CABLE IS FINISHED

All-Red Line Between Vancouver and Brisbane.

UNDERGOES SERIES OF TESTS

Proves Equal to Expectations-First Message Congratulatory to King Edward - Vancouver Board of Trade Celebrates Event.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Oct. 31.-The con pletion of the All-Red cable line between Vancouver and Brisbane was accomplished at 7 o'clock last night, although the first message did not get through until this morning, when the announcement this morning, when the announcement was made that one dream of the imperialists was a reality. The cable is still in

state," he says. "Timber land values have advanced very rapidly there in the last few years, and they will advance just as rapidly here. The opening of trade with the Orient and the building of the Panama Canal will furnish a market for enormous quantities of Oregon timber." The 27 timber claims taken by the Michigan party will not be turned over to a syndicate, but will be held by the individuals who took them.

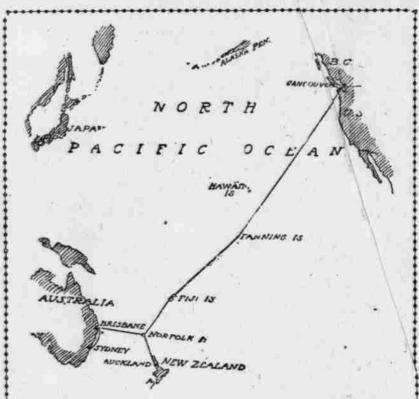
FIRST INDIAN WAR PENSION. Patrick Maloney, of Portland, to

Draw \$8 a Month.

CREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Oct. 31.—The first pension to be granted to a claimant in the Pacific Northwest, under the Indian War veteran Northwest, under the Indian War veteran bill passed at the last session, is to Patrick Maloney, of Portland, who has just been allowed \$8 a month. It is promised by the resion Bureau that other allowances will be made as fast as the claims can be examined and certified. Several claimants from the Eastern States, who were the first to file applications, have been drawing pensions uncarried. cations, have been drawing pensions der this set for several weeks.

MORE POWER FOR SEATTLE.

Large Electrical Plant Being Established on Puyallup.



MAP SHOWING THE LINE OF THE AUSTRALIA-BRITISH COLUM-

BIA CABLE, JUST COMPLETED.

an elaborate system of tests in order that the officials may see that it is in thorough working order before being taken over from the contractors. The section between Bamfield Creek

and Fanning Island, which is the longest in the world, has already undergone a In the world, has already undergone a Boston. Electrical transmission wires series of tests, and has proved entirely will be extended from the power-house in the success of the cable was over this enormous stretch, but it was found by a test to give a speed of over 100 words a minute with the Deerlove transmitter. The actual time occupied in the transmission of a message from this city to Sydney, Australia, will be less than five minutes in the case of a short commercial message, and this time will be of course mainly occupied in the manual repetition of the message at Bamfield Creek, Fanning Island, Norfolk Island and

Another peculiar fact in connection with these long stretches of cable is that much less current is used than over a land line of the same length, there being absolutely no lenkage in a submarine cable, and as a consequence less power is required.

The Vancouver Board of Trade celebrated the completion of the cable with an at-home this afternoon,

Message to the King.

message to King Edward reached Buck-ingham Palace this morning, being the first message sent over the line which links the British Empire together.

New Zenland Sends Greeting.

OTTAWA, Ont., Oct. 31.—Sir Sanford Fleming received today the following cablegram over the Pacific Cable from Premier Seddon, of New Zealand:

"October 31, 1902.-Delighted to congratulate you on completion of great work of Pacific cable, thus rewarding your interest and labor, forging further the link to advantage of our empire. SEDDON."

Importance of Cable.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31 .- Great importance is attached here to the coming of the allis attached here to the coming of the all-patch from Lendon. The completion of the line brings into being for the first time a British telegraphic gridle around the globe. The cable is 7800 miles in length. The Vancouver-Fanning portion is the longest without a break in the

MICHIGAN MAN IN SALEM.

George W. Walterhouse, of Ypsilanti, After Oregon Timber Lands.

SALEM, Oct. 31.—(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. George W. Walterhouse, of Ypsilanti. Mich., arrived in Salem yesterday, for a visit with friends. They are quite well known here, Mr. Walterhouse having resided here a number of years ago, when he superintended the work of installing the machinery in the brick flour mill. Mr. Walterhouse le a prominent manu facturer of milling machinery in Michigan, and is in Oregon for the purpose of taking a timber claim. He and Mrs. Wallican victory in Cowlitz County is assured. terhouse were members of a party of 21 Michigan people who took timber claims on the Umpqua River in Western Doug-las County early this week. The party included a number of women, and the hardships they were compelled to endure were such as would not be attractive to any but the seekers for the wealth that lies in Oregon timber lands. The party went in wagons from Roseburg and were gone five days. They traveled about 100 miles on the round trip, about one-half the distance being covered in wagons. The balance of the trip was made on pack horses or on foot. While out in the mountains the party was able to get only in barns, their only covering being the clothes they were and the wagon lap robes. Mrs. Walternouse concluded when she got back to Roseburg that it was worth 1000 to make the trip, but as the experience of "roughing it" was also worth that much, she had lost nothing by enduring the hardship of the expedition. The members of the party are very much pleased with the timber claims they secured. Mr. Walterhouse has resided in Michigan for many years, and has seen after the secured of the party are so vasily improved by the added rich-Michigan for many years, and has seen the forests of that state gradually but rapidly disappear before the blows of the woodman's ax. "Could I have foreseen what would take place in the last star years I could have become immensely rich by purchasing timber land in my own

the hands of the contractors, and it will other Puget Sound cities with electrical not be open for business for about three weeks. During that time it will undergo an elaborate system of tests in order that from this city. It will be owned and developed by the Pierce Improvement Cor-poration, recently formed for that pur-pose. The corporation has acquired land and water rights for about nine miles of the river's length. The corporation is being financed by Smith & Webster, of equal to expectations. The great question on the river to Seattle, Tacoma and other

WOULD PENSION INDIANS.

Agent Applegate Recommended \$10 a Month for White Sympathizers.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31 .- Indian Agent Applegate, of the Klamath, Or., reservation, has recommended to the Interior Department that the Government grant a pension of about \$10 a month to three leaders of the Klamaths who were allies of the whites in both the Plute and Modoc wars, and who have always loy-ally supported the Government in its measures for the control and improvement of their people.

KILPATRICK IN TROUBLE.

Is Charged With Having Passed Stolen Banknotes.

SAN ANGELO, Tex., Oct. 31.—Boone Kilpatrick, a brother of Ben Kilpatrick, who was arrested in St. Louis and sent to the penitentiary for participation in the Northern Pacific train robbery in LONDON, Oct. 31.—A congratulatory 1901, has been arrested at Azona and message to King Edward reached Buck- will be given a preliminary examination before United States Commissioner Keating here on the charge of having passed Helena, Mont., National bank bills here which were stolen during the hold-up,

> Mrs. Lockwood, of Lornine. COTTAGE GROVE, Or., Oct. 31 .- (Special.)-Mrs. Ella L. Lockwood, a highly esteemed lady of Loraine, aged 50 years,

died at her home this morning of bronchitis trouble. Mrs. Lockwood, with her husband, came from Wisconsin to California, and from there to Oregon, where they have lived for many years. Her husband and seven children survive

Petition to Close Sewer Ditch.

WALLA WALLA, Oct. 31.—A petition signed by 83 residents of College Place, a suburb of Walla Walla, has been presented to the City Council, asking that a sewer ditch to the Bialock fruit farm be closed, on the grounds that it is en-dangering the health of the inhabitants.

New Northwest Postmasters. OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Oct. 21.—Postmasters have been appointed as follows:

Oregon-John Everhart, Ely, vice Robert T. Beattie, resigned.
Washington-Amy Vogt, Hillsdale, vice William Logan, removed.

Big Rolly at Kalama. KALAMA, Wash., Oct. 31.—(Special.)—At a Republican rally this evening Hon.

Polk County October Strawberries, INDEPENDENCE, Oct. 31 .- (Special.)-Rev. G. H. Osborne, who lives a mile west of independence, brought to town this week several boxes of ripe straw-berries, and if the frest does not catch the

blossoms several more may be picked.

Adjourned Court Session at Eugene. EUGENE, Oct. 31 .- An adjourned term of the Circuit Court was held here by Judge Hamilton today, and a number of pack horses or on foot. While out in the mountains the party was able to get only one meal a day, and slept three nights

> Interest in School Election. WALLA WALLA, Oct. 31 .- The annual

UNDISTURBED BY POLITICS

BUSINESS NOT AFFECTED BY AP PROACHING ELECTIONS.

Speculation, However, Awaits the Result of the Contest at the Polls-Outlook for Spring Trade.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31,-R. G. Dun & Co.'s proaching elections. New hibor controversies have been promptly settled by advancing wages, and the gradual improvement in the supply of coal has reduced prices and restored activity in manufacturing. Complaints are increasing as manufacturing. Complaints are increasing as to the tardy movement of freight, miles of cars being stalled by the lack of motive power, and many roads refuse to accept further shipments until the blockades are relieved. Lower temperatures have stimulated retail sales of seasonable merchandise, but frost comes too late seriously to injure agricultural products. Lib eral consumption sustains questations in most lines, domestic demands being supplemented by large exports. Operating expenses of the railroads have increased in many cases to such a degree that net earnings are somewhat curtailed, but gross earnings for October thus far exceed last year's by 4.7 per, cent and those of 1900 by 13.5 per cent.

Undue significance is attached to the announcement that the Frick Company will not advance next year's price for coke above \$3. Although this is in line with other conservative efforts of leading interests to prevent inflated eral consumption sustains que

Although this is in line with other conservative efforts of leading interests to prevent inflated prices, the probable influence on the outside market will not be great, as the bulk of the output will go to the various plants of the United States Steel Corporation. Meanwhile, sales are being made at \$16 in extreme cases, and the scarcity has closed more blast furnaces. The future course of the iron and steel industry will be largely influenced by this fact short-are, much business being permanently lost to age, much business being permanently lost to causing large premiums to be offered. Struc-tural shapes for bridge and shipbuilding are next in point of urgent demand. Wire nails are also cheaper, but as a rule quotations are well maintained.

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New England shoe manufacturers are receiving additional orders at fully sustained quotations. Leather is in better demand with prices firmer. More interest has been shown in Chicago packer hides at recently reduced prices, cago packer hides at recently reduced prices, but the average of all grades is again lower. Conditions at the cotton milis are healthy. It is early for supplementary buying of Spring woolen goods, and Fall trade is finished, so that these departments of the market are nat-urally quiet. Raw wool is very firm at the leading Eastern markets, which are shipping reely to the mills

Failures for the week numbered 233 in the United States, against 191 last year, and 22 in Canada, as compared with 21 a year ago.

Bank Clearings.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—The following table ompiled by Bradstreet, shows the bank clearings at the principal cities for the week ended October 30, with the percentage of increase and decrease, as compared with the corresponding week last year: Clearings. Inc.
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Portland, Me	1,277,000 1,278,000	0.8	
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Pall River	1.021,000	38.8	
Fall River	844.000	32.4	
little Rock	1,257,000 228,000	74.3	****
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Totals, Canada \$ 45,886,850 17.9 ... · OUTLOOK FOR NEXT YEAR.

Confidence in Next Senson's Business Feature of Situation. NEW YORK, Oct. 31 .- Bradstreet's tomorrow

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

Confidence in the outlook for next year's business is a notable feature in the trade situation. The volume of orders booked for next Spring's delivery is large for this season of the year, and is explained partly by the exceptionally good business done in Fall and Winter account, and the large crop yields of the year, and also by the good position of the Winter wheat crop as cold weather approaches. The absence of killing frosts at the South has allowed of the maturing of a considerable top crop of cotton. This has helped the trade situation there, while acting as a brake upon the tendency of the price of that staple to advance. The demand for wheat has been active on milling account, the Pacific Coast being reported buying at Northwestern markets. Flour, though the demand is reported less satisfactory, is higher on the week. Cotton goods are unclanged, and quite steady in distribution. The great rush, of Fall buying at the West is now over, but re-orders are good, although colder wasther would benefit retail trade material.

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HOW MANY CIGARS will the United States collect Taxes on during the Month of December, 1992?

\$142,500.00 will be given in January, 1903, to the persons whose estimates are nearest to the number of cigars on which \$3.00 tax per thousand is paid during the month of December, 1902, as shown by the total sales of stamps made by the United States Internal Revenue Department during December, 1002.

Distribution will be made as follows?

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To the 80,000 persons whose estimates are next closest we will send to each one box of 50 "Cremo" Cigars (value \$2.50 per box).	75,000.00	
35.213 persons\$	142.500.00	

Every 100 bands from above named cigars will entitle you to four estimates.

(One "Florodora" hand counting as two bands from the 5 cent cigars mentioned; and no less than 100 bands will be received at any one time for estimates.)

Information which may be of value in making estimates:-the number of Cigars now bearing \$3.00 Tax per thousand, for which Stamps were purchased, appears below

> In December, 1900, 467,092,208 Cigars. " December, 1901, 479,312,170 " " January, 1902, 496,983,717 "

" February, 1902, 445,495,483 "

an March, 1902, 516,599,027 Cigars.

" April, 1903, 516,835,163 " " May, 1902, 523,035,907 ...

In case of a tle in estimates, the amount offered will be divided equally among those entitled to it. Distribution of the awards will be made as soon after January 1st, 1903 as the figures are obtainable from the Internal Revenue Department of the United States for December.

Write your full name and Post Office Address plainly on packages containing bands. The Postage, or Express charges on your package must be fully prepaid, in order for your estimate to participate. All estimates under this offer must be forwarded before December 1st, 1902, to the . . FLORODORA TAG COMPANY, Jersey City, N. J.

You do not lose the value of your bands. Receipts will be sent you for your bands, and these receipts will be just as good as the bands themselves in securing Presents. One band from "Florodora," or two bands from any of the other Cigars mentioned above, will count in securing Presents the same as one tag from "Star," "Horse Shoe," "Spear Head," "Standard Navy," "Old Peach and Honey," "J. T." "Master Workman," "Piper Heldsleck," "Jolly Tar," "Boot Jack," "Old Honesty,"

"Razor," or "Planet" Tobacco; or one "Sweet Caporal" Cigarette Box Front. Send each estimate on a separate piece of paper, with your name and address plainly written on each. Blank forms for estimates will be mailed upon application. Illustrated Catalogue of Presents for 1903 and 1904 will be ready for distribution about December 1st, 1902, and will be mailed on receipt of ten cents, or ten tobacco tags, or twenty cigar bands.