo in 1801, I hereby name Mrs. M. L. T. Hidden, of Vancouver, and Mrs. S. E. Barr, of Olympis. These women are both of good social standing and possess marked executive ability. I trust they will be able to astaken. You will please communicate with them direct."

It will be seen from the foregoing state

ment that the women were not commis-sioned by Governor Rogers as members of the Pan-American Exposition Commission the appointments they received coming from General Buchanan, Director-General of the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo, N. Y. The women named having become somewhat preminent in these matters, it was expected that the Legis lature, in providing for the Pan-Ameri-can Exposition, would recognize them, though, of course, under stances, it was not bound to do so. As a matter of fact, the Legislature refused to recognize the women, and there the mat-

#### VANCOUVER DID NOT DO IT. Made No Effort to Have Pay-Day of Soldiers Delayed.

VANCOUVER, Wash., June 28,-The soldier for whose arrest last night Poiceman Al Bateman was attacked by a mob of soldiers and his prisoner wrested from him is still at large. His identity is unknown to the officers. The enlisted men of the company of which the man wanted is supposed to be a member were lined up this morning for inspection of the local police, but they were unable to identify their man. After the trouble last night armed guards were sent down town all soldiers were marched to the barracks. It appears from the best informagarding the effort to have the soldiers' pay postponed emanated from an irre-sponsible source. It is found that no such proposition has been presented to the Fourth of July committee, and no re-quest of the character named has been made to any one in authority in the Army. The reeling aroused by the report was worked up to a high pitch last night. Crowds of soldiers were gathered about town and placards posted at different points on telegraph posts and buildings of which the following is a fair sample: NOTICE—LOST—IN VANCOUVER AND VI-cinity, \$1000.00, last pay-day. As the Van-couver cilizens request that the Government officials do not pay the soldier boys till after the Fourth of July, we all unite and will see where our money is spent next pay-day. SOLDIER BOYS OF VANCOUVER BAR-RACKS.

Commencement Excreises. The annual commencement exercises of St. James' College, conducted under the auspices of St. James' Parish of the Cath-olic Church, in this city, took place last evening. Two graduates-Herbert John Grady and Francis George Eichenlaub, both of Vancouver-received diplomas for completion of the commercial course, Certificates in the commercial department were issued to Edward M. Shaw and Christopher Connor of Vancouver: Harold B. Rucbelmann, of Pocatello, Idaho; Fe-lix A. Johnson and John F. Kenny, of Heppner, Or., and Earl B. Wilson Ellensburg, Wash. An address was made to the students by Bishop E. J. O'Dea, who also presented the diplomas to the and awarded medals for merit and excellence

Bicycle Tax to Be Tested, What is intended to be a test case of the bicycle tax ordinance requiring an annual license fee of \$1 for every bicycle within the city limits, to be paid by the owner, was commenced in the Police Justice Court today. C. W. Nichols is the defendant in the case, which will be carried to the Supreme Court, Bicyclists of Fruit Valley and other suburban places, it is understood, are furnishing the money to test the law.

# THE MEREDITH MURDER.

Considincs Were at Seene of Murder Some Time Before Shooting. SEATTLE, June 28.-New light is thrown on the Meredith murder case by invest gation which has been proceeding

the event. It has transpired that Meredith left his home on the afternoon of the murder with the intention of cleaning up his room in the police stat'on and transferring his personal possessions to his own home. He had packed up the articles belonging to him, among which was the sawed-off shotgun, which he fired at Considine. About five minutes before the shooting occurred Meredith was seen by Defective Philbrink at the corner of Yeschief had his arms full of packages at this time. It has also developed that the Considing brothers were walking about in the neighborhood of the drug store for some time before the shooting.

#### WILL VISIT OLYMPIA JULY 3. River and Harbor Committee-State-

ment of Importance of Harbor. OLYMPIA, Wash., June 28 .- It has been definitely arranged that the visit of the river and harbor committee to Olympia will take place July 3. The committee will arrive here at 1 P. M. and remain that night, leaving the following morning, about 6 o'clock, for Gray's Harbor. In connection with the visit of the comin connection with the visit of the com-mittee the Olympia Chamber of Com-merce has prepared a statement relative to the importance of this harbor that will be presented to the visiting Con-gressmen. From this statement the folwing is taken:

During the year 1990 the following quan-titles of sawlogs were put in Puget Sound within a radius of 20 miles of Olympia;

At Shelton ..... . 220,000,000 Total ..... These figures are furnished by the sec retary of the Puget Sound Timberman's

The secretary states that the estimate

output of the year 1901 will exceed the

Association, and are official.

output for 1900 by 10 per cent at Shelton, 10 per cent at Kamilchie, 25 per cent at Olympia, and 25 per cent at Mud Bay, while the output of the miscellaneous log-gers is estimated about the same for 100 as for 1999. This would give the estimated output for 1901 of logs put in Puget Sound within 20 miles of Olympia as 2:4,500,000

Taking the 1909 output as a basis, the logs put in Puget Sound adjacent to Olym. when sawed would produce 220,000,

000 feet of lumber and \$5,000,000 lath.

The vessels employed in carrying lumber from Puget Sound range in carrying capacity from 200,000 feet to 2,000,000 feet. The average capacity of the lumber fleet leading at Puget Sound ports is about 600. 009 feet per vessel. The lumber and iath out from logs put in Puget Sound in 1800 at points adjacent to Olympia would load 282 such vessels.

### PERNICIOUS JOURNALISM

Illustrated by the Course of Affairs at Scattle.

Scattle Times. It is an ideal proposition that a journal ist, in control of a daily newspaper should publish "all the news impartially -no matter what its character nor whom it hits or shields. But the trouble with this standard is that "impartial publication" is interpreted by each publisher to suit his own particular standard, and therefore what is right, proper and practical-if not ideal-to one journalist, be wholly wrong when judged by the standard of another.

These "standards" may be illustrated by what has occurred in Seattle during the last six months. One publisher pretends ruption is carried on between lawhreakers and police officers—that instead of the officer performing his data officer performing his duty as he is em-ployed to do, to-wit: suppress crime and bring those who are guilty to punishment -he "compromises with criminals." whereby the public suffers and crime goes unpunished.

To accomplish that result, however, the publisher employs the "extra-relinary methods" to reach results. He does not esitate to associate with criminals and use them as his weapons to punish the officer and he refuses a hearing to the officer and countenances "secret investigation" and "public condemnation" without giving the accused official an oppor-tunity to defend himself, or to exercise any of his Constitutional rights.

What is the result of such a course? A rusted official is condemned-removefrom office and his entire life blasted. The law-breakers and criminals who have been employed to destroy that officer go unwhipped of justice-are given all the opportunity to air their charges against the official, and are practically permitted to go "scot free" for the services they have rendered in a case where the lawbreakers were the immediate cause of the ondition which prevailed.

In the meantime, the expositions made by that publisher to accomplish his re-sults have been scattered to the four winds, republished by the world at large and Scattle held up to the world as the most criminal, wicked and God-forsaken spot upon the face of the earth!

As a further result, a combat ensues be tween the officer who has been condemned without a hearing, removed without charges and judgment proclaiming him to be a criminal before the world-while the lawbreakers who furnished the testimony are allowed to go uncondemned, unpunished and treated as if they were an or-

nament to the community!

As a result, the law-breakers assume moral character—employ attorneys to "de-mand retraction" from the officer who has testified against them before a selfconstituted court, and as a result "mur-der follows"-a dead official is at the morgue, and the murderers are in juil.

In the meantime, it is a well-known fact that the motives which inspired the attack upon the official grew out of personal and political spite—and thus the whole undertaking, being inspired by evil, can pro duce no good in the end.

THINKS CHINESE BUY WITNESSES Judge at Seattle Proposes to Stop

Method of Importing Mongolians. SEATTLE, June 28.-Judge C. H. Han-ford, of the Federal Court, today handed down a decision on a habeas corpus case in which he made some pointed common the past methods of bringing in Chinese allens as American-born Chinese. The court stated in plain terms that he believed American witnesses had been bought to testify falsely as to alien Chinese having been born in Seattle. after, Judge Hanford said he would con-sider all Chinese born in Seattle prior to 1899 who had gone to China had come back. He proposes to let no more Chinese in on this ciaim. It is alleged that a regular system has existed in this city of hiring white men to swear that allen Chinese are known to them as having

#### een born in Seattle. Colonel Peyton Wins.

SPOKANE, June 28.—The sensational suit of Mrs. Helen M. Peyton, of Denver, against Colonel Isaac N. Peyton, wealthy mining man of Spokane, ended this morning in a decision by Judge Richardson finding for the defendant on all points. The plaintiff, who was the first wife of Colonel Peyton, sued for \$500,-000, or half his property, claiming the di-vorce he secured in 1896 was not legal, and asking that it be set aside, thus invalidating his second marriage. The court held the divorce had been voidable at one time, but the plaintiff had forfeited all rights by years of delay. The plaintiff will appeal to the Supreme Court of the

Christian Endeavor Convention. TACOMA, June 28 .- At today's session of the State Christian Endeavor Society, President Lewis suggested that hereafter the conventions be held blennially, and state officers elected for that time. Secretary Nye's report showed that 47 new societies were organized during the past year and 22 disbanded. The total membership is 7300. Four thousand was contrib-uted for mission work. Treasurer Hinkle reported the receipts at \$604. ments \$448, and \$156 on hand. The usual committees were appointed, and the day was taken up in addresses by various per-

Oregon's Exhibit Gets Much Notice. HOQUIAM, June 25.-Cashier Adams, of the First National Bank, has just returned from a visit to the Pan-American Exposition and reports an excellent Oregon exhibit of mining and lumber industries, the latter causing much wonder and comment. He states that Washington practically has no exhibit whatever. Portland Man Killed.

HOQUIAM, Wash. June 28.-J. W. Ba ker, of Portland, was accidentally killed yesterday at Lytle's logging camp by being caught in the hight of a wire cable. He has a father and cousin living in Portland.

Will Celebrate the Fourth. HOOD RIVER, June 28.-Hood River ill celebrate the Fourth of July. The

### Pen Picture for Weman.

" I am so nervous, there is not a well inch in my whole body. I am so weak at my stomach, and have indigestion horribly, and palpitation of the heart, and I am losing desh. This headache and backache nearly kills me, and yesterday I nearly had hysteries; t is a weight in the lower part of my bowels bearing down all the time, and pains in my grobs and thighs; I cannot sleep, walk or sit, and I believe I am diseased all over; no one ever suffered as I do."

This is a description of thousands of cases which come to Mr. Pinkham's laboratory for advice An inflamed and



alcerated condition of the neck of the womb can produce all of these symptems, and no woman should allow herself to reach such a perfection of misery when there is absolutely no need of it. The subject of our por-trait in this sketch, Mrs. Williams of Englishtown, N.J., has been entirely sured of such illness and misery by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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people from The Dalles and surrounding towns will participate. There will be a grand parade, a ball game. The Dalles vs. Hood River; many other events, and a \$700 display of fireworks in the evening. The oration of the day will be delivered by Hon, Robert F, Bell, of Portland.

#### Washington Notes.

The Victoria and Scattle La eams will meet at Port Townsend July 4. portion of the Spokane Interstate Fair Grounds will be fenced off for the use of visitors for camping purposes. The business men of Dayton have engaged attorneys and will fight the

lay-closing movement inaugurated by the seal W. C. T. U. The only mine now hauling quarts to the Republic mill is the Tom Thumb. A dozen teams were hauling this week, making two trips a day. The ore is taken from the dump at No. 2 shaft. This will give a fair test of the ore, as it was taken

ut of the ledge for a length of 200 feet. The Sheriff of Whitman County is anx. tously seeking one James Wasson and has extended his search to this city. Wasson was a school teacher and last week he was charged with criminally assault-ing a nine-year-old girl, one of his schol-ars. It appears that Wasson halls from Thurston County, where he at one time taught achool, and it is the Whitman County Sheriff's idea that the culprit is

# now in the vicinity of Olympia

Preparations are about completed for the observance of the Fourth of July in Baker City. The formal exercises will be held in the Courthouse yard. A grand-stand and seats are being erected. The procession will form at Armory Hall, at 9 o'clock. Governor Geer will deliver the oration at 11 o'clock. In the afternoon the street amusements will take Commencing at 8:30 the fireworks display will be the main attraction. The executive committee has everything well in hand, and is preparing to entertain the largest assemblage of people ever con-

egated in Baker City. Balliet's Mail Ordered Released. Postmaster Potter, of Baker City, has received a telegraphic order to release the mail addressed to Letson Balliet and the White Swan Mining Company, which was recently held up by the department. Balliet has recently paid a visit to ington, and the order to release his mail

is evidently due to his representations to the Postmaster-General.

Mistake of Trades Unions. Kansas City Star. Trades unloas have done much for the cause of labor, but they have fallen short of both the moral effect and the numerical strength that would now be theirs if they had avoided absolutely all foreible methods of procedure.

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