TWO TRAMPS ARE KILLED

Three Hundred Sheep Are Crushed to Death, and Seventeen Cars, Mostly Wheat Laden, Are Hurled From the Track.

WALLA WALLA. Wash., Nov. 21 --(Special)-Regular Washington & Columbis River night freight leaving here at 8 o'clock last night was wrecked at 11:30 o'clock seven miles from Hunt's Junction. eventeen cars were thrown from the track and piled up 50 feet high. Two tramps were found dead in an empty car Most of the cars were loaded with wheat; one was consigned from Dayton with 500 sheep, all of which were killed. Neither engine nor caboose left the track. The of the wreck is not yet known. Marshall Hill and Buriett, the engineer and conductor, are both from Walla

GRANTS PERPETUAL RIGHT.

Councilmen Leave Meeting, and Long-Fought Measure Is Passed.

OREGON CITY, Or. Nov. 21.—(Special.)
—At a called meeting of the Council tonight the measure granting the Southern
Pacific Company a perpetual franchise to
Railroad avenue was passed, and City Attorney Story was instructed to prepare the contract, together with the plans and specifications for the improvements pro-posed by the railroad company and agreed to in the franchise ordinance.

ing given in which to complete the con-

Judge Doubts Council's Authority. OREGON CITY, Or., Nov. 21 .- (Special.) -Judge McBride today rendered a decis-ion in the injunction suit recently brought by citizens against the members of the Oregon City Council to restrain that leg-islative body from passing a measure granting to the Southern Pacific Company a perpetual franchise to a certain ceet over which its tracks are operated this city. While Judge McBride modi-the Injunction and admits the right the Council to of the Council to pass the measure that is opposed, he restrains the Council from entering into a contract with the Southern Pacific Company for the making of certain improvements, as is proposed in the ordinance, in return for the granting of the franchise, until the further order of the court, and in addition gives the plaintiff in the sult additional time in which amend the complaint. The decision is victory for the anti-franchise people, who are clated. Judge McBride questions the power of any City Council to grant a perpetual franchise.

Influences Coming Election.

OREGON CITY, Or., Nov. 21 .- (Special.) -The announcement of the decision by Judge McBride today makes the franchise tion the real issue in the city election Councilmen will be elected. The present strength of the Council is 6 to 3 in favor of the perpetual franchise, and of the three retiring Aldermen, two are for Reese, substitute. the franchise. William Sheahan, the antichise member is a candidate on the self, while Mr. Story, a franchise member, will be nominated by petition to succeed himself from the First Ward. By elect-ing three anti-franchise Councilmen. those who oppose the giving of a franchise in perpetuity can gain control of the Council, which in that event would stand 5 to 4 against the franchise.

There will be three candidates for fayor. J. U. Campbell has already been ominated by the Republican City Convention. Dr. E. A. Sommer tonight filed largely signed petition asking him to accept the Mayoralty nomination on a citizens' ticket. Petitions were today started asking Charles Albright, an ex-member of the Council, to be a candidate for Mayor on an independent citizens' and taxpayers ticket.

Campbell and Sommer are both anti-franchise candidates. Albright, while op-posed to a perpetual franchise, favors a prope modification of the pending ordi-nance to the end that the South End road may be speedily completed at the expense of the Southern Pacific Company rather than the taxpayers, provided a reasonable arrangement can be made.

FRUIT TREES FOR CHINA.

Large Order for Peach and Apple Stock From Government.

Stock From Government.

WALLA WALLA, Wash, Nov. 21.—
(Special.)—The Northwestern Nursery
Company, of Walla Walla, today received an order to ship several hundred fruit trees to China in January.
This will be the first shipment of this
kind ever made from this section. The
trees will go via Seattle to Pekin and
Hong Kong. The order was received
directly through the Chiness Consul at
San Francisco. He ordered from here
on the recommendation of W. A. Bash,
of Port Townsend, a railroad promoter
in China, who thinks the climate of
those parts of China where trees will
be pianted so similar to that of Walla
Walla Valley that no harm will follow Walls Valley that no harm will follow transportation across the ocean. The trees include peach, apple, cherry and

FOR SOLONS' COMFORT.

Building for Legislature Will Be Ren-

ovated. OLYMPIA, Wash., Nov. 21 .- (Special.)

OLYMPIA, Wash., Nov. fl.—(Special.)—
The City Council tonight appropriated \$600, to which will be added about \$1000 by the citizens of Olympia, the money to be used in renting and fitting up the building occupied by the Legislature two years ago. The building will provide a large lobby, ballroom, ladies spariors, restaurant and other conveniences, and will be under the management of E. N. Tunin, formerly manages of the Olympia Hotel.

It is planned to make the building the gathering place of Legislators and Third-House members during the evenings. It will cost about \$1500\$ to prepare the building the groperly, but S. H. Piles has already to the Big Blackfoot Company, at Bonner, one of the isrgest lumbering plants in Montana, will shut down for the season on Saturday of this week and perhaps scoper, if the weather is such as in require if

CARS HEAPED HIGH building. It is believed Charles Sweeney will fall in line and the necessary balance will thus be provided.

"USE COMMON SENSE."

Advice of Seattle Educator to Linn

County Teachers. ALBANY, Or., Nov. 21.—(Special.)—The annual Teachers Institute of Linn, Ceunty convened in Albany this morning for a session of three days with lift teachers of the county in attendance. At the assembly this afternoon three able addresses were delivered. W. G. Hartranft, of Seattle, Superintendent of Schools of King County, Wash., spoke on "School Management"; President E. D. Rensier, of the Oregon Blate Normal Behool, spoke on "The American System of Education," and the subject of Professor T. A. Hayes, Superintendent, of the Albany public schools, was "Review Work."

In this address Superintendent Hartranft urged teachers to use more common sense in the government of their pupils. "We need teachers to use more common for human nature," he said. "Every child may be reached by some channel and if, insigned of applying arbitrary methods to all alike, teachers would study the nature of Individual reads of the late.

achers would study the nature of individual pupils they would be far more suc-cessful and have much less trouble in managing their schools."

TIMBER AND TREES.

Delegates to American Forest Congress From Washington in Demand.

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OLYMPIA. Wash. Nov. 21.—(Special.)—Governor McBride has received a request from the president of the American Forest Congress. so be held in Washington. D. C. January 2 to 6, inclusive, to be present and take part in the work of that body. President Roosevelt will address the congress and the members will be received at the White House at 12 o'clock noon January 2. Governor McBride has authority to appoint five delegates from Washington. Should there be any persons interested who are willing to attend they should forward a request to the Governor at an early date. Governor McBride cannot attend personally.

DIES UNDER WAGON WHEELS

when the franchise ordinance was called up for final consideration tonight, councilimen Sheahan and Knapp, who oppose the perpetual franchise, asked to be excused from attendance at the Council meeting and left the Council chamber. Alderman Justin, the third member of the Council who is opposed to the perpetual franchise was absent, and the ordinance passed by a vote of 6 to 0. Those votting affirmatively were: Chapman, Kelley, Koerner, Mason, Story and Straight.

The ordinance appropriating \$12,500 for the immediate completion of the South End Road, was postponed until the next regular, meeting. In connection with the epening up of the South End road, however, the bid of E. D. Olds, for \$1400 for the improvement of Third street, was accepted and the contractor was ordered to proceed with the work, six months' time being given in which to complete the contracts.

Woodhauler Thrown Out While Returning Home.

**Uning Home.

**ASHLAND, Or., Nov. 21.—(Special.)—News reached here today of the shocking death last night of Allen Hilt, a well-known young rancher, who lives near the state line, south of Ashland. He was hauling wood to Hornbrook, and while returning home last evening, driving a four-horse team and empty wagon, was thrown out and fell under the wheels. They ran over his head, fearfully cruebing it at the base of the skull and causing, it is supposed, instant death. When he was found a short time after the accident, life was extinct. He was the son of one of the ploneer families of Northern California, and was aged about 69 years.

TEN MILLS FOR CITY.

Astoria's Council Votes Levies for Coming Year.

ASTORIA, Or., Nov. 21.—(Special.)—At the meeting of the City Council this evening the ways and means committee recommended that tax levies of 10 mills for municipal purposes and one-half mill each for library and park funds be made. The report was adopted and the levies will be made at the next meeting. The committee estimated the receipts of the city for 1965

ALBANY, Or., Nov. II .- (Special.)-The members of the National Grange will be given a reception at the Albany depot Tuesday afternoon while on their excur-aion up the Willamette Valley. The train will stop here only half an hour, so only a brief informal reception will be held. The ladies of the local Lewis and Clark Club are collecting a large quantity of flowers to distribute among the indies of the party, and some Linn County apples will also be distributed.

Rural Carriers for Hood River. next month, when a Mayor and three ington, Nov. 21.—Rural carriers were

> Washington-Colfax, route No. Thomas J. Hughes, regular; John D. Powell, substitute; Colby, route No. 1, Joaquin A. Shaw, regular; Mrs. Joaquin Shaw, substitute.

Gas for North Yakima.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Nov. 21.— (Special.)—Dr. J. J. Chambers, of Seat-tle, was before the City Council this evening asking for a franchise to put in a gas plant. He represents the company putting in the big plant in Seattle. He says the plant the company intends to build here will cost \$158,000. The City Council will prob-ably grant the franchise at the next

Murder Suspect Freed.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Nov. 21.—(Special.)—Lum Jo, a Chinese vegetable vender, who has been in jail since June 21 on information charging him with the murder of Don Yin, a fellow Chinese, was today released under habeas corpus proceedings. The Prosecuting Attorney did not oppose the proceed-ing, the evidence against Lum Jo not being considered strong enough to hold

Hobos Caught by Ruse.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Nov. 21.—
(Special.)—Several hobos were arrested here last night by the police after they had held up the crew of a westbound freight train. Finally the crew, after several attempts to drive them off, permitted the hobos to take possession of a box car. They were then locked in and the officers summoned. Misstep Leads to Death. SAN FRANCISCO, Nev. 21.-Thomas

Wackford accidentally stepped on the skirts of a woman just night on Mission street and was struck on the head by her escort. As a result of the blow Wack-ford died at the Central Emergency Hos-pital from fracture of the skulj. His assaflant, whose name is unknown,

Drove Missing Horses. CANYON CITY, Or., Nov. 21.—(Special.)
-Two men driving a team from Pendle ton, giving their names as Stickler and George Thompson, were arrested by Sheriff Ambrose near here today. They were held on the order of Sheriff Taylor, of Pendleton. A reward had been offered

BELLA NEAR SHORE

Schooner Twice Seen Is Now Long Overdue.

FOUR VESSELS OFF THE BAR

Wind at North Head Blows 72 Miles an Hour, and Continued Low Glass Causes Much Anxiety to Shipowners.

the Oregon coast. The schooner is described as a two-masted vessel, and the crew was reported to have been seen to leave her. The vessel, according to the story received, was then off the mouth of the Necanicum River.

The report comes from the Suislaw that the schooner Bella, answering the description of the vessel said to have been seen off the Necanicum, is long overdue there, where fear is entertained that perhaps the Bella has been lost. She showed up off Suislaw October B, but had not reappeared last Friday, and has encountered the full force of the recent gale. The Bella is owned by William Kyle & Sons, of San Francisco.

The barbound flect now numbers seven vessels—the steamers Northland.

vessels—the steamers Northland, Aber-deen, Despatch and Ascunsion, the French barks Plerre Loti and Crillion and the barkentine Geo. C. Perkins, Outand the barkentine Geo. C. Perkins, Outside, beating around, are the steamers Alliance, Redondo and Francis H. Lessectt, and a four-masted bark. Captain Wood has been placed aboard the bark. Last evening the wind dropped to a 15-mile rate at North Head, but this morning another gale was on and the register showed a 60-mile breeze, increasing this afternoon to 72 miles per hour. At a o'clock the wind dropped again to 42 miles and had shifted from southeast to south, but the glass is very low still. outh, but the glass is very low still.

WIND WHIPS HOQUIAM.

Shipping Escapes Damage, but Bridge Is Blown Open.

HOQUIAM, Wash., Nov. 21 -- (Special.) The worst storm of the year has been raging through this city all day, the wind attaining a velocity of 60 to 75 miles per hour. Signs and awnings have been torn from buildings and people hardly ven-tured on the streets. The gale of the past few days has kept the water up, and with the heavy rainfall has complete-ly flooded the flats to a depth of two feet. Shipping in the lower harbor is being badly tossed about, but no serious damage is done. The city bridge was blown open by a heavy gust of wind, breaking the gearing. All traffic across is done by a ferry, which is

Steamer Elmore Barbound.

TILLAMOOK, Or., Nov. 21 .- (Special.)-A heavy rain and wind storm has been blowing for the past two days, and the rivers are out of their banks. Owing to A special committee was appointed to prepare proposed amendments to the city charter. An ordinance to increase the license on 10-cent theaters to \$50 per quarter was defeated.

FLOOD DAMAGE SLIGHT.

Logs in Cowlitz Have Been Safely Caught in Big Boom.

KELSO, Wash., Nov. 2L-(Special.) Warm winds and excessive rains during the past 30 hours throughout the Cowlitz Valley district have sprung the waters in the Cowlitz and Coweman Rivers to a flood stage. Fourteen feet six inches was reached this morning, but it is believed the worst is past. Fortunately little damage has thus far occurred. All the booms along the Cowlitz have withstood the sudden rise, and the few scattering bolts and logs that did get away are OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash- lumbia at the mouth of the Cowling. In comparison to flood damages of previous years, the present is very small. The

rivers are now receding.

The big 45-foot dam of the Coweman Driving & Raffing Company has been filled to overflowing. Refilled on the present flood, it assisted in driving 20,000,000 feet of logs to tidewater, showing conclusively that it is built to stay and will insure several new camps and a greatly increased output of logs the coming year from the Coweman River camps.

Freshets Bring Logs.

ASTORIA, Or., Nov. 21.—(Special.)— The heavy rainfall of the past few days has caused exceptionally large freshets in the various streams entering the
Lower Columbia River, and while figures from the various points are not
yet obtainable, it is estimated that
fully 20,000,000 feet of logs have been brought down to tidewater. A great portion of these logs have been strand-ed near the headwaters of the streams for over a year, as there were no freshets during last Winter of sufficient volume to bring any of them down.

BURGLARS IN POSTOFFICE.

Safedoor Is Blown Off, but Nervous Cracksmen Flee.

CENTRALIA, Wash, Nov. M.—Burglars were very busy Saturday night and Sunday morning. They cracked one store and the Postoffice some time after midulght. The store of E. T. Talmadge in North Centralia was entered and goods

in North Centralia was entered and goods and money amounting to \$11 were taken. The burgiars evidently dropped the till on the floor and became frightened for they next went down town and entered the Postoffice from the rear.

Here they dropped one of the umbrelias taken from Talmadge's store. After locating the till of the Postoffice, they knocked the knob off the safe and introduced a charge of nitro-glycerine. This blew off the outer door of the safe. The boud noise made by the explosion alarmed them and they did not complete their job by opening the inner door of the safe. The work was evidently that of local thieves, as the tools used to break open the Postoffice safe were taken from a Centralia blacksmith shop.

SUIT OVER BIG METEOR.

Visitor From Skies is Valuable, and fron Foundry Wants It.

Iron Foundry Wants It.

OREGON CITY, Or., Nov. II.—(Special.)
—Another suit in which Councilman Rudelph Koerner and City Treasurer Fred Meyer are the plaintiffs and the Oregon Iron & Steel Company is the defendant was begun in the Circuit Court today to gain possession of the II-ton meteor that was discovered near this city hat Winter, At the last term of the court the ownership of the strange aerial deposit was awarded the Oregon Iron & Steel Company in a suit brought against Ellis Hughes, who had taken charge of the meteor, to which he claimed little by reason of discovery. A recent survey of the premises where the meteor was found develops that the bone of contention was not within 162 feet of the land of the Oregon Iron & Steel Company, which claimed this to the moiten mass on the ground that it was discovered on its lands. C. D.

Latourette appears as attorney for the plaintiff, and the case will probably be disposed of at this term of court.

RUSTLERS' LONG SENTENCES. Klamath County Cattle Thieves Get

Eight and Ten Years.

Eight and Ten Years.

ASHLAND, Or., Nov. 21.—(Special.)—
Judge Benson, in Circuit Court at Klamath Falls, has sentenced J. S. Stevens and Walter Lerwell, convicted of stealing a band of cattle from Melhase Bros., at Port Klamath last August, to ten and eight years in the penitentiary.

Walter Simpson, a young man who had been invited by Stevens to join him and Lerweil in their wholesale cattle-rustling scheme, and who accompanied them in their attempt to drive is head of cattle belonging to Melhase out of the country and across the mountains, turned state's evidence and gave the scheme away.

CAMPAIGN OF STATE.

Nov. 21.—(Special.)—Whitman College to-day submitted the question which will be discussed in the debate between Whitman and Pacific at Walla Walla early in Feb-ruary. It reads: "Resolved, That the United States Should Adopt the Canadian Banking System." Pacific will choose the

were reported today. Seven members of the Phelan family, living ten miles west, have the disease, and there is one other case in that vicinity. Hundreds are being vaccinated here daily. Four deaths from the disease have occurred.

and 4, respectively, the court made an order placing those precincts under the provisions of the local-option law. There are no saloons conducted in either of these precincts, which are the only two of a total of \$\textit{T}\$ in the county to go "dry."

New Salem High School.

SALEM, Or., Nov. 21.—(Special.)—
The erection of a new high school building at a cost of about \$25,000 is one of the questions to be presented before the taxpayers of the Salem school district at the annual meeting, which has been called for Friday evening December 2. The members of the ing, December 2. The members of the school board say that without increas-ing the tax levy or issuing bonds, the district can construct such a building and pay for it in two years from the ordinary revenues. The building, if erected, will be located on the property now occupied by the old wooden buildings known as the Central School.

Confesses to Old Crime.

BAKERSFIELD, Cal., Nov. II.—A mid-die-aged man walked into the County Jali today and gave himself up to the police authorities, saying that he was implicated in a murder that was committed in North Carolina if years ago. He gave the name of William Crutchfield and stated that the murder took place at Winston, N. C., and that he and three other boys were the guilty narties. guilty parties.

Forest Pire Threatens Town. LOS ANGELES, Cal., Nov. 21.-Forest fires at La Canyada threaten to wipe out the town of La Crescenta. The people there have called for assistance from La Canyada and Pasadena, but there does not appear to be any prospect of getting the fire under immediate control. It may In are at present at Mount Lowe and the fire is being fought by the ranchers.

Colt's Kick Kills Child.

WALLA WALLA, Wash, Nov. 7.—
(Special.)—The 4-year-old son of Milder
Wonser, a Eureka Fiat farmer, died last
night at the hospital here as the result of
being kicked in the head by a colt. The
child was walking behind the animal with
a pet cat in his arms when the colt lunged
at a dog, missing it and crushing the child's skull.

Benton County Taxes.

CORVALLIS, Or., Nov. II .- (Special.)-The summary of the assessment roll, as equalized by the County Board of Equal-ization, was forwarded to the Secretary of State by Clerk Moses today. But slight change was made in the total as a result of the board's action, and the aggregate of the board's action, and the aggregate of taxable property is \$4,67,840.

Astoria's City Warrants.

ASTORIA, Or., Nov. 21.—(Special.)—A re-port filed by City Treasurer Dealey today shows that since October 1 he has paid city warrants amounting to \$7.46.74. Dur-ing that time he has collected assessments for street improvements amounting to \$804.78.

For Deputy Auditor.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Nov. 21 - (Special.)-It is understood here that Auditor-elect C. W. Chausens will appoint as his dep-uty F. P. Jameson, the present Auditor of Kitsap County. Mr. Jameson was in Olympia today and secured a residence

Raisin-House Burns

FRESNO, Cal., Nov. II.—The raisin and fruitpacking-house of the Peter Droge Company has been destroyed by fire. The plant was valued at \$45,00, and is practi-

Salmon Canneries Close. ASTORIA, Or., Nov. II.—(Special.)—All the salmon canneties at the points along the Oregon coast have closed down on account of the high water in the streams, but definite figures regarding the pack are not yet obtainable.

New University Regent.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Nov. 21.—(Special.)—Governor McBride today appointed Frank T. Post, of Spokane, a member of the board of regents of the State University. Mr. Post succeeds James Z. Moore, whose term has expired. Jockey Guilty of Bigamy

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Nov. 21.—Speyer Sutherland, the well-known steeplechase jocker, pleaded guilty to a charge of big-amy in the Superior Court here today and was sentenced to one, year in the penitentiary. Shot by Jealous Husband.

FRESNO, Cal., Nov. E.—Mrs. Anna Big-ley and V. A. King colored, have been shot dead by James C. Higley, husband of the woman. Both were shot in the back. Jealousy was the cause.

LAW'S HAIRS SPLIT

Liquor-Dealers Try to Annul Prohibition Vote.

POLLS CLOSED TOO EARLY

Yamhili County Saloon Men File Protest With County Court, Alleging That Voters Were Intimidated by "Dry" Crowd.

M'MINNVILLE, Or., Nov. 21.—(Special.)—The liquor dealers of Yamhill County, through their attorneys, have fied a protest in the County Court against ourt's declaring in favor of prohibi-The substance of the protest is

First-The petition signed by 10 per cent of the voters was not filed prior to the order of the court deciaring election to be

held.

Second—The County Court did not order
the election at its regular session as required by law.

Third—The polls at the South Sheridan
Precinct closed 15 or 20 minutes too early,
thus preventing registered voters, who
were not in favor of prohibition, from
voting.

voting.
Fourth—Many irregularities were permitted at the polling places where the vote went against prohibition. The protest alleges that there was in many instances a failure to rope the polling places, a failure to provide guard ralls for clerks and booths, that many persons were allowed to crowd around the booths contrary to law and influence and intimidate voters to vote for prohibition, and furthermore that persons were allowed to vote that had no legal right to vote, and that they voted in favor of provide and that they voted in favor of provides. vote, and that they voted in favor of pro

The liquor men are preparing to make a hard fight if necessary.

Only Two "Dry" Precincts.

SMALLPOX HITS HARD.

Seven of One Family Near Billings
Are Stricken.

BILLINGS, Mont., Nov. 21.—(Special.)—Smallpox is spreading despite the efforts of the health authorities. Nine new cases were reported today. Seven members of the Phelan family, living ten miles west.

OREGON CITY, Or., Nov. 21.—(Special.)—The Count Court was convened in special session today when the vote on prohibition in this count was canvassed, the result being as follows:

For prohibition, 1271; against prohibition, 1399.
Garfield and Viola Precincts having been carried for prohibition by majorities of 20 and 4, respectively, the court made an order placing those prohibition and the court made an order placing those prohibitions.

Fine Residence Sold.

SALEM, Or., Nov. 21,—(Special.)— The Mrs. J. J. Murphy residence, on Court street, one of the best residences in the city, was today sold to George L.

Only Saw Flash of Revolver.

CHICAGO, Nov. Zi.—Late tonight the young man who claimed to have seen the murder was found to be John Hanis. If he had any information of value he did not announce it. He claimed to have seen the flash of the revolver and to have heard the shot, but saw nothing of the oc-cupants of the automobile.

cupants of the automobile.

Miss Halle, whose signature appeared on notes found in the possession Bate, the murdered chauffeur, appeared at the Central Police Station tonight and declared she had no knowledge of the murder. She became acquainted with Bate several months ago and had gone riding with him. On her return to her home in Janesville, Wis., she had written to him at his request.

Hague Tribunal Meets.

BRUSSELS, Nov. 22.-The first meetin BRUSSELS, Nov. 22.—The first meeting of The Hague tribunal took place to arbitrate the dispute between Great Britain and certain Europeans on the question of the house tax. M. Cram, the Provincial Governor in Norway, was chosen president. In his opening address he referred to the present war as "a loss to humanity." but maintained that the increasing number of arbitration conventions was a good augury for the future, as they represented a new link in the as they represented a brotherhood of nations. sented a new link in the

Steamfitters' Union Expelled. WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—Complying with the demand of President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor, the Central Labor Union of Washingthe Central Labor Union of Washington tonight expelled the Steamfitters'
Union, which had defied the Federation
in failing to consolidate with the
Plumbers' Union. As a result of this
action, it is expected that 18 of the
largest and strongest unions in the
city will withdraw from the central
body and form a separate organization.

Congressmen Leave for Panama.

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KINGSTON, Jamaica, Nov. 11.—The
United States Army transport Sumner
left today for Colon with the Congressional party headed by W. P. Hepburn,
chairman of the House interstate and
foreign commerce committee, which is to
acquire information to form the basis of
canal zone legislation at the approaching session of the United States Con-

Trial of Von Plehve's Assassin. ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 22, 7:55 A. M It is announced that the trial of the assassin of Minister of the Interior Von Pichve will begin on December 13,

(Minister Von Piehve was assassinated on July 28 by means of a bomb thrown at his carriage while he was driving to the Baltic station in St. Petersburg to take a train for the Palace at Peterbof.)

Widely-Known Physician. CHICAGO, Nov. 21.—Dr. Henry M. Lyman, formerly dean of Rush Medical College, and one of the most widely-known physicians in the West, died to-night of neuralgia of the heart.

"Mary Anne, didn't I hear you kiss that policeman in the kitches last night" "I hope not, mum."—Chicago Journal.

NOT FOR BEST FARM

In the State.

"I saw so much in the papers about the wonderful cures effected by Pyramid Pile Cure I determined to give it a trial. I bought from my druggists one Societ box and used it as directed, and by the time I had used it as directed, and by the time I had used it as directed, and by the time of the pyramid's all inflammation was gone. I was perfectly easy all the time, the excessive discharge stopped at once, and stools became easy and gentle.

"I was unable to got my own firewood for four months, and half the time when I could walk at all I had to walk half bent. I used many pile remedies, salves and olutments, all to no effect, until I used one Se-cent box of Pyramid Pile Cure and was cured.

"I would not be afflicted as I was four months ago for the best farm in the State of Arkansas. I can give proof and reference of the wonderful cure to all who are afflicted as I was Piezze publish my letter that I may advise the afflicted."

"We E. Wallis Piggot Ark. Box M.

The experience of Mr. Wallis is that of thousands of others who suffer for years with the most painful forms of hemorrhoids, or piles, and after trying everything they hear of, give up all hope of a cure and look for temporary relief enly. To all such a little book published by Pyramid Drug Co. Marshall, Mich., brings giad tidings, as it tells all about the cause and cure of piles and is sent free for the saking.

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GAMBLERS' HUSH MONEY

STARTS A SCANDAL AMONG HO-QUIAM'S OFFICIALS.

Two Policemen Asked to Resign, but They Demand Hearing, and Implicate Mayor and Chief.

HOQUIAM Wash., Nov. 21 .- (Special.)-Hoquiam has scandal to burn. Mayor Frary demanded the resignation of Police Officers Dole and Lane last Friday night, but both men refused to hand in their stars until a special meeting of the Coun-cil was called which confirmed the Mayor's

The men are accused of accepting hush noney to the extent of several hundred money to the extent of several hundred dollars from the gamblers, who have been running things wide open the past few months. Both officers deny the charge and have asked for a hearing, which, if given them, will implicate Chief of Police Phelps and Mayor Frary in the same deals, they allege. The public demands a hearing, and it is believed considerable underhand work will be disclosed. This is



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