

fourth. More nearly complete returns from Multaomah County and the state at Old Settlers Belleve That Winter large received yesterday do not ma rially change the forecast given yester day on the remainder of the ticket. These veturns seem to indicate conclusively the defeat of Ralph W. Hoyt, the assembly candidate for State Treasurer, by Thomas B. Kay, by a majority of several thousand.

Will Come Early This Year. by the later returns, although the de-DAYTON, Wash., Sept. 25 .- (Special.) feat to the assembly has not been so -Myriada of Summer birds flew over far-reaching as at first believed. Southeastern Washington yesterday in a Jay Bowerman, assembly candidate southerly direction. Occasionally a flock for Govenor, has received a small plurcould alight in some inviting tree top ality and Inaddition a few other asand linger there for a few minutes or sembly candidates have survived the descend to some drinking place, but othanti-assembly landslide. Circuit Judge erwise the movement southward was un-Kavanaugh, assembly candidate for interrupted. Circuit Judge to succeed himself, is According to old settlers here this is nominated with a lead of 2834 votes a certain indication that colder weather over S. H. Gruber in 169 out of 182 is not far off. Usually these small birds precincts. J. W. Bell has a safe lead to succeed himsetlf as Justice of the Peace, while Andy Weinberger, assem bly candidate for Constable, is nominmah County are more nearly complete A cold, raw wind from the west is folated, with Fred A. Frischkorn -298 than from the other portions of the lowing in the wake of the feathered behind him in second place. votes Dr. Ben L. Norden has defeated C. H. unusually early this year. (Concluded on Page 10.)

BIRDS ARE FLYING SOUTH

With all but 13 precincts heard from in Multnomah County, the results are generally indicated by the figures now

at hand. Few changes are necessitated

Confession by nurse in Eva Swan's death mystery involves former Stanford ath-lete. Page 2. National Mining Congress convenes today in Los Angoles. Page 2. Great latitude will be permitted at Irriga-tion Congress, which opens joday. Page 2. Entire cadet corps of West Point under ar-rest, facing court-martial. Page 1. Volcano puts seven men to flight. Page 1. Donald Stubbs, accidentally shot, willing to die; drink causes downtall. Fage 1. Chinese wear evening dress at banquet in Pekin to American Secretary of War Dickinson. Page 1. Dickinson, Page Pacific Coast Lengue results-Portland 2-1, Vernon 1-3; San Francisco 7-0, Oskiand 2-8; Sacramento 1-2, Los Angeles 0-1, Page 8 Sport. Page 8. leavors meet Indians of Spokane in exhibition tion game today. Page 8. w football rules to get clear tryout this week. Page 8. Pacific Northwest.

rendered. Its chief mogul admitted to night the presence of a Roosevelt jority in the convention which will meet on Tuesday, but not by the big margin

Outside Counties Defeat Hoyt.

Mr. Hoyt in Multhomah County has received a majority over Kay of more than 1200, but the returns from other counties so far received show that Kay is leading throughout the remainder of the state and has overcome the Multno- precede the hardler goese and ducks a mah lead and has 1800 advantage over few weeks, the latter remaining north his opponent. The returns for Multno- until shortly before the first snowfall. state, so that if the proportion of votes harbingers. It is believed by local cast for the two is maintained in the weather prophets that Winter will come smaller countes Kay will increase this lead materially.

On the vote so far as counted, F. W. Benson, assembly candidate for Secretary of State, has a lead of more than soon over G. Wingate, and his majority will probably roll up to more than 10,000

Crawford's 10,000 Lead Growing.

For Altorney-General, A. M. Crawford, on the latest returns, shows a majority over J. N. Hart, the amembly candi date, of about 10,000 which will be in creased by the belated returns.

W. S. Duniway, the present State Printer, has also defeated W. J. Clarke, assembly candidate, by a wide margin. Duniway now shows a majority of more than 3000 over Clarke, and each later report increases Duniway's lead.

The closest contest is between O. P. Hoff, assembly candidate for Commissioner of Labor Statistics, and G. M. The total returns so far as Ortoncompiled give Hoff 12.222 and Orton 12.297. While Orton is thus shown to have a slight lead, an analysis of the count dicates the election of Hoff. Mr. Hoff ran behind Orton about 1000 votes in Multnomah County, but on the returns so far received from the other coun ties is nearly up with his opponent.

Hoff Gains in Small Counties.

If the counties of smaller population show on a complete count the same relative difference between the two men Hoff will have won the contest by about me votes. Orton has had his principal strength in the town and city precincts. and from these the vote is more complets than from the country districts, where Hoff has shown the greater strength

For Superintendent of Water Division No. 1, J. T. Chinnock has a strong lead over F. E. Gettin and is undoubtedly sominated. Mr. Gettin had the assembly indorsement.

Hawley's Lead Growing.

For Representative in Congress from the First District the incomplete returns give W. C. Hawley a majority over B. F. Mulkey of 1846, but in these figures less than two-thirds of the vote cast is represented. On the final returns, estimating the vote on the way it is shown in the incomplete figures, Representative Hawley will be nomin-(Concluded on Page 1L)

Motorman shoots man he finds with wife woman attempts suicide. Page 5. Page State tax is levied in Washington. Ally of provincial police killed by Mafla near Revelstoke. Page 5. Fortland.

Chicago temperance worker outlines plan for anti-liquor demonstration. Page 12. Civic council to discuss South Portland bridge tonight. Page 9. Y. M. C. A. opens new year in educational department. Page 16. Man fugitive for six months arrested on charge of attempting to murder room-mate. Page 16.

Dr. W. B. Hinson makes "plea for Portland saloon." urging its abolition. Page 7.

irman G New York County committee, field marshal of the anti-"old guard" forces.

Griscom holds to a minimum of 570 ut of a total of 1015 delegates. The "old guard" says the Roosevelt lead will not amount to more than 30 votes and Roosevelt would have been beaten, it declares, had it not been for one or two flukes within the last two weeks.

No Use to Win.

reputation for his genial nature. A friend "What would it have profited us to win, anyway?" the "old guard" is in- was narrating his experiences on a hunting trip several days before, when Shapquiring blandly, to fit the emergency. "We would have faced a losing fight bazian was so pleased with the story in the campaign for the election in No- that he began to laugh heartily. vember, and, defeated at the polls, we His friends were terrified when would have been held discredited. Now | broke a blood vessel at the base of his the shoe is on the other foot. Roose- brain and tumbled over unconscious. He velt is in the saddle temporarily; it will lingered two days without recovering con-

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Paroxysm of Laughter Causes Breaking of Blood Vessel in Brain.

warming party that he attended.

sciousness.

FUNNY STORY KILLS MAN

Marguerite have been happy and contended that there is no reason why he should commit suicide.

attend a business meeting.

Revolver Recent Purchase.

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when he left the house last evening to

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"Donald was always contented and FRESNO, Cal., Sept. 25 .- N. C. Shapneerful. He did not have a revolver bazian, a popular member of the Arme-nian colony here, lles dead at his home until the last day or two That explains why the police found a new box at 221 M Street as the result of a funny of cartridges. We were talking only story told two days ago at a house-Thursday of the Rice murder and other tragedies here lately and of the many Shapbazian, who was a tailor, had a hold-ups. Donald said we ought to have a gun in the house. I suppose he bought one after that talk and had not brought it home yet. There was no reason why he should shoot himself. My daughter and I believe it to have

been accidental." Stubbs staggered from his office at No. 305 Williamson building, just before midnight last night, crying to an

elevator man: "I need help, I've shot myself accidentally."

That was all the words he would say, even when taken to Lakeside Hospital. where it was found the bullet had entered above his heart and had taken a downward course, being lodged in nis back.

Surgeons today decided it too dangerous to probe for the bullet. They say Stubbs has only one chance to live only a fighting chance. The police searched the office while Stubbs was being taken to the hospital. They found the desk ransacked and papers scattered about the floor. The policemen who made the search marked their report "attempted suicide."

Donald Stubbs was appointed to the general agency of the Union Pacific here last July, after his marriage to Miss Wheeler.

BELGIAN CONSUL ANGERED

Rear-Admiral Has Good Explanation

of Seeming Insult.

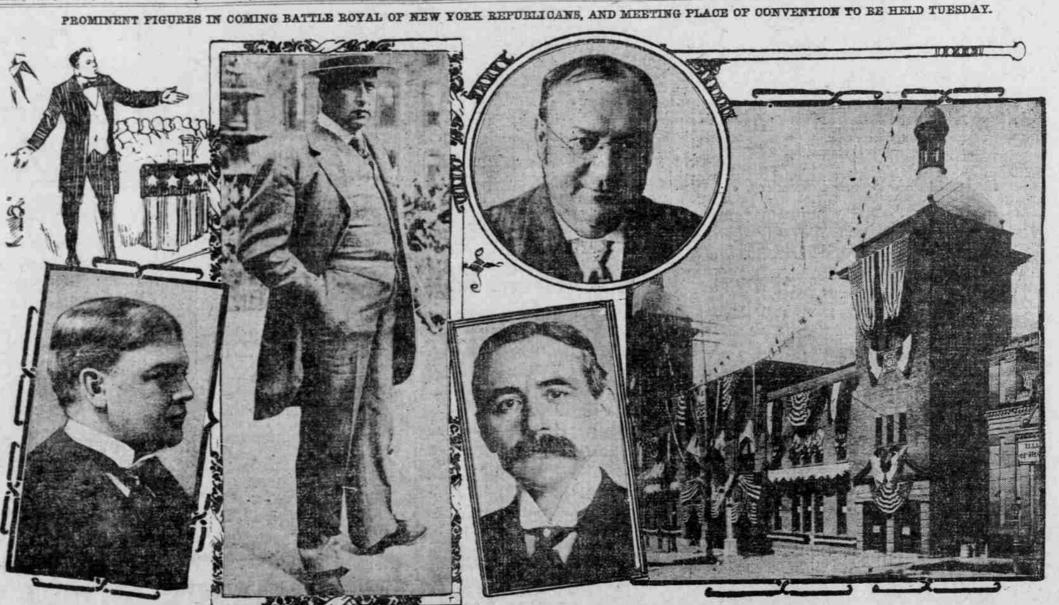
SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 25 .- (Special.)-Consul-General of Belgium in San Francisco, F. Drion, recently complained to the Belgian Minister at Washington that the commandant of the Naval Training Station at Yerba Buens Island, in San Francisco harbor, had refused ordinary courtesies to cadets of the Belgian naval trainingship L'Avenir, when that vessel was recently in the harbor.

The Consul said he had written no less than two letters to the commandant of the training station, asking that a date be set for receiving the Belgian cadets, but his letters had been ignored.

The State Department wired to Rear-Admiral Milton, present commandant, and he promptly furnished good explanation, which shows the Belgian Consul-General does not keep an up-todate navy register in his office.

The Rear-Admiral said the Consul-General had directed letters to Captain Cathcart, his predecessor in office, who has been gone two years. These letters had been sent to Washington. They only reached the Rear-Admiral yesterday.

OF STATE COMMITTEE; WILLIAM BARNES, JR., LEADER OF REGULARS; VICE-PRESIDENT JAMES S. SHERMAN (ABOVE), CANDIDATE OF REGU-LLOYD C. GRISCOM (BELOW), WHO IS MANAGING ROOSEVELT'S FIGHT; CONVENTION HALL AT SARATOGA WHERE BATTLE WILL BE FOUGHT.



TIMCTHY L. WOODRUFF, CHAIRMAN LARS FOR TESPORARY CHAIRMAN;