Dr. Roller's ability to take care of a track team he has a record in the department of athletics which speaks well for his value as a coach. It is expected that he will develop Tom McDonaid into a Coast champion. With the hammer he has made a number of records, and also with the shot.

Professor Thorpe made his reputation as a baseball player while in the University of Illinois. He was on one of the best nines that Illinois ever turned out. The baseball material at Washington this year is probably the best for the past three years, and it is very likely that Thorpe will turn out a winning aggregation.

# TIE-UP WITH VAWTER LIKELY

Kuykendall Forces in the Senate Will Probably Assist the Multnomah Candidate for Speaker .... Change Mining Tax.

Notwithstanding T. R. Kay's announcement that he can win the Speakership against Multnomah, the boomers of A. L. Mills in this county are confident that Mr. Kay has counted more votes than are coming to him. It is understood that behind Mr. Mills will be the Republican organization of the state as well as of this county.

Influences are now at work to snatch away members of the lower house who are said to have tied themselves up to Mr. Kay. Indications are that the organization in the Senate which will be headed probably by Dr. Kuykendall, of Lane, and which is allied with the forces now behind Mr. Mills, will use its power of legislation in the upper try beforehamber to pull men from Mr. Kay to L'Hassa. the Multnomah candidate in the lower

"The fellows who want appropriations and other things from the Legis-lature have got to stand in," declared one of the men yesterday who is at the head of the Kuykendall-Mills move

#### Mills and Vawter May Unite.

An alliance will be attempted becontingent from Southern Oregon. Mr. Vawter, who hails from Jackson County, and who is himself a candidate for the Speakership, has frequently signi-sed his desire to go in with Multnomah. But he has three allies who are claimed by Kay after they shall have left him. They are believed to be Gray and Son-neman, of Douglas, and Jackson, of Jackson County. The other three votes which are Vawter's—those of Hermann, of Coos, and Von der Hellen, of Jackson, and his own—are said to be avail-able for a tie-up with Multnomah. Hermann is irreconcilably hostile to

Mr. Vawter is expected to arrive at Portland in a day or two, ready to "talk business." Inasmuch as he has votes which are claimed by Kay after the Marion man shall have withdrawn, it will be a study whether to invite Vawter to deliver his followers to Multnomah's candidate at once or to wait until Kay has shown up all his

#### Multnomah for Kuykendall.

From present appearances Multnomak will give Kuykendall all its seven votes. The only doubtful vote of the seven—that of C. W. Nottingham—will go with the other six if nothing shall arise between now and the meeting of the Legislature to change Mr. Notting-ham's mind. Yesterday Mr. Nottingham said that while he had not pledged himself to stay with the other Sena-ters of his delegation, still he believed there will be no trouble." Mr. Not-tingham added that he was strongly of the opinion that Dr. Kuykendall will be elected President. Mr. Nottingham yesterday offered Mr. Mills whatever yesterday offered at. Mills and could con-ald his place in the Senate could con-

# TRACING THE MURDERER.

# Mrs. Bouton and Franklin Seen in

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Dec. 30 .-Milton Franklin and Mrs. Bessle Bouton, the latter believed to be the victim of the Cutler Mountain murder, were in Color-ado Springs as late as Sunday, Nov. 27. ecording to the information uneasthed by the city detectives today. This would bring their presence in this city down to within a few days of the time it is belived the murder was committed.

A woman believed to be Mrs. Bouton was seen in North Cheyenne Canon on

wagons, with light horses, which have cost us an average of \$200 aplece. With such conveyances, we are not prepared to carry beavy articles, nor have we ever done so. If we should be required to deliver such heavy parcels as Secretary Cowies proposes we would have to quit, because we could not do so with our present facilities, and but few of us would go to the expense of buying heavier and cost-lier wagons and horses. Then, tho, but very few of us are physically able to handle such large packages, many carriers being only boys, others girls, and some are aged veterans of the Civil War. Very few would be able to do the lifting required, and they would surely seek a job with some truck and dray company if they had to do such work, for the pay would be better and the expenses less.

From the standpoint of the Postoffice Department, the plan is not feasible. Clerks and carriers are instructed to expedite the mails, which include in great part the newspapers of the world. The Oregonism among them. If we were required to handle freight in heavy wagons, we would be delaying the letters and papers, and instead of making our trips in a few hours we would be all day on the routes, and you can readily perceive what the result would be.

In the City of Washington there have been enemies to rural free delivery in high places. Many of our newspapers have not been friendly toward the service, and there are kickers against the system everywhere, but it seems that others whom we know to be our friendly toward the service, and there are kickers against the system everywhere, but it seems that others whom we know to be our friendly toward the service, and there are kickers against the system everywhere, but it seems that others whom we know to be our friendly toward the service, and there are hallowed the National Grange. It thinks Secretary Cowies is doing just the right thing, and yet the National Grange in the mother of rural free delivery. The San Francisco Argonaut, too, seems to have made the error of indoming the scheme, Sunday, November 25, and again on Sunday, November 27, Franklin, it is positively stated, was haved in a local barber shop one day during the week begin-ning November 20. Where he spent the ntervening time has not yet been learned. but the officers are tracing the matter. Another clew that was furnished to the fficers today was from two well-known surveyors of this city who, on December 8, were driving up North Cheyenne Canyon when they were overtaken by a who answers the description of nklin and who was carrying a bundle f soft material. The general appearance of the man caused considerable con did not appear to be a man accustomed to hard manual labor. The en-gineers are convinced that the man en-tered the canyon from Cutler Mountain. They say that instead of passing the time of day, as is customary in the mo stranger hung his head and appeared to

# INCORPORATES IN MAINE.

#### New Company is Supposed to Carry Cudahy Interests.

desire to avoid recognition

AUGUSTA, Me., Dec. 30 .- (Special.) -A certificate of incorporation has been filed here by the Pacific American Pusi-eries Company, with a capital of \$1,500,000. The president is G. N. B. Lowes, of Chi-cago, and the treasurer is M. W. Bald-win, of Portland. The directors include win, of Portland. The directors includ-these two, with J. R. Griffin, J. J. Her-nan, H. E. Watson and A. S. Conant.

The new organization is believed to be that of the Cudahy interests, represented by the Deming & Gould Company, and marks another step in their re-entrance in to the salmon world.

E. B. Deming, the Western represents tive of these interests and a practical salmon man, left this coast hurriedly a short time ago for Chicago, and it was no serret that he was called there to perfect plans for the new organization which control their recent purchases of

The question agitating the minds of many salmon men today is what action this new company will take at the sales of the Pacific Packing & Navigation Company's properties to be held in the near future at Juneau, Alaska. At the former sale Mr. Deming bid on two Alaska properties, but although the bids were low he withdrew them without waiting to learn whether or not they would be confirmed. Should be replace these bids at the Juneau sale and acquire control of even one or two Alaska proper-ties his company would then be one of the most powerful factors in the salmon

Leave the Church Out of It. LONDON, Dec. 20.-Rev. Harry A. Mason, vicar of St. Stephen's, North Bow and Rural Dran of Poplar, an-nounces in his parish magazine that would rather not conduct the serv-for "marriages of necessity" or in

the case of the guilty parties in di-

Such persons have no right to claim

or expect the divine blessing on their

ion," he writes.
"The proper place for persons who having done wrong, wish to be legally united, is the office of the Register, where the civil sanction of the state

#### DIES IN THIBET.

#### American Explorer Who Went in Advance of Younghusband.

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—Word has reached Chicago of the death of Francis H. Nich-ols, of this city, in Thibet. He was heading for L'Hassa, the "Forbidden City," and started on his long trip before city, and started on his long trip before
the British expedition under Colonel
Younghusband was formed. He was traveling with a few Chinese. Details of his
death were meager. It is said a native
couriser brought the news to a missionary on the Chinese border.
Nichols was a correspondent during the
Spanish-American War. Returning from
Cubu, he was selected to supervise the

Cuba, he was selected to supervise the distribution of a famino rand collected for sufferers in China. Afterward he wrote "Through Hidden Shenshi," which was published in a magazine.

As a result of his experiences in China.

Nichols determined to go overland through Thibet and work his way to L'Hassa. With money of his own and a fund furnished him by the American Geographical Society, he started on his expedition, leaving on March 27, 1902. He went to China first, and getting excellent credentials from the government, started overland toward the Thibetan border. It was his plan to live some time in the country, learning the language and getting points on the habits of the coun-try before starting for the gates of

It is regarded as probable he died before reaching that place.

Mrs. Mattern, Famous Artist. NEW YORK, Dec. 20 .- Mrs. Sophia L.

Oregonian, Portland, Or.

GOOD THING: KNOCK IT.

Rural Carrier's View of Parcels Post

Proposal.

GRESHAM, Or., Dec. 28 .- (To the Editor.)

GRESHAM, Or., Dec. 28.—(To the Editor.)—From the tenor of your editorial on 'The Local Parcels Post." in The Oregonian of December 27, one would think you were championing a "sureastie" cause or endeavoring to destroy rural free delivery. The rural letter-carriers regret very much that The Oegonian and at least two other leading papers of the United States should take Senetary Cowies, of the Postal Progress League, to be in earnest in his recommendation for a parcels post. He is either indusing in a fine bit of sarcastic humor, or else he has insects under his chatch. We do not believe that he is attempting to injure rural free delivery in making his absord recommendations, but if his suggestions are adopted that will be the ultimate end of the system.

the system. Being a rural lettercarrier and thoroughly fa-miliar with the work. I do not hesitate to say that 59 per cent of the present force in the United States will resign if a law should be passed requiring us to carry packages weigh-ing 200 pounds or measuring six feet in length. We have buggies and carts and light mail wagons, with light horses, which have cost us an average of \$200 apiece. With such convey-ances, we are not prepared to carry beauty articles, nor have we ever dose so. If we

TWO MEN BURNED.

Also Feared That Unknown Men Per-

ished in the Flames.

COLFAX, Wash., Dec. 30 .- Fire in th

Tift and Fred True were severely burned

Berger and Casey Fight a Draw.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—The box-ng bout of four rounds tonight between

Sam Berger, the Olympic Club cham

pion, and Jim Casey, amateur, was de-clared a draw, the judges being unable

May Sell More Ships.

BERLIN, Dec. 10.-Although the Ham

org-American line has denied that it has soid the steamship Phoenicia, it is be-

of this and other ships of the line are in

Folk Will Be Guest of Honor.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30 .- Joseph W. Folk

Sovernor-elect of Missouri, has accepted

New York and will be the guest of honor

Hurricane Causes Many Deaths.

BRUSSELS, Dec. 30.—Many persons were killed or injured in Belgium by a

"The Best Pill I ever used," is the fre-uent remark of purchasers of Carter's Attle Liver Pills. When you try them ou will say the same.

hurricane today, which also

at its annual banquet March 16.

invitation of the Missourt Society of

a slugging match and little science w displayed by either man.

to decide on a winner.

It is feared an unknown man perished.

siness section tonight caused \$20,000

There was little insurance. Dr.

The hout was

Northwestern System Is Now in One.

TO COMBINE LOCAL OFFICES

Consolidation Will Have Effect of Abolishing Portland Office of the Chicago & St. Paul Line-Forces Slightly Changed.

R. R. Ritchie, Pacific Coast agent of the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad, reached the city last night on the delayed South-ern Pacific train, from his headquarters at San Francisco, and will today begin at San Francisco, and will today begin the merging of the offices of the Chicago. St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha with those of the Chicago & Northwestern road. These two lines both go to make up the Northwestern system, but heretofore, for various reasons, the offices have been kept separate and distinct. It is now thought best, however, for reasons of economy and convenience, to put the local offices of the Northwest under one head, and with this Northwest under one head, and with this end in view the offices of the two com-

panies at Portland Seattle, Spokane and Helena will each be put under the charge of the one company or the other. In Portland the office of the Chicago & St. Paul line will be abandoned and the business will be consolidated with that of the Chicago & Northwestern. The changes in the forces of the two offices, however, will be slight, and, such as they are, were Mattern, an accomplished painter and linguist, who abandoned art that she might work among the unfortunate and do something toward upilifting women who fall into the hands of the police, is dead

also be merged and put under the contro of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis &

Mr. Ritchie will remain in Portland for

several days superintending the changes that are to be made, and will then go on to Seattle and the other cities where he is to consolidate the offices under the juris-

diction of one or the other of the two

companies of the hig Northwestern sys-

RETURN OF E. E. CALVIN.

Still Believed He Will Manage the

Southern Pacific Lines.

E. E. Calvin, general manager of th

D. R. & N. Co. and the Southern Pacific

lines in Oregon, returned to his home last night on the delayed Southern Pa-

cific train, after an extended visit in Sait Lake City and California.

It has been persistently rumored that Mr. Calvin is slated to succeed Charles

Markham as general manager of the Southern Pacific, with headquarters at

San Francisco, but no confirmation of the rumor can be secured. The recent

als lengthy trip over the California

lines of the Southern Pacific, however,

lead to the belief that the story is cor-

HAVE SOME NEW PLAYS.

Multnomah Will Experiment on Seat-

tle in New Year's Game.

There was no practice last night, but the team will be out in full force to-night for practice and will go through a

stiff lot of work.

Manager Watkins received a commun

ation from Seattle yesterday stating that

the Seattle team will be greatly strength

ened over the team that defeated Mult

nomah there two weeks ago, and that they expect to win by at least two touch-downs. From this it would seem that

Multnomah will have a few new plays o try on Scattle, and if they fail to work,

Coach Murphy will fall back upon straight football, and he can be depended

upon to discover any weak spot in Seat-

tle's line and to pound away at it when it is once located. In spite of the "blue and white's" great line, they will be opposed by players worthy of their best efforts in Pratt. Stow, Ross, Seeley, Kel-

ier, Jordan, Dowling and Stott, and will

find it hard to gain consistently through these men. Chauncey Bishop has con-

sented to act as referee and with "Count"

Villa as umpire, the spectators are assured of a good, clean game. The game

will be called at 2:30 P. M. and will be

IN BRAWN DEPARTMENT.

Coaches for Rowing, Track and Base-

ball Arranged For.

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON, Seat-tle, Dec. 26.—(Special.)—Graduate Man-ager Robert Evans, of the University of Washington, has been hard at work dur-ing the present college vacation arranging matters for the coming year. He will take his office on the first day of January, and will have charge of university affairs during the remainder of the present colle-

during the remainder of the present colle

giate year and the first four months of the coming year. While the matter of coaches has not been definitely settled,

Evans feels that the athletes will be taken care of by the very best of men. Jim Knight will be the coach for rowing, Dr.

Roller of track athletics, and Professor Thorpe will look after the baseball inter-

nation will satisfy the athletes. Knight is

practically the only man that could handle

rowing in Washington at this time. His knowledge of conditions and his keen in-

terest and enthusiasm for the sport will be needed to enable the University of

compete against the University of Califor-

While little, if anything, is known about

The manager believes that this co

Multnomah has its work cut out.

soon leave this city for San Francis

visit of Mr. Calvin to San Francis

THE NEW YEAR'S OREGONIAN

their friends in the East, will be a copy of the New Year's Oregonian that

will be published Monday morning next. The illustrations of the beautiful Exposition buildings and the Exposition grounds will be made a special feature of the New Year's number. The paper will be mailed to any address in the

United States or Canada, postage prepaid, for 10 cents a copy. Address The

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Outsider Wins First Race in Eventful Day at Ascot.

WHITE STONE FOOLS TALENT

LOS ANGELES, Cal, Dec. 30.-At Ascot today White Stone upset all calculations by winning the first race at 40 to 1 from Sandstone, the favorite. The winner opened at 15 to 1, but drifted back to 40. The steeplechase went to the favorite, Mrs. Grannan. Ballantyne fell at the first jump and Jockey McBride had a narrow escape, as the horse turned a complete somersault. Two favorites won. Weather cloudy, track fast. Summary: Five and a half furlongs—White Stone won, Sandstone second, Retador third.

Six furlongs-Rose of Hilo won, Golden ivy second, Lady Mirthful third. Time

Handicap, steeplechase, short course Mrs. Grannan won, Flew second, Alle-giance third. Time, 3:07.

Siauson course—Tramator won, El Otro econd, Maggie Mackey third. Time, 1:28. Mile and 70 yards—Merwan won, Helgerson second, Lustig third. Time, 1:46. Six furlongs—Happy Chappy won, Ben Lear second, Tam O'Shanter third. Time,

#### Favorites Win at San Francisco. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30 .- Three fav-

orites won at Emeryville today in an ordinary card. Jockey Reed was indefinitely suspended for his ride on Golden Buck. Weather rainy, track sloppy. Sum-

Five furlongs-Glendene won, Saccharate second, True Wing third. Time, 1:00. Six and a half furlongs-Hainault won, War Times second, Hipponax third. Time, Futurity course-David Boland won, Ed-rodun second, Gallant Cassie third. Time,

Mile and 50 yards—Briers won, Weineck second, Barrack third. Time, 1:46%. Mile—Darksome won, Down Patrick sec-ond, Serenity third. Time, 1:44%. Mile and a sixteenth—Magrane won, Padua second, G. W. Trahern third. Time, 1:48.

#### Races at New Orleans.

in Brooklyn from paralysis. For some time she acted as matron of Police Station. About a year ago, Mrs. Mattern discovered a long missing deed to the valuable James Darden property in Carroliton County, Missouri. It was pasted to the back of an old family portrait. NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 30.-Jockey Mun-roe, who has been unable to furnish the stewards an explanation of his riding on Joe Lesser in the sixth race last Wednes-day, has been barred from riding here for the remainder of the meeting. Results:
Five and a half furlongs—Euchon won,
Florentine second, Jade third. Time, 1:07.
Six and a half furlongs—Mary Glenn
won, Miladi Love second, Fitz Brillar ill be practically the same as they have

been heretofore.

A. J. Leland and C. J. Gray, now traveling agents for the Omaha line, will be the two traveling agents under the consolidation. C. E. Bockmann will serve as passenger and ticket agent, which is practically the same position he now holds.

J. B. Alexander, now stenographer and freight and passenger agent for the Omaha lines, will be the stenographer for the new office, with the same duties as Time, 1:21 3-5. Six furlongs-Optional won, Fox Meade second, Dick Bernard third. Time, 1:13 4-5, Mile and three-sixteenths-Catiline won, Bengai second, Midshipman third. Time,

Mile and three-sixteenths-Hand Spinner won, Beaucaire second, Frank Rice third. the new office, with the same duties as heretofore. C. R. Tully will be the mes-senger, which position he now holds. H. Time, 2:02 4-5. Five and a half forlongs-Dallas won, Belle of Portland second, Tootsy Mack L. Sisier, now general agent of the Chi-cago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha, will be transferred to Seattle, where he will third. Time, 1:01 3-5.

#### SHEEP ALL DROWNED.

#### hold the position of assistant general agent of the same road. The offices of the two companies at Helens and Spokane will Westham Island Covered With a Destructive Flood.

VANCOUVER, B. C. Dec. 30.—The rich bottom-land farms of Westham Island, at the mouth of the Fraser River, are all under water. Much property has been damaged and many head of livestock

Several breaks occurred in the dikes surrounding the island last night, owing to the extremely high tide, together with streamed in on the farming lands all night and now a great portion of the island is covered to the depth of from three to four feet. The farmers of the settlement will lose considerable by having their outbuildings flooded and fences carried away. A number of sheep which were grazing on a portion of the island were drowned Efforts are being made to repair the

# PENDLETON'S LAST FIGHT.

### Draw Mill Between Queenan and Mullen Raises Objections. PENDLETON, Or., Dec. 20,-(Special.)-

Perry Queenan and Barney Mullen, light-weight champion of the Northwest, fought a 16-round draw here tonight. The bou was clever, and the men who had met Gans, Walcott, Rufe Turner and others of the top-notchers, gave an exhibition as good as some of the much-lauded bruising matches of the cities. There were several hard blows landed that laid the fighters on the floor, Mullen taking the sever count once.

Queenan exhibited the greater ability t undergo punishment, and Mullen would have won on points. This will probably end fighting here for a time at least, as there is much objection from the religious organizations.

# Grange Committees Meet.

The final meeting of the committees appointed last Spring, to work for and ecure the annual convention of the Na tional Grange for Portland and to vide for the entertainment of the delegates while in the city, was held vester the rooms of the Portland Commercial Club.

The report of the committee on enter tainment was presented and adopted. The report detailed the work of the commit tee during the time the Grange was in session and noted that the delegates had been one and all well impressed by the hospitality and courtesy shown them during their stay in the city. The finance committee reported that the total receipts from subscriptions had been \$2280, and for conferring degrees \$1021, making a total income of \$3301.

Each committee reported that the meeting of the Grange here would work

for the advancement of the Lewis and Clark Exposition, as every delegate in attendance returned to his home im with the generosity of Portland, and the pleasure of a visit in the West.

# Victory for the Tigers.

The Tigers played their final game of basketball with the I. B. C. team on the Y. M. C. A. floor last night, and won out by the score of 27 to 11. Although the I. B. C.'s were clearly outclassed they put up a scrappy game and fought hard at all times to prevent the Tigers from scoring. Of the 11 points secured by the L. B. C. nine came from throws on account of fouls. For this team H. Gan-tenbeln showed great skill at guard, and handled his clever opponent, Moore, in good shape. Masters and Merritz were the stars for the Tigers, most of the points won being due to these players.
Following this game the Seals and the Scrubs, both of the Y. M. C. A. tried con lusions with the big ball and baskets. The principal feature to their match was the friendly spirit in which one would let his opponent take the ball away from him, and often it was very much of an Alphonse and Gaston affair. Scores made so fast that no attempt was made to keep a record of them.

Will Send Crew to England. PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 30.-Ten men bers of the Vesper Boat Club, to be The ninth division of the Modern Lanknown as the Henley Committee, have guase Association, in session at Chicago.

Matthew Jones, a firebug from Sarnia.

aralysis on Tuesday when they went to

idopted by the dictionary publishers of all countries. This would be the first step to phonetic spelling of all literature. Edna Wallace Hopper, the actress, will donate a site at Oakland, Cal., for a home for newabovs and will endow it with an

Memorial exercises were held in Willard Hall, Chicago, yesterday in honor of the 575 persons who perished in the Iroquois Theater disaster a year ago. It was announced that the Memorial Association has raised \$100,000 for an emergency hos-

F. J. Hagenbarth, president of the National Livestock Association, has gone to Washington to invite President Roosevelt to attend the annual convention in Denver on January 9 to 15. W. A. Harris is a probable successor of the late Charles F. Martin as secretary. In the wreck of a Canadian Northern

train carrying a snowplow at Arizona, Manitoba, B. Linklater was killed and a dozen persons were injured. The caboose overturned and burned. Twenty persons were imprisoned in the caboose, and they were rescued with difficulty.

A Rock Island passenger train and a freight train collided yesterday near Oklahoma City, Okla., and both engines and the mail car were demolished. Frank Curry, of Shawnee, Okia., the passenger engineer, was killed, and R. L. Butts, his fireman, and several passengers were injured.

# Washington Grand Jury Adopts the

grand jury in making its final report for the present term of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia to-Court of the District of Columbia today recommended the establishment of
whipping-posts in the district. The
question has been much agitated ever
since the President in his last annual
message recommended corporal punishment for wife-beaters in the District of Columbia. The recommendation
of the irry is as follows:

Mrs A Malin, Rainier J H Hammitt, Eugen
Mrs Amalin, Rainier J H Hammitt, Eugen
Mrs Mary Weich,
L B Zlemer, Tilliamk
W W Dooris
J Thompson, city Andrew Lewis
F L Sprague, Spokan W Murry
Mrs Amalin, Rainier J H Hammitt, Eugen
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L B Zlemer, Tilliamk
W W Dooris
J Thompson, city Andrew Lewis
F L Sprague, Spokan B L Hume, Seattle
E J Taylor, Arthur
Flora Ward, Lone B
Ed Collis of the jury is as follows:

The difficulty of establishing the whipping post as a means of punishing wife-beaters and petty larceny offenses has been investigated by this body, and the majority of the members are of the opinion that it would prove very effective in reducing the number of these reprehensible

#### AT THE HOTELS. THE PORTLAND.

C Sweeny, Spokane R A Roberts and wf, J Henchliff, Spokane South Bend A D Dods, Vancouver F G Hood, Detcoit Mrs. Dods and child. F A Murchison, city Vancouver, Wash D H McMullen and J P Barnes, wife and wife city. wife, city daughters. Lewistor

R J McCullegh, N V Mrs L Penwell and T J Coffman, Spokan bon, Helena, Mont D Ramsey and wife, J H Uhiman, Jr., Ellensburg L King, N Y S L Johnson, Cosmop, S H Friendly, Eugen G B Hegarth and wf. R R Ritchie, S P Ft Stevens, Or Mr and Mrs T J E B Carrick, N Y Smith, Van B C J S Williamson, S F Mrs C Smith, S F M F N Brown and wf. C E Summer, Tolede San Fran Mrs G Howard, N Y A L Goodsville, Bend J T Cummins, S F THE PERKINS.

J E Nelson, Skarnokw J May, Hillsboro F Davenport, Hood R.I Burkholder, Hillsboro F Davenport, Hood R.I Burkholder, Hillsboro Kana Platfoot, Denver C C Wright, Eugene F P Dee, Seattle Whi Joe Lawson, Eugene G H Hanlon, Tacoma T N Kennedy, Weodbn Horace Made, Tacoma T N Kennedy, Weodbn Horace Made, Tacoma F J Welch, Silverton Mrs Peterson, San Frie B Seabrooke, C. I Merch Eng. Peru Marchhold. C J Morris, San Fran Marshfield



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formulated plans for sending a crew to proposed an increased alphabet to be E Clark Enes, Seattle C X Larabee, ngiand next July. Every member of the club whose eligi-

#### proval may try for a seat in the eightoared shell, which, it is hoped, will bring the grand challenge cup to America. Already members of the crews who won in Paris in 1900 and at the World's Fair have signified their intention of trying for in addition to a number of exollege oarsmen.

# DEFENSE IS INSANITY.

#### Visits of Experts Indicate Mrs. Chadwick's Plea at Trial.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 30.-Bertillon neasurements were taken of Mrs. Chadwick today by a Government Seeret Service expert. The purpose of the system is the identification of criminals. Investigation discloses that there are no Bertillon measures of Mme. Devere on record at the Ohio Penitentiary. The system was in vogue prior to her coming to the prison, but t had been discontinued when she was ncarcerated. Since then the system has been restored. The prison records ontain a very minute description of Mme. Devere, however. Dr. C. J. Aldrich, the alienist, again

called at the County Jail to see Mrs. Chadwick today, but upon instruction issued by United States Marshal Chand ler he was refused admittance. Dr. Aldrich stated that he was making a study of Mrs. Chadwick upon the rejuest of her counsel, J. P. Dawiey. Several other matters developed in

the Chadwick case today that seem to indicate insanity as her almost certain line of defense. It was learned that Dr. H. C. Eyman, superintendent of the Mussillon State Hospital for the Insane, made an examination of the woman last Tuesday. Dr. Eyman's visit was kept secret at the time. He is one of the ablest and best known practical lienists and specialists in insanity in

# DR. CHADWICK ARRIVES.

#### Husband of Mental Millionairess Will Land Today.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—The steamer Pretoria, from Hamburg, Dover and Boulogne, bearing Dr. Leroy Chadwick, of Cleveland, husband of Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick, as a passenger, was sight ed southeast of Fire Island at 2:3 this morning. The steamer is expected to arrive in quarantine about 6:30 and should reach her dock about 9:30 o'clock.

# BRIEF TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Mrs. Barbara Lewington, of Mattingby Green, Hampshire, England, com her 104th year on New Year's eve. James Gillespie, who is on trial at Rising Sun, Ind., on the charge of murdering his twin sister, Elizabeth, testified yesterday, denying the charge. Two consecutive days' rest at Christmas on their regular rations caused over 100 horses in Chicago to die of spinal

Ont. who has served 15 years in the Kingston. Ont., penitentiary, was par-doned in time to spend Christmas at

Albert Hess, Scattle F B Walt, Roseburg
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Mrs Campbell, Helena Mrs Bonham, Tacoma
Miss Hueker, Helena D B Thomas, Arlingto
Otto Vaughn, Helena Mrs Thomas, Arlingto
R V Mark, Kelso
J C Tolman, Ashland
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Mrs Geo D O'Conner, C W Stone, Astoria Walia Walia Ralph Ackley, Tillink W Wilson F Silcocks, city W Chilton, Canyac J T Hinkle, Pendleto Walla Walla WHIP WIFE-BEATERS.

Washington Grand Jury Adopts the President's Suggestion.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 39.—The local grand jury in making its final report City

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Mrs Mary Weich,
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W W Dooris
C E Garnett, La Cent Wm G Cyrus, Astoria
J Thompson, city
Andrew Lewis Capt Hazen, Astoria

Mrs Mary Monaghan P J Miller Mrs Anna Costello Hester Bal Hester Ball, Ione Evaline Ball, Ione C P Yates J C Spagie J C Spagle
Mrs Spagle
Mrs Spagle
Mrs Steele and child,
H Crabtree, Daytn
B Lambert, Dayton
E B Shaw, Lake Geo, C A Soney, Woodland
G Grunthal, Lyle, Wn A Thompson, Stafford
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H Manning and wife, Mrn A Deau, Bend
New York
A V Meler, New York
Chicago
A A Lovelle and wf. A V Hall, St Paul
Spakane
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J Swigert and wife,
Seattle
W McCullow, Seattle Wm Howell, Clifton W McCullow, Seattle Wm Howell, Clifton
Chas Guyman and wf, A Smith, Clifton
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Jas Pelton and wf,
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