## RECORD TURN-OUT AT STATE FAIR

Estimate of 25,000 People Attend Salem-Day Events and Crowd Stands.

#### BENTON COUNTY IN FIRST

Presiding Judge Harriman Declares Oregon Leads Other States in Equipment and Management of Its Annual Show.

SALEM, Or., Sept. 16.—(Special.)—
Benton County has won first place in
the county exhibit competition and can
now claim to be the banner agricultural county of the state. The awards
were made tonight by the three judges.
Charles Cleveland, of Gresham; F. H.
Scribner, of Wisconsin and R. L. Swaggert, of Umatilia County. Lane County
was given second place, Yambill third.
Multnomah fourth, Polk fifth, Columbia sixth and Clatsop seventh.

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Benton's victory was won by a splendid display put up by Frank Groves, of Corvallis, who evidently spared no effort to make the exhibit complete. While his commercial apple pack is not Tambili, he covered a wider range of products and excelled in other particulars. Neither Benton nor Lane made a particularly strong feature of any one

line of products, and the general pub-lic had difficulty in deciding which county made the better exhibit. Marion County had an exhibit which would have been a strong rival for first place, but this county is barred first place, but this county is barred under the rules because the fair is held here, and Marion would have an advantage in that respect. Benton's display comprises about every product that can be grown in Oregon. The peaches, apples, plums, prunes, grapes, garden vegetables, seeds, grains, grasses, dairy products, etc. are all represented by specimens of surpassing excellence.

#### Great Attendance at Fair.

This was a record-breaking day for the Oregon State Fair. At 4 o'clock this afternoon 25,009 people had passed through the gates and this number was probably increased to 25,009 tonight. though the records are not yet availab though the records are not yet available. The grandstand at the racetrack seats 5,000 people. When 6,000 had been admitted and standing room was filled, the doors were closed and the crowd lined up on both sides of the racetrack for a quarter of a mile. Probably 15,000 people witnessed the races, the remainder of the crowd spending the afternoon in the payillon, at the livestock barns and in other departments. other departments.

in other departments.

All business houses in Salem were closed today, the farmers came in from the surrounding country and the people of this vicinity joined in making Salem day the big day of the fair. It is doubtful whether tomorrow's crowd, Portland day, will reach the numbers admitted today.

The work of making awards in the sev eral departments was continued today. In the dairy department Tillamook carried off the first prize for cheese in a ried off the first prise for cheese in a competition in which there were eight entries. F. C. Schwingel of Tillamook city, made the cheese that won the premium. Axel Raven of Salem won first prize for creamery butter, with four competitors. Mrs. John Girardin of Turner surpassed two rivais and secured first prize for dairy butter. The first prize for con-densed milk went to Mrs. S. A. Yoakum.

Charley D. Takes Big Prize.

Joseph Thempson's Charley D. won the 2:00 pace for the Greater Salem purse of \$2:00 this afternoon, but contrary to expectations, did not lower the Northwest record of 2:00%, established by Sheriock Holmes on this track last year. Though this was a pleasant day for spectators, it was a heavy day for a racetrack, and this may account for the fallure to lower the record. It is said, however, that Charley D. can make the mile in four seconds less than his time today, 2:08, but onds less than his time today, 2:08, but he did not have to do it today. He won in three straight heats and by more than appointment to the crowd, not only appointment to the crowd, not only because the record was not lowered, but also because Charley D., a California horse, won. Tidal Wave and Delilah, Oregon horses, were the favorites, but the stranger was given hearty applause after his victory. Tidal Wave got second

The summary of today's events follows: Summary of Races.

first, Tidal Wave second, Magladi third, time 2008.
Two year old trot, \$400.—Zombeil first, Floredore second, Dr. Jobes and Jemima King divided third money: time 2-41%.
Three year old trot, \$500.—Katalina first, Dr. Ulman second, Princess Direct third; time dicap, one mile running, \$1000-Melar Redwood second, Arcourt third; time

sing % mile, \$100-Rirdie P. first, Mary second, Forest Rese third; time 1:02 Portland Day Events.

Comorrow will be Portland day at the Tomorrow will be Portland day at the Fair, and a large crowd is expected on the excursion from the metropolis. The big speed event of the day will be the 2:14 trot for the \$5000 Lewis and Clark purse. The three Oregon athletes who won world-wide honors at London, will be here as special guests of the Fair, but no formal exercises have been planned for them. The parade of prize-winning livestock will take place between 11 and livestock will take place between 11 an

It o'clock A. M.

In addressing the audience at the grandstand today, Presiding Judge R. L. Harriman declared that he had visited a dozen of the state fairs of the United States and had no hesitancy in asserting that Oregon has the best-equipped, best-managed and best-patronized State Fair in the United States. He had just come here from a visit to the Kansas and Colorado State Fairs, and declared that at the Oregon Fair he has seen more people, more and better livestock than at either the Kansas or Colorado fairs. He gave the Fair management fairs. He gave the Fair management credit for the great success attained by the Oregon Institution.

#### Demonstrates Budding and Grafting

A very interesting and instructive demonstration in budding and grafting fruit trees was conducted this morning in the industrial pavilion by Professor College. A large crowd of horticultural college. A large crowd of horticultural ists gathered around the O. A. C. booth and watched the work of budding and grafting. Professor Cole brought with him all sorts and sizes of A Cole, of the Oregon Agricultura brought with him all sorts and showed how buds and grafts are inserted, explaining the process and warning farmers against errors. He freely answered all questions and made the demonstration so clear that any man who saw the work and heard the explaining and the explaining the process of the control of th planation could go into his own orchard and transform the fruit trees from one variety to another.

fruit growing pass through the O. A. C. exhibit, examining the specimens of various fruit pests so that they can recognize them when seen in the orchard. The college professors are giving

recognize them when seen in the orchard. The college professors are giving dally lectures on methods of controlling or destroying all kinds of pests.

In the department of county exhibits there is much evidence of a tendency to specialize. Yambill County, which has the most advantageous place in the pavilion for an exhibit, has put up a magnificent display of apples in commercial pack. The apples, however, are almost the only portion of the exhibit that attracts attention. Columbia County, though exhibiting some fine fruit, has made a strong point on grasses, and in this line Columbia would be hard to best. Clatsop County's feature is a display of honey and of bees at work in a glass hive. Clatsop County's booth is made beautiful by an artificial lake fed by a fountain. This is Clatsop's best year at the Pair and the exhibit is well worth the wide commendation it is receiving.

Multnomah Exhibits Grain.

Multnomah County's strong point is Multnomah County's strong point is grain. Its fruit exhibit is good, but sparing in quantity. Marion, Benton and Lane have comprehensive exhibits, strong in all particulars. Marion is barred from the competition for prizes, under the rules of the Board of Agriculture, this exception having been made because the Fair is held in Marion County. To the casual observer the contest for first place lies between Benton and Lane, and yet the careful checking of an expert might show another county in the running. Benton and Lane lead in quantity and it would be difficult to excel either of them in quality and variety. Polk it would be difficult to excel either of them in quality and variety. Polk County's exhibit is small but strong in grains and garden vegetables. A collection of peaches in commercial pack from the Mission Bottom orchard of Alex La Follette is one of the most striking features of the Marion County exhibit. M. O. Lownsdale's apple pack is the center of the Yamhill display.

EZRA MEEKER IS AT FAIR

Attends With Ox-Team He Drove Across Continent.

SALEM, Or., Sept. 16 .- (Special.) Erra Meeker, the pioneer who recent-ly made the trip back across the Oregon trail with an oxteam, is here with his oxen and prairie schooner. His outfit and himself attract wide attention among the visitors to the Fair.

### TAKE LOADING PERSONALLY

GRAYS HARBOR MILLMEN FORM COMPANY.

Expect to Avoid Trouble With Longshoremen by Agreement to Employ Union Men.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Sept. 16.-(Special.) -A stevedoring company composed of the millowners of Grays Harbor is being organized in Aberdeen. The papers to perfect the organization are being drawn and the association will be ready for business within a short time. Officers of the organization have not yet been elected. The organization of the millowners as stevedores has been taken with a view to avert the trouble they have been put to by differences between non-union and union stevedoring companies

of the Sound and other places.

In the recent case of the Greenwich and the Craighall the steamers were delayed at their docks and valuable time lost by the millowners because of fric-tion between the nonunion stevedoring companies of the Sound and the union longshoremen. It is proposed under the by-laws and constitution to contract for the loading of vessels in Grays Hurbor

and to employ union longahoremen.

This, in the opinion of millowners, will do away with the trouble and annoyance

has created some consternation among representatives in Aberdeen of foreign stevedoring companies and local stevedores, yet some of them say there will be no objection to millowners loading steam shooners and other coastwise vessels They claim it will hardly pay for the millowiers to attempt to contract the business if that should be done, inasbusiness if that should be done, man-much as some of the companies with agents here are large buyers of lumber and could divert the big tramp steamers from Grays Harbor to other ports. They do not expect there will be any conflict proposed new organization.

#### DON'T LIKE COMIC PAPER

University of Washington Students, Publishers, Denied Admission.

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 16.-(Spewash Chief, the comic weekly, which has been "squelched" by the faculty of the University of Washington, have been denied admission to the univer-sity. President T. F. Kane has given orders that none of them be permitted

to enroll and their applications for registration were rejected. The editors of the Siwash Chief, the first and last issue of which appeared Monday, the day college opened, apn ascertaining just what is the trou-

President Kane, it is understood, is willing to nave a new petition go before the faculty. The editors who
were refused admission to the university are Abe Hurwitz, Victor Zednick,
A. M. Harris, Harold Birkett, Russell
Parker, E. W. Allen, Lucien Kellogg
and Max Enos.

#### FIND UNIDENTIFED BODY

Supposed to Be That of M. S. Wasson, of Seattle.

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 16.-(Special. The badly decomposed body of a man was found today in the thick woods near the town of Kenmore, at the northern end of Lake Washington. No definite clews as to the identity of the dead man could be discovered, but the body is thought to be that of Minden S. Washington, of the clews are of the city, who disappeared from son, of this city, who disappeared from

is home early in May. He intended at that time to go to Vanouver, B. C., and since his departure othing has been heard from him. About that time a man corresponding to Was-son's description, and apparently partial-ly insane, was seen near Kenmore, where he begged for food. He may have wandered into the woods and starved to death.

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# SHOWS ODDITIES

Position of Candidates' Names on Ticket Works Contrariwise.

"LAST SHALL BE FIRST"

Politician Explains That in Voting Second Choice for Man Not Wanted, Result in Totals Gives That Candidate Nomination.

BY JOE SMITH SPOKANE, Wash., Sept. 16 .- (Special.)-Even a casual study of the incomplete and untabulated returns of last Tuesday's primary election carries with it the con-viction that the unique second-choice pro-vision of the law has completely falled to

viction that the unique second-choice provision of the law has completely falled to
accomplish the purpose for which it was
intended. As drafted by the Legislature
this provision was intended to prevent the
consolidation of an evil element of electors by combining their strength upon a
single candidate, defeating for the nomination naif a dozen rival candidates for
the same office representing better political elements, through a hopeless division
of the votes of "good" citizens.

Instead of accomplishing this purpose it
almost invariably fastened the nomination
upon the candidate whose name happened
to be printed last in the list of those
for that office on the official ballot. So
conspicuous has become the tendency of
the second-choice provision to deliver the
nomination to the last man on the ballot
that Democratic leaders are already beginning to refer to the ticket nominated
in the Republican primaries as "that
choice collection of second-choice flukes."

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One Republican leader, whose favorite candidates were invariably deleased in the primaries, has described the second-choice feature of the primary law as "a provis-ion in which you cast one vote for the candidate you want and another vote for the man ou don't want and the man you

candidate you want and the man you don't want gets the nomination."

This description ir borne out by the returns thus far available. On the Republican primary ballot there were five contests for nominations upon which both first and second-choice votes were required of all primary electors. In but one of these, that for the nomination for State Insurance Commissioner, do the returns indicate that the successful candidate won upon his first-choice votes. In that contest J. H. Schively, the incumbent, appears to have been carried through by the prestige and popularity of his incumbency of the office, though this result may possibly be reversed upon the tabulation of complete returns.

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The other four contests were those for Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, Attorney-General and Congressman from the Third District. In the first three of these four the nomination went, on second-choice votes, to the candidate whose name was votes, to the candidate whose name was printed last on the ballot. In the Congressional race the nomination went to Judge Poindexter, whose name was next to the last, and the last of those candidates who were at all vell known, but Judge Poindexter ran almost strong enough to win the nomination on the first-photos were.

choice vote.

The congressional contest is the only one of these four contests in which the nomination went to the man who was nomination went to the man who was the strongest candidate as indicated by the first-choice vote received by him. In the Governorship contest the re-turns at hand indicate that both Gov-ernor Mead and ex-Governor McBride were stronger than S. G. Cosgrove, the winning candidate, in the respect that more voters selected them as their first choice for the nomination. In the race for Attorney-General, W. P. Bell, whom the returns point out as the winner. received fewer second-choice than any other man on the ticket, but was dragged through to success by the second-choice votes of electors who preferred some other candidate in-stead. In the Lieutenant-Governor-ship contest the first-choice vote gave Charles E. Coon a long lead over all his competitors, but Hay, the last man on the ticket, came in so strong on the nd-choice vote that it now appears as though he has won the no

#### Last Name on Ticket Wins.

The returns show that in those coun ties and precincts in which none of the ties and precincts in which home candidates for a certain office possessed any particular strength for geographical or personal reasons there was a slight tendency to give the first man on the ticket the largest firstchoice vote, and a much more striking tendency to give the last man on the ticket the largest second-choice vote. A few illustrations will show how strikingly this tendency was in evi-

where, on account of wider personal acquaintance and the fact that he was an Eastern Washington candidate, Kipp might have hoped to secure the an Eastern Kipp might have hoped to secure the highest vote for Attorney-General, Tanner, whose name was first on the ticket, received 516 first-choice votes to 231 cast for Kipp, whose name was third, while Bell, who ran below both Tanner and Easterday in first-choice votes, received 767 second-choice votes, as compared with 321 for Tanner, 417 for Easterday and 412 for Kipp. the same county, where Schively, the first candidate on the ticket, led in the first-choice votes for insurance com-missioner by a vote of 985 to 418, 218 and 195, respectively, for his opposing candidates, Welbon, the last man on the ticket, and who received the lowest first-choice vote, received 687 second-choice votes to 183 for Schively, 443 for Helander and 622 for Bullock, re-

pectively. In Thurston County, which has been the official residence of Easterday, while a member of the State Tax Commission, it was expected that he would easily carry the county for Attorney-General. On the first-choice vote he did carry it, receiving 798 votes to 483, 95 and 273, respectively, cast for his opponents. Yet Bell, who ran third in the list, on first choice received such a large proportion of the second-choice vote from his position on the ballot that in the total he led Easterday by

#### a plurality of 129. Oddities of Totals.

In King County, the home of Tanner whose name appeared first on the bal-lot for Attorney-General. Tanner car-ried the day on first-choice votes, but the second-choice vote of himself and his opponents drifted so strongly into the lap of Bell, whose name was last on the ticket, that on total vote Bell carried the county over his County opponent by a plurality of 200.
In Spokane County, as indeed in many another county in the state, Bell. many another county in the state, Bell.
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To what extent the fact that Coswho ran lowest on first choice, ran much the highest on second choice, a fact which is inexplicable except on the ground of his favorable position on

grove's name appeared last on the ballot that candidate owes his nomination for Governor on second-choice votes it is impossible to guess from the returns, so many and varied were the influences entering into the contest; but it is reasonably certain from the influence this condition had upon candidates for other offices that that was no small factor in deciding the result.

Nor do the Democrats have a mone Nor do the Democrats have a mono-poly of the charge that the ticket of their opposition party is made up of "aecond-choice flukes." Very meager returns of the Democratic vote indi-cate the nomination of Pattison for Governor on the Democratic ticket, but the few figures collected from outbut the few figures collected from out-lying counties show Blackman, the last candidate on the ticket, running so strong on second-choice votes that his nomination over Pattison is now considered an easy possibility if not actually a probability.

#### SUPPOSED PAUPER RICH

Has Over \$1100, But Seeks County Hospital Treatment.

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 16.—(Special.)—When James Hamel, 62 years old, arrived at the County Hospital he was supposed to be a pauper. The clerk asked him if he had any valuables and he said he had not. He was given a bath and the nurses then searched his clothing. They discovered ten \$100 hills, one \$50 and They discovered ten \$100 bills, one \$50 and

They discovered ten \$100 bills, one \$50 and \$11 in change.

Hamel is the wealthiest patient that has appeared at the hospital since old John Evangelisto a year ago was discovered to be a millionaire, although he had lived in a little tumble-down shack at Green Lake. The average fortune of arrivals at the hospital is something like like and a plue of tobacco.

arrivals at the hospital is something like 10 cents and a plug of tobacco. Hamel is a member of the Pavers' Union. Last July he was laying paving stones on Yesler way when a fragment of stone flew into his left eye. He was taken to a hospital where the bit of stone was removed. On his way back to work he passed a steam shovel at work on the Fourth avenue regrads and a bit of cinder flew into his other eye. He went back to the hospital and has been there, with both eyes inflamed, under the care of an occullat until fast Sunday. He is nearly blind.

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He was removed to the County Hospital at the request of his landlady. He apparently had no money to pay his board and lodging and as he was almost believed by the country of the country helpless she found it impossible to tak care of him.

#### CHANLER IS NOMINATED

(Continued from First Page.) choice unanimous was lost by two or

three scattering negatives. Why Dix Was Named.

The selection by the leaders of John A. Dix, of Washington, as the candidate for Lieutenant-Governor came as a big surprise, as it was taken for settled since early last evening that Francis Burton Harrison, of New York,

would be the choice.

It is believed that the leaders desired to strengthen the ticket by naming a far up-state man. Mr. Dix is a member of one of the oldest families in member of one of the oldest families in the state. When the convention was called to or

When the convention was called to deep the credentials committee reported that there were no contests to be submitted to the convention. Cheers followed the announcement. Judge Alton B, Parker, permanent chairman, was presented to the convention amid applause and cheers

#### Parker Assalls Sherman.

Not the least striking feature of Judge Parker's address was a declaration that James S. Sherman, the companion Mr. Taft on the Republican ticket, invaded Wall street for political contri-butions in 1966 when Mr. Sherman was chairman of the Congressional commit

Evidence is not wanting of the set purpose of the leaders of the Republican party to continue their plan of securing funds from those who are interested either in legislation or in non-enforcement of law. Smarting under the exposure of the insurance investigations of 1905, and subsequent disclosures not under eath, its Congressional committee in 1906 called for deliar contributions from individuals to aid in the election of the Republican members of Congress. The President himself subscribed a dollar, and a few others whose names were advertised, and then the publication of subscriptions ceased, and then the chairman of the Congressional committee, now the Republican candidate for Vice-President, went down, as did his predecessors of old, into Weil Street to get the money with which to influence the doubtful districts.

He Charges Extravagance. Judge Parker charged the Republican with gross extravagance in the Federal administration as well as in those states under Republican control.

We need not be astonished to find that the Republican party in order to obtain the vast sums of money necessary to meet the demands of its extravagances has will-billy, through its promulgation and enforcement of excessive tariffs, aided in and sought about the upbuilding of the majority of those giant fortunes which the President has denounced as vehemently. Judge Taft in his letter of acceptance admits that the great majority of the combinations in restraint of trade, the formation of which the high tariff especially lided, have arisen within the last ten years. aided, have arisen within the last top years. During all that time the Republican party has controlled both the Federal Government and the government of substantially all those states which have created or tolerated them—for we have yet to hear of their creation or toleration in the Southern states which are under Democratic constants.

Judge Parker declared that the bene Judge Parker declared that the bene-ficiaries of the tariff had long been looked to to fill the Republican campaign chest. He said the contributing corpora-tions had grown in number, "swelled in affluence and gained in influence until the point was reached of a practical working business alliance between the Republican party and the favor-seeking corporations". corporations.

corporations."

It is not only the earnest desire of all good citizens of all parties whatsoever that our political life should be clean, but it is essential to the liberties of the people. That result will not be accomplished until business and politics are dissolved by statutes the violation of which will result in imprisonment. We can never hope for that result while the Republican party is in power. It has created its Frankenstein. The creature must be fed. It has created a system of corruption which has now progressed to the point of controlling the power which created it. The Republican party has reached a point where it dare not pause. Leaving Tell on Trusts. Levying Toll on Trusts.

It was at this point that Judge Parket from that he turned to President Roose velt and Mr. Harriman, saying:

Here we see a man of great ambitton and, as we are told, of lofty ideals, become so accustomed to this party custom that he does not healtate to invite Mr. Harriman to Washington to secure his good offices for money-raising purposes, taking indeed the precaution absolutely to assure his coming by suggesting in a letter that after the election he desired to consult him about the railroad feature of his message. What may have occurred at that meeting we do not know, but that it was sufficiently agreeable to Mr. Harriman to lead to his contributing and raising immediately upon his return to New York the sum of \$265,000 we do know, as also that a quarier of a million of that money was scattered over this state of New York for "practical uses by practical men." Are we to assume that the smitting of the stockholders of Mr. Harriman's and the Standard Oll magnates' corporation by the President was because his eyes at last were opened and he had attained an appreciation of the serious character of the offense which they had committed in helping to swell his campaign fund? It may be so, but it is equally true that these corporations were not the first detries of an aroused conscience, nor distributions. Here we see a man of great ambition and s we are told, of lofty ideals, become se

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Mr. Sherman upon Mr. Harriman's refusal to help elect another Republican Congress afford food for reflection.

Assurances are said to have been quietly given that the Republican party will in the future continue to foster and protect, as it has in the past, the 'interests,' which in return for the benefits afforded, have supported it and continued it in power. If Bryan Is Elected. Judge Parker in closing said the pec

ple must look to the Democrtaic party

for relief.

The election of Mr. Bryan and Mr. Kern through the assistance of the electoral vote of the State of New York will go very far to secure this underlying, earliest and most important of all the many needed reforms. It will do more. It will assure it; for once it becomes appearent that the people recogning the gravity of the evil and have determined to cut it out, root and branch, no party will dare to stand in the way.

Judge Parker was liberally applianced throughout his speech, at the con-Judge Parker and the con-clusion of which the committee on resolutions reported On National poli-tics and candidates, the platform heartily indorses the platform adopted and the candidates named by the Democrat-ic National Convention at Denver. Platform's Eulogy of Bryan.

MOFFETTS

"The Democratic party is the ra-tional exponent of the hopes and wishes of the toiling masses in their lifelong struggles against class privilege and greed, and it reiterates its abiding faith in the principles of democracy as against a plutocracy.

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"We hall as the embodiment from the best traditions of our party and as the ideal exemplars of Democratic doctrine the standardbearers chosen by the united Democracy of the country as our leaders in this campaign against the organized forces of special privilege and legalized spoliation.

"Mr. Bryan has been for years conspicuous in the public eye, and against his character, motives or private life no suspicion of any kind has ever arisen. With no army of public officials ready at his beck and call to coutrol party machine, with no Government department organized so as to coerce corporations and financial interests into contributing to his campaign fund, his nomination has come as the spontaneous response to the wish of the great mass of his party and represents the aspirations and hopes of the rank and file of the Democracy throughout the Nation. Like Thomas Jefferson and Andrew Jackson, the great leaders of the Democratic party in its early days, his policies and his political motives have been bitterly assailed by privileged interests, whose supremacy is dangerous to the institutions of our country. Like Jefferson and Jackson, he has repelled all the attacks made upon him, and he is stronger today than ever before in the affections and confidence of the people. Mr. Bryan does not stand for an attack upon homestly fidence of the people. Mr. Bryan does not stand for an attack upon honestly not stand for an attack apparatus acquired wealth. His election will restore the administration of Federal Government to the ideas of the fathers and assure to the country a safe, sound, stable, economical and constitutional construction of the law.

"No greater praise can be given to Mr. Kern and no less is his due than to say he is in every way worthy to Bryan's associate on the Na

Attacks Hughes' Administration Of Governor Hughes, the platform

"The promises of reform upon which The promises of reform upon which the present Governor was elected have not been kept. We point as proof of this fact to the expenditures of 1907, which are larger than the extravagant sums expended under the predecessors of Governor Hughes. We charge him with the responsibility for this waste and with giving his time and attention to the pursuit of spectacular methods and seeking advertising issues, rather than to the work of reform and retrenchment, upon the promise of which he was elected Governor two years ago.

nor two years ago. "We believe," the platform further "We believe," the platform further says, "that government of the state by commissions is only another evidence of Republican policy of centralization and is in direct opposition to the principle of government by the people. It wants less noise, less legislation on new and untried lines and of the believe of the contralization of doubtful constitutionality and less in-terference with personal and economic

We favor the election of United States Senators by direct vote of the

people. On the call of the roll for nomina tions for Governor, the only name Lieutenant-Governor Lewis Stuyvesant Chanler, of Dutchess County, and his nomination was made by acclamation.

HILL DECLINES NOMINATION

Does Not Want Democratic Indorse ment for Senator.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 18 .- Nationa Chairman Mack today telephoned to ex-Governor David B. Hill at Albany and at the request of the state leaders asked him if he would permit the convention to name him as their choice for United States Senator to fill the next vacancy.

Senator to fill the next vacancy.

Mr. Hill replied that he appreciated the offer, but that he had rettred from political life and could not accept. Two years ago the state convention adopted a resolution that at the following convention the delegates should express their choice for Senator. The leaders today decided not to ask the delegates to indicate their

Sherman Speaks at Wilkesbarre.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Sept. 16.-The Re wilkingsparence fat. Sept. in—The Republican state and National campaign was opened in the armory here tonight at a mass meeting attended by more than 5000 persons. R. H. Hapgood, president of the State League of Republican Clubs, presided and introduced James S. Sher-

## RIVALS IN AN

Americans and Australians Have Tugs-of-War.

BRITISH TARS DEFEATED

Lose to American Fleet's Team, but Albany Police Beat Americans. Sailor Killed by Fall on Battleshin.

ALBANY, W. A., Sept. 16.—There was a reception and dance on board the battleship Connecticut today, given by the officers in return for hospitality that they have received on shore. Among those present were the Governor and the Premier of West Australia. There were 100 other guests, and the occasion was an unqualified success.

In the tug-of-war contests on shore an American team defeated a team from the British cruiser Gibraltar, but a team made up from the Albany police force de-

British cruiser Gibraitar, but a team made up from the Albeny police force defeated the Americans.

The Mayor of Albany gave a ball tonight to the American officers. Several American admirals and many officers attended. The Premier was represented by

tended. The Fremer was represented by
the Governor.

James Jackson Coughlin, a seaman on
the battleship Illinois, was killed today by
a fall while engaged in coaling ship.
The departure of the fleet for Manila
has been postponed until September 18.
The coilier Epsom has not discharged
here, but will carry her cargo to Manila.

VANGUARD REACHES NAPLES

Italian City Gives Enthusiastic Wel-

come to American Warships NAPLES, Sept. 16.—Far along toward the completion of the circuit of the globe, the battleships Maine and Ala-bama, the vanguard of the American Atlantic fleet, arrived here this mornand were given an enthusiasti welcome. Thousands appeared at the waterfront, when the sound of the guns booming salutes was heard, and later, when officers and men came ashore, the inhabitants of Naples re-ceived them with a hospitality that in-dicated a thorough appreciation of the

The government and naval officials have made arrangements to give the visitors a royal entertainment while they are here, and today there were many decorations to be seen on publie buildings and a fine display of the Stars and Stripes.

The commanding officers of the two

## BIG PLURALITY

battleships expressed themselves as well satisfied with the condition of the

men and their ships.

LEADS IN KING COUNTY BY 2384.

Bitter Fight Against Him Availed Little in Leading City of Washington.

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 16 .- (Spe. cial.)-The plurality of United States Senator Levi Ankeny over Wesley L. Jones in King County, in the primaries last week, was 2384, according to the official figures which have just been

compiled.

The fight made against Senator Ankeny, which was led by the Post-Intelligencer and in which other papers joined, was bitter in the extreme. No term was too harsh to apply to him nor no statement too sweeping to make oncerning him. In the face of this fight, which un

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ticularly among newcomers, the fact that he was the popular choice in this county is considered remarkable. Senator Ankeny's personal popularity among the men who knew him undoubtedly had much to do with his large yells here. large vote here.

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OPPOSE SECRET ORDERS

Eugene Board of Education Frowns on High School Societies.

EUGENE, Or., Sept. 18.—The Board of Education in Eugene has made rulings opposed to secret orders in the High School... The idea of the board is that there should be no organization in the school to which any student might not be admitted. ...

Nels Kennell, private secretary to Charles S. Fee, passenger traffic man-ager of the Southern Pacific, is spend-ing a few days in Portland, the guest of local railroad men



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