STATE BOARD TO CONSIDER

Much of the Work in Arithmetic Is Eliminated—Changes Are Made in History, Reading and English Branches.

SALEM, Or., May 3.—(Special.)— Superintendent of Public Instruction J. Superintendent of Public Instruction 3.

H. Ackerman has prepared and submitted to the State Board of Education a revised course of study for the public schools of Oregon. This course the board will consider at its meeting on the first Monday in June. The new course, if adopted, will go into effect with the new school year, beginning this Pall, by which time copies can be printed and distributed.

The elimination of unnecessary work

The elimination of unnecessary work in arithmetic, the consolidation of civil government with history, the restric-tion of grammar to a two-book course one of the elementary history and Dole's "American Citizen" as read-ing books in the fifth and sixth years, are the principal changes found in the ourse as compared with that now

Among the subjects entirely elimingted in the study of arithmetic are troy weight, apothecaries' liquid measure, the metric system, present worth, true discount, bank discount, exact interest, annual and compound interest, stocks and bonds, average of payments and all problems that come under these sub-jects. Sections 7 and 8 of the mental are also eliminated. This does not mean that less time will be given to the study of arithmetic, but rather that the same length of time will be given to the subject, but it will be concentrated ich the child is likely to find of prac-

Subjects Not of General Use.

The idea is that the vast majority of have been eliminated, and the few who do have use for them in after years can learn them in a short time, for their more mature minds and their practical application of the knowledge ake the subject easily under-Arithmetic work in the first and second years has been lightened.

Another change in the course, as joining of written and mental arithmetic, so that the two will be studied together by topics. Under the new course when a boy is studying addition of fractions in the written arithmetic he will be studying the same topic in the mental, and so on through the two This is believed to be an econo my of time and effort.

Constitution With History.

Probably more important than the change that has been made in arithmetic is that which has been made in the study of history. Heretofore civil government has been studied as a sep-arate subject. Now it will be studied in commection with history. Wherever any event in history relates to a section f the Constitution, that section is tudied in connection with the portion f the history which makes it of par-

ticular interest. in the history each section of the Con-stitution connected therewith, and has tract in the Necanicum River district thus found an historical event which calls up every provision of the Con-stitution except one. He found no event in American history which re-lates to the provision that no title of nobility shall be granted by the United nobility shall be granted by the United States, etc. In course of study there will be given after each topic in history the section of the Constitution, if Vancouver last July.

Surrendered himself to Chief of Police States Army at the section of the Constitution, if Vancouver last July. together the child will secure a thorough understanding of bota.

Reavier Work in Reading.

ed by heavier work in reading, se that by the end of the second year the primer and the first and second readers are completed, whereas the second reader work has heretofore extended into the third year. In the fifth year the elementary history will be taken up as a feader, and Dole's "American Citizen" will become a reader in the Citizen" will become a reader in the

All supplementary reading books have been cut out of the course, and these will be used by the pupils only as Hbrary books. In no case will the pupils be required to buy supplemen-tary reading books. In the new course of study no books are mentioned except those that were adopted as text-books by the Text-Book Commission. There-fore every book mentioned is to be pubchased by the pupils.

Two Books for Language.

In language only the two-book course will hereafter be used, and the work heretofore done in the third book will be made up by more composition

In geography only the coarse print matter and map questions will be studied. The fine print matter, which explanatory, will be read by the teacher. It is also recommended that in all schools employing three teachers or less only the elementary geography be used. Where three or more teachers are employed, the two-book course may be adopted upon an order

In spelling all of part 4 of the book, relating to synonyms, etc., is eliminated. Music and drawing are optional throughout the course

No change has been made in the high Study of Grades 1 to 8.

The synopsis of the new course is as

First Wheeler's Primer completed. Cyr's First Reader to page 50. Copybook No. 1: arithmetic and language oral; (see course of Second Cyr's First Reader completed; Cyr's Second Reader completed; Elementary Arith-metic to page 111; Language—Oral; (see course

f study); Copybook No. 2. Third-Cyr's Third Reader; Elementary Arith-

of study); Copybook No. 2.

Third-Cyr's Third Reader: Elementary Arithmetic to page — (see course); Copybook No. 3. Language Oral; (see course of study).

Fourth-Cyr's Fourth Reader to page 122; Elementary Arithmetic; (see course of study); Elementary Arithmetic; (see course of study); Elementary Geography to page 25; of see Two-Book Course); Word Lemons to page 20; Frimer of Health to page 41; Copybook No. 4.

Fifth-Reading, Cyr's Fourth Reader completed, Thomas Elementary History to page 167; Introductory Language completed; Practical Arithmetic (see course); Mental Arithmetic (see course); Elementary Geography to page 16, or see Two-Book Course) Word Lessons to page 40; Healthy Body to page 167; Copybook No. 5.

Sixth-Reading, Cyr's Fifth Reader to page 122, Thomas Elementary History completed; Grader Lessons to page 26; Fractical Arithmetic in page 27; Internal Elementary History completed; Grader Lessons to page 26; Fractical Arithmetic in page 28; Fractical Arithmetic in page 38; Fractical Arithmetic in page 39; Fractical Arithmetic i

Copybook No. 6.

Seventh-Beading, Cyr's Fifth Beader completed, Dole's "American Citisen" completed, Graded Lessons to page 174; Practical Arithmetic (see course); Mental Arithmetic (see course); Mental Arithmetic (see course); Elementary Geography completed, or (see Two-Book Course) Word Lessons to page 120; Copybook No. 7; Thomas History to page

Eighth-Cyr's Fifth Reader riviewed; Graded Lessons completed; Practical Arithmetic (secourse of study); Mental Arithmetic (see course of study); Word Lessons to page 155; Copybook No. 8; Thomas' History completed.

ANARCHISTS, SAYS SWEENEY

Scattle Brewing Manager Charges Workmen With Tyranny.

SEATTLE, May 3.- The strike situation is unchanged today. All plants were run-ning as usual. The strikers issued a statent alleging the trouble started over a dispute concerning the wage schedule. Manager Sweeney, of the Seattle Brewing & Maiting Company, says that the unions had been arrogant and tyrannical and to a large extent their members were anarch-There was no violence today.

Roslyn Brewers to Walk Out.

SEATTLE, Wash., May 2.-Peter Hanson, a member of the Brewers Union, of Seattle, left for Oregon and California tonight to lay the case of the striking brewery employes before organized labor of those states. The employes of the brewery at Roslyn, Wash., will walk out tomorrow.

It was reported here tonight that the brewery proprietors had sent East for 25 experienced men, but this was denied at headquarters. The breweries operated today in all departments, and there were no disturbances.

Working Nonunion Men.

OLYMPIA, Wash., May 3.-(Special) The Olympia Brewing Company says it is making beer with a short crew of nonunion workmen. The company also asserts it has a force of nonunion men at its bottling works. The union em-ployes will meet tonight and, it is said will consider the question of continuing

Fulton to Fight Removal.

OREGON CITY, Or., May 1 .- (Special, -In their fight to retain the Land Office here, the people of Oregon City have en listed the services of United States Sen ator Fulton, who will present the matter to President Rocsevelt. In a letter to Representative C. G. Huntley in this city. Senator Fulton has inquired for statistics as to the rental paid for the suite of rooms occupied by the Land Office in this city, as well as for other information as to the requirements of the office.

Mistake Cost Miner's Life.

BUTTE, Mont., May 2 .- John Garner, Mammoth, was almost blown to pieces by a blast yesterday. His partner es-caped death by a narrow margin, being buried a short distance and badly brulsed. He will recover, Garner, It s, miscounted the blasts as they ed, returning to a charge just as it exploded.

Ashland Hotel Threatened.

ASHLAND, Or., May 2-(Special.)-Fire starting from a defective flue communi-cated to the cupola of the Hotel Oregon this afternoon and threatened it destruction for a short time. The fire was taken in hand promptly by the fire department and gotten under control be-fore any considerable damage was done.

Engine for Logging Camp.

ASTORIA. Or., May 2,-(Special.) A 40-ton locomotive for the Sensile, Spruce Lumber Company has arrived from Eureka on the steam schooner Superintendent Ackerman has noted ated on the logging road which the the history each section of the Con-

Deserter Gives Himself Up.

SALEM, Or., May 3.—(Special.)—A Charles R. Doc. owner of the steam man giving the name of W. H. Whalen Roanoke, now in port, is reported

Several changes have been made in reading. The lightening of arithmetic work in the first year has been accompanied by heavier work in reading so the panied by heavier work in reading so the properties of the p the peninsular extension.

Farmhouse Destroyed by Fire.

APERDEEN, Wash., May 2.—(Special.)
-The farmhouse of W. J. Smith, seven miles from here, was burned while only Mrs. Smith was at home. Nothing was saved. The loss is \$3000 and insurance

ADRIFT ON AN ICE-FLOE

Four Men in Disabled Launch in Peril in Bering Sea.

STILLWATER, Minn., May 2.-George H. Sullivan, city attorney, has received a telegram from his brother Joseph, who is at Nome, Alaska, stating that their brother Harvey had been lost on an ice floe in Bering Sea off the coast of Alaska. There were three men with Harvey Sul-livan in a launch and they have not been heard from since last Wednesday.

Mr. Sullivan also received word from Washington that the Treasury Depart-ment and ordered three tugs in the vicin-ity of Nome to do everything possible to

rescue the party.
Four of the Sullivan brothers are in Alaska, where they have spent several

years prospecting.

SEATTLE, May 2.-Dr. Cabell White bead, of this city, today received cable confirmation from Nome that Harvey Sul-livan and three other men were adrift in a disabled launch off Nome. The Alaska Bank & Safe Deposit Company wired Dr. Whitehead this morning to ask for Government aid in the search for

POWERS ASKS TRANSFER

Accused Murderer of Goebel Wants Federal Court Trial.

GEORGETOWN, Ky., May 1.-With two life sentences reversed, and after having been under shadow of the death penalty for more than a year before the verdict also was reversed, Caleb Powers, accused

Captain of Sealer Leaves Officer on Shore.

ISLAND ROOKERIES

Catch of Twelve Victoria Schoone Is Less Than Two Hundred Skins Each, While Carmencita Does No Better.

VICTORIA, May 2.-Several schooners of the sealing fleet arrived today, all with low catches. The average of the 12 ves-sels which hunted this season will be be-

low 200 skins to the vessel. News was brought that the schooner Carmencits, owned in San Francisco, which secured a provisional Mexican register on condition that she cleared from here for Mexico, which was done, has been scaling with poor results. She had but 14 skins, and Captain McLean was going to Copper Islands and Behring Sea. The had been some fighting on board, in con-quence of which the mate and two me were put ashore at Clayequet. They report that Captain McLean intends to raid

the Copper Island rookeries. Seven of the Victoria schooners will re-turn to port. Five will go to Copper Islands. The Japanese schooner sent from Hakedate is en route to Behring Sea to continue scaling.

CAUGHT SLEEPING WHALE.

Despatch Struck a Dozing Leviathan in Montercy Bay.

On her last trip from Portland to Si Francisco the steamer Despatch, whi in Monterey Bay, caught a sleeping whale across her bows. There was no perceptible shock as the soft body of the leviathan doubled across the cutwater. The Despatch was making about ten miles an hour at the time, and the pressure of the water was so great that the whale was not able to liberate itself for some time. Finally it managed to slide to one side and thus escaped. Its pres-ence did not seem to retard the steamer, but it could be plainly seen from the bow valuely trying to free itself.

The Despatch left port yesterday after-noon, bound for Aberdeen, where she will load lumber for San Francisco. The steamer Aberdeen of the same line, went to the Inman, Poulsen & Company's mill yesterday to load lumber. Her cargo on the way north consisted largely of a logging engine and 14 logging trucks, sent from Eureka to Astoria.

SCHOONER IN THE SURF.

Telephone Message From Gearhart Probably Refers to Snag.

ASTORIA. Or., May 3.-(Special.)-A telephone message was received at the pilots' office last night from Gearhart Park, stating that a two-masted schooner was in the breakers off that place, and that one man could be seen on the vessel. Who sent the message is not known, and an inquiry sent to Seaside brought the reply that nothing had been heard of the

Twice before during the past year sim ilar reports have been received from Gearhart, but in each instance the "dis-tressed vessel" proved to be an old anag that was drifting along the coast. Probably that is the case this time

BUYS ATLANTIC COASTER.

Owner of Roanoke Has Added to His Pacific Fleet.

Charles R. Doc. owner of the steamer have purchased a smaller coasting vea-The Roanoke is somewhat too long for

Grading in Reservation.

ABERDEEN, Wash. May 3.—The
Northern Pacific Railway Company has
a force of 200 men gradies. Rica, but this is denied.

Oregon Repaired on Way.

That the German ship Oregon has en-countered considerable trouble on her passage from Antwerp to Portland was videnced yesterday, when Meyer, Wilso evidenced yesterday, when Meyer, Wilson & Co., her consignees, received a cable-gram stating that she had satised from Valparaiso April 20, having put into the Chilean port for repairs. The Oregon will come to Portland by way of San Francisco. She left Antwerp, November 12, and is expected to load here in October. The same firm now has quite a fleet on its way to this port, the last addition being the French bark Hoche, rom Antwerp.

Rough Water Delays Repairs. ASTORIA. Or., May 2.-(Special.)-On account of the continued heavy swell on the bar, the attempts to repair the Gov-ernment telegraph cable at the mouth of the river have been abandoned for a few days. Forecast Official Beals, who has been superintending the work, left for Portland this evening, but as soon as the conditions are favorable for resuming operations he will return

SAN PEDRO, Cal., May 2.—The bark-entine George C. Perkins, Captain Han-sen, which left this port last Friday in ballast bound for Tacoma, returned here this afternoon badly damaged. On Monday right, when 25 miles southwest of own co-can Pedro, during the heavy southwest gales, her foretop and maintop masts were carried away, and her rigging badly damaged.

Korea Sails From Orient.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 1.- The Pacific SAN FRANCISCO, May 1.—The Pacific Mail Company's steamship Korea salied today for China and Japan via Honolulu, with many passengers and a big cargo, most of which is consigned to Japan. The freight consists in part of 500 tons of machinery, 4000 rolls of leather, 200 tons of tead and 2000 kegs of beef. The Korea will stop at Midway Islands to receive cable advices.

Minnesota's Engine Renaired.

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., May 1 -- An Minnesota, which put back with a dis-abled engine last night, will resume her voyage to the Orient before daylight. Re-pairs have been made by skilled mechan-ics brought here from Seattle for the pur-pose today.

Marine Notes.

The Steamer Roanoke goes out this evening, taking a cargo of freight for San Pedro and way ports.

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SEVASTOPOL May 1-During the Easter celebration at Simferopol on May 1 a crowd of hoodiums gathered and began to bait Jews. The police energetically support that the British steamship Briok-burn had left Tokohama for Portland.

begin loading at Albins. She will move to several docks before her cargo is all in. The schooner Beulah cleared for San Francisco yesterday afternoon, loaded with 65,000 feet of lumber for San

The last of the November wheat fleet, the French bark Pierre Loti, arrived at Grimsby April 20, 172 days out from Port-land to Falmouth.

The steamer F. A. Kilburn, which has been undergoing repairs in San Francisco, will return to the Portland run, leaving the Bay City May 11, it is re-

All efforts to float the steamer George W. Elder from the rock at Goble on which she is resting have proved vain. A wrecking crew and a big cofferdam are

The 191 sacks of damaged rice sold by Deputy Collector of Customs Barnes yes-terday, brought \$42, a price which satis-fies the Government for the amount of the Government for the amount of tariff rebated on the surrender of The French bark La Fontaine left un the river last evening and will reach here today. She reached the Columbia April 34, from Antwerp, with a cargo of

cement, and discharged the larger portion of it at Astoria for use at Fort Canby. Domestic and Foreign Ports.

ASTORIA, Or., May 2.—Sailed a 7:30 A. M.—Steamer Elmore, for Tillamook. Condition of the bar at 5 P. M., moderate; wind, north-Form: weather, clear.

Eureka, May 3.—Arrived—Steamer Asuncien.

from Portland.

Hiogo, April 27.—Saljed—German bark Niobe, for Portland.

Grimsty. April 20.—Arrived—French bark
Pierre Loti, from Portland.
San Francisco, May 3.—Arrived—Santa Monica, from Gray's Harbor; schooner Salvator,
from Gray's Harbor; Salied—Steamer Rignal,
for Coop Bay; Schooner C. A. Thayer, for
Gray's Harbor; steamer Kores, for Honglong.

MORE RIOTS IN RUSSIA

Mobs Hold Carnival and Burn Part of One Town.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 2.-Reports of slight disturbances in various places of European Russia during Easter Monday are now coming in. The gravest occurrence in that part of the empire was at Militopolaw, where a mob for seven hours held high carnival and burned a portion of the town.

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At Nijni Novgorod, a regular battle occurred between soldiers and the crowds on Millionaia street. The soldiers fired, killing one person and wounding many. The reports received by the embassies here substantially agree in saying that the number of persons killed at Warsaw was about 49 to 56. The figures given of the wounded vary from 69 to 209.

POLICEMAN SHOT IN WARSAW Patriotic Demonstration Broken Up

by Cossacks. WARSAW, Russian Poland, May 1.- (12:31 P. M.)-An unknown man shot and killed a police sergeant on Hosea street at 3 o'clock this morning. The murderer

The printers struck today, and the Afternoon newspapers will not appear.

A large crowd of students and others assembled during the afternoon near an old house once occupied by the Polish patriot Kilinski, a prominent figure in the revolution of 1794, and attempted to start a demonstration, but they were dispersed by Cossacks.

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Thirty corpses of victims of Monday's shooting were removed this morning from the police station, to which they were taken Monday, to the cemetery, so as to avoid hostile demonstration, LODZ, Russian Poland, May 3.-Four men this morning shot and killed a po-lice sergeant and severely wounded a detective who tried to arrest them.

Serious riots occurred in the streets during the night. The military fired on a crowd, killing four persons and wound-ing several others.

POLISH STRIKE IS GENERAL

Not Go Alone.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 4.—(2:10 A. M.)—Reports from Warsaw, Lodg, Sosnowice, Kallas and other towas in Poland indicate that the strike has become almost general. Newspapers are not appearing. Agliators are constantly at-tacking policemen whenever they are found singly and it is perilous for the latter to go about except in groups

ZEMSTVOISTS ARE GATHERING

Will Hold Congress in Defiance of Police.

MOSCOW, May 2.—Representatives of the various provincial Zemstvos are gath-ering here to participate in the general Zemstvo Congress called for May 5, and announce their intention of holding the meeting in spite of police orders to the

Czar Receives "Old Believers."

ST. PETERSBURG, May 1.-A delegation of Moscow Old Believers who visited St. Petersburg yesterday to lay their usual Easter greetings before the Emperor were received in audience by His Majesty, together with the St. Fetersburg representatives of the sect, in order that they might express their heartfelt gratitude for the Easter ukase granting liberty of religion. The Russ halls the ukase as freeing the church from the bonds which have forced it to be the tool of the police.

Sergius' Assassin Appeals.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 2.-Ivan Ka-ST. PETERSBURG, May 2.—Ivan Ka-lieff, the assessin of Grand Duke Sergius, who was tried and condemned to death, April 18, by a special commission of the Senate, has appealed to the Supreme Court for a hearing of his case on the ground that be was not defended by his own counsel, to which he was legally emilited.

Bombmakers Are Captured.

LONDON, May 4 .- A dispatch from St. Petersburg to a news agency here says that a dozen men have been arrested in a joiner's workshop who are suspected of being bombmakers. Several infernal machines, the dispatch adds, were found in

Tolstol Advocates George's Scheme. LONDON; May 4.- The Standard's Moscow correspondent says that a long letter from Count Tolstoi in Wednesday after-neon's paper in Moscow advocated Henry George's scheme of land nationalization as a panacea for Russis.

CHITA Eastern Siberia, May 2 - A strike on the Trans-Siberian Railroad is feared. A battalion of soldlers of the railroad corps is camped at this station to take places of strikers in case of a walk

Strike on Siberian Road Feared.

Jew-Baiters Are Suppressed.

Smith's Excuse for Stealing Money of Others.

LEONA BROOKS IS CAUGHT

she Goes to St. Louis at Call of Paramour and Her Arrival Betrays Him-Detective Starts . After Smith.

ST. I OUIS, May 1-Following the arrest he e of Edward J. Smith, former Tax-Co ector of San Francisco, on a charge of having embezzied city funds, Leona Brooks, who was registered at the Jefferson Hotel as "Mrs. Smith, was taken into custody. She denied that she had left San Francisco with Smith or that they had been together.
"I went to Hot Springs four weeks before he left San Francisco," she said. "He gave me the money to go on and sent me money after I got there, by mail and wire. I heard from him while he was in the East.
"Mondey I got a telegram from him.

"Monday I got a telegram from him, telling me to meet him in St. Louis Tues-day, at the Jefferson Hotel. I came at

Soon after I had registered he sent a

"Soon after I had registered he sent a chambermald to see me, and I went to his room, where he told me the first I knew of his trouble. I felt sorry for him but there was nothing I could do to help him. That was the only time we met during the day.

"I don't want to go back to San Francisco with an officer," she continued. "I have no objection to going back there if they will let me go by myself, but I have done nothing to be arrested for, and I don't want to be taken back."

Smith talked freely today of the

Smith talked freely today of the charges against him admitting to the police that he had embezzled, saying the amount of his shortage was about the control of the the contro

"I was too good a fellow," he said. He then told of having spent money lavishly in having a good time and entertaining friends. "But I never neglected my wife," he added, and gave way to emotion for the first time. The news received here that his wife is lying at the point of death in San Francisco was not told him. Smith later resumed the conversation.

"I never took anything which would affect people who were not able to

affect people who were not able to stand the loss," he said. "Large corporations would send in their checks for taxes. I would convert some of these to my own uses. One of these was a check for nearly \$40,000 from the Southern Pacific Company. I did not take all of the sum. I niways hoped to be able to pay back the money I had taken, but I got in too deeply, and when exposure became

certain I fied.
"For weeks before exposed I suffered torments. I could not sleep. I could not eat. I was under a constant nervous strain. Sometimes I would be seized with a fear that somebody was coming to examine my books, and I would remain at the office all night to prevent it. Now I have no friends here or anywhere else," he concluded. When told of the arrest of Leona

Brooks, he steadfastly denied that he knew her or had met her at the Jef-ferson Hotel Tuesday.

Smith arrived in St. Louis Monday evening, and registered at the hotel as "B. Smith. New York." Yesterday ferencen Leona Brooks arrived, and at the hotel registered as "Mrs. B. Smith, Lewiston, Ill." He had a room on the

fifth floor, and she was given a room n the third floor to be on the lookout for Smith, and fo several days had been scanning the hotel arrivals. The names registered gave them the clew that led to the ar-rests. As Smith talked in his cell be smoked cigarettes constantly, and ap peared to be very nervous. He de-clared he could not eat, and begged newspaper men to remain near him, as

he did not want to be alone.

The police state Smith will be held pending the arrival of Detective Wren. now en route from San Francisco, but Smith expresses himself as very eager to proceed to San Francisco immediately.
Leona Brooks was released tonight.
She refused to discuss her future plans.

Detective to Bring Him Back.

SAN FRANCISC., May L-Detective E. J. Wren left today for Sacramento, where he will secure requisition papers for the extradition of E. J. Smith, the defaulting tax-collector now under



The American farmer its the greatest man in the world to-day because he is master of the soil—he is gaining in intelligence quite as rapidly as his products are increasing in magnitude. Our recent combines of capital in United States measured in money are enormous, yet such figures sink into insignificance when compared to the money, brain and brawn invested in agricultural industries. For instance, the farmers of Minnesota and Dakota have received \$200,000,000 for their products in a single year. The farmer knows what Nature will bring forth for him from his experience in the past. He knows if certain seeds are planted and properly cared for that Nature will take care of the rest. In the same way you are master of your own destiny. Providing your blood is in good order, it only needs a little effort on your own part to reep healthy and strong—rid your body of the poisons that are apt to accumulate and your system is ready to ward off the attack of the germs of disease. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery makes rich red blood—by increasing the number of red blood corpuscles. As an alterative extract, made only of herbs and roots it goes about its work in nature's way. It stimulates the liver into proper action, and feeds the worn-out nerves, stomach and heart on pure blood. Used for over a third of a century it has sold more largely than any other blood medicine in the United States. More bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery are sold to-day than ever before—that is a true test of its medicinal value after thirty-eight years of deserved popularity.

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organ.

vestigating Him. SALT LAKE CITY, May 3.-A verdict of guilty was returned by a jury in the Federal Court here today in the case of J. C. Peltier, charged with im-

politicians and officeholders, including United States Senator Reed Smoot. He represented that he was an Postoffice represented that he was an Postoffice Inspector, and that he had been sent here at the request of Senator J. C. Burrows to investigate the charges against Mr. Smoot. Peltier was entertained several days at the home of Senator Smoot, and obtained a suit of clothes from the woolen mills at Provo at the Senator's expense.

The boiler of an engine hauling a worktrain on the Sante Fe Railroad, near Las Vegas, N. M., blow up yesterday, killing E. W. Davis, the engineer, and J. M. Swisher, the fireman, de-

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