

At that time Mr. Harriman promised a road from Portland to Puget Sound within a very short time, and added, "We are not playing fast and loose with the state. generally observed for memorial exer-cises, it has been decided not to give the pupils a holiday next Monday. The Board of Education at an ad-fourned meeting yesterday authorized District Clerk Thomas to select elec-

tion officials for the annual school election, which will be held Monday. June 21. In that election a director is to be chosen to succeed Herman Wit-tenberg, retiring chairman of the Board, R. L. Sabin is the only candidate for the place and in all probability will be elected. The Board also directed that bids be asked for installing a beating and ventilating system in the Couch school. Hereafter bills against the district will thereafter bills against the district will be paid only on the 15th of every month. At the same time, such bills as are paid in the middle of the month must be filed with Clerk Thomas not later than the 16th, otherwise they will not be audited until the subsequent meeting of the Board. It is the inten-tion of the directors to place the busi-ness of the district on a systematic basis, and it was decided yesterday to enforce the conditions relative to

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Denies He Gave Proxy. Koster says that although Gustav Woerner voted the barrel company's 225 ahares of stock, he (Kosler) never gave Woerner a proxy. While 6146 shares were purported to be represented. Koster says there were in reality but 2515, not enough to transmet business. enough to transact business. After the stockholders' meeting, a meet-ing of the cooperage directors was held, at which Koster says Eastman, Woerner, Buhiz, Belford, Lillie and Thomas were present, and at which it was voted to enlarge the powers of the corporation by filing supplementary articles of in-corporation so that it could guarantee the bonds. Koster says he did not learn of the action until March 28. Then Eastmas and Woerner are said to Then Eastman and Woerner are said to Then Eastman and Woerner are said to have gone to Chicago and arrained with the Farwell Trust Company and the N. W. Halsey Company for \$500,000 or \$500,-600 to complete the purchase of the tim-ber land, the bonds to be sold by these companies bearing it are cost. The comlambs. We only constionally catch them in the pasture proviling, though not actually chasing the sheep. Per-sons tell us should we kill them we would be liable to have to pay damages to their owners, as a dog is property the same as any other domestic animals. Please let me know through the col-umns of The Oregonian if that is the law. MRS. S. B. MORSS. ber laid, the bonds to be sold by these companies bearing 6 per cent. The com-plaint sets forth that this contract was afterward modified so as to provide that the timber company give before February 1 1900. a sout for 1960,000, at which time the money was to be paid over by the bankers, the note being secured by mortgage on the timber and cooperage companies. The balance of the \$600,000 was to be paid later. With the exception of Koster, the same men are directors of the cooperage and timber companies, according to the barrel company's allegations. Bubts is manager

erage company to the bonds, and to fore the barrel company into it by bolding is stockholders meeting on January 1 without notifying Koster or his firm.

Sheepkilling Dogs.

COTTAGE GROVE Or, May 25 .- (To

the Editor.)-We live near town, and the

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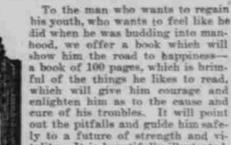
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We mean what we say and will carry out every promise we have made." From the meetings between the rival magnates in New York and Chicago, it was gathered that some amicable agreement was to be forthcoming, but no sug-gestion was ever given that it would be by joint ownership of the tracks between Portland and Tacoms.

While 15 years ago rights of way were to be obtained reasonably, the situation is now changed and it is contended that it would cost Mr. Harriman \$5,000,000 to get through Chehalis and Centralia alone. Before all rights of way had been pur-chased, it was believed the Harriman policy would be changed and entirely new territory developed in place of paralleling the Northern Pacific.

May Build to Coos Bay.

While Harriman had thus much to gain from a purchase, or part purchase of the Northern Pacific tracks, Hill had the alternative of watching a large part of the territory at present tributary to his the territory at present tributary to his line ,being taken ,away. He was able further, to ponder on the effects of ruin-ous competition in Eastern Washington, while Harriman again delayed his Central Oregon road, for fear that Hill would be right on his tracks. Similar fear was shown with regard to the Coos Bay line, which now, according to the opinion of one of the most authoritative railroad men in Portland, will likely be built. Possibly the fact that Portland would

Possibly the fact that Portland would rise in value to a first-class railroad center had not much to do with the way the pawns were moved, but the fact that The pawns were moved, but the fact that Portiand was the most desirable port, hat some influence in the action that makes Portland easily the leading port and rali-road center on the Pacific Northwest. Questions have been raised as to whether the agreement is such as to stop the contemplated lines into territory at present undeveloped. With the entrance of the independent Chicago, Milwaukee & R. Paul road, this theory is acouted. The policy of the St. Paul as shown by any railroad map of the country, is to throw out short feeder lines. This policy is in-variable and will certainly be pursued in the Northwest. In self-defense, if for no other reason, the other roads must follow suit. At present the St. Paul is said to have ten feeders to one possessed by any other line. The development of the same line of construction in the West may be considered assured from all the lines. **Means Rapid Development.** Portland was the most desirable port, had

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Limitation to particular territory is thought to have the good result of causing intensive development to a marked de-gree, of the particular territory each road has considered its own, or under the new agreement will be entitled to call its

own. Whatever this development may be, the assured fact is that Portland will be-come the port of all territory east of the Cascade Mountains, whether Oregon, Idaho, or Exstern Washington.

Just how the Canadian Pacific figures in the deal is also a point that is giving some officials envious consideration. The present combined agreement against the II lines has almost a year to run, at agreement, permitting the running C. P. B. trains over the O. R. & N. Spokane, is in direct contradiction to

the spirit of the new arrangement, and Ellers rent fine planos, rent applied if the theory was promulgated that this purchased.

DENTISTS TO PAY LICENSE New State Law Also Demands Examination Fee of \$25.

SALEM, Or., May 26.-(Special.)-Hereafter all practitioners of dentistry In Oregon must pay an examination fee of \$25, and an annual license fee of \$1.50. The money shall be paid to the secretary of the State Board of Dental Examiners, who shall keep a record of his accounts and give bond

plicants must be 21 years of age Every licensed dentist shall part year prior to April 1. \$1.50 as an an-nual license.fee. In case of default in this payment the board may revoke any license on 20 days notice to the dentist.

Keep Decoration Day Sacred.

MARSHFIELD, Or., May 24.-(Spe-clal)-The members of the Colonel Jewell Post No. 53, G. A. R. of Myrtle Point, will hold memorial exercises on Decoration day. The veterans of the Civil War, together with Mexican. In-dian and Philippine war veterans, will march to the cemetery and decorate the graves. Ret. R. H. Pierson will deliver the address. The public has been asked to refrain from baseball games and dances on that day.

have the right to protect your property if other folks' property seeks to destroy ompany's allegations. Buhtz is manage company's allegations. Bubts is manager of the cooperage company's Seattle office. It is alleged that the cooperage com-pany gets nothing for the mortgage, or for going mirely on the note, and that the resolutions passed "at Eastman's dictation," are void. It is asserted that the stock of the cooperage company will depreciate in value of the contract is carried out, and that the company will be hampered in carrying on its business. it. A sheepkilling deg has no right that an American court respects) there is an "unwritten law" in favor of the person the matter. But perhaps you had better

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