

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 4 .-- What is nsidered important testimony relat-

These Portland men in their letter hit right out from the shoulder. They felt that single far animaliate discredited in the minds of Oregon voters as the result of the plan of campaign followed by W. S. U.Ren and Dr. W. G. Eggleston. The letter came

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banking business." Customs Frauds Exposed. Exposure of customs frauds resulted in saving more than \$10,000,000," dis-tinctly an under-estimate," says the Secretary. The Treasury Department, he adds, needs a board of general appraisers within the department to supervise and unify the appraising work of the coun-tre.

unity the appraising work of the coun-try. Complete separation of the Treasury service, especially the classified part of it, from practical politics, is recom-mended by the Secretary. The abolition of all assay offices in the country, except the one at New York, is urged by MacVeagh. All as-say work, he adds, should be done at New York, or at the mints. Secretary MacVeagh announces his intention of reforming the Treasury Department's business methods by a scheme for the payment of Government obligations in such a manner as to

scheme for the payment of Government obligations in such a manner as to avoid exchange on Government checks. Other recommendations by the Secre-tary include: Construction of four revenue cutters and a building pro-gramme of at least two cutters yearly in future: provision for disabled and old members of the life-saving service; retirement pension for civil service employes; revision of the oleomargar-ine laws; legislation against the opium traffic; and the creation of a bureau to "aunervise the expression of laws," supervise the expression of laws, co-operating with Congress to make their meaning plain to executive offi-cials who enforce them.

DOWER RIGHTS ARE SOUGHT

#### Widow of Founder of Moyer Cloth-

### ing Stores Starts Suits.

On the ground that she was not a party to the assignment made by her husband to a trustee in 1896 Ellas-beth Moyer, 72 years of age, widow of J. M. Moyer, the founder of a string of clothing stores still operating in Port-land, has started suit to recover her dower interest in property valued at \$20,000 on Sixth street near Harrison. The property is improved with an

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Paul Dickey, star of the Orpheum playlet, "The Come-Back,' 'at the Bun-solow, is right at home in Portland, as playlet,

ing to the activities of the American Sugar Refining Company in dealings in which small competitors and sugar planters were interested, was brought planters were interested, was brought out at today's hearing of the Govern-ment's suit to dissolve the sugar trust. Government counsel introduced let-ters that passed between H. O. Have-meyer, former president of the Amer-ican, and J. T. Witherspoon, super-intendent of the company's New Or-lease reactors.

aid, "and some are known to these men. he said, "and some are known to others in this gathering. I will deal with them all. You know there is always a dif-ference of opinion as to the way a job ought to be done. leans reinery. In the Witherspoon letters reference was made to efforts to prevent the or-ganization of independent refiners in Louisiana. In a letter written by Have-

Rice Called Impractical

Louisiana. In a letter written by Have-meyer in November, 1906, he intimated that the Federal Gov."mment might be appealed to to "interfore" against the organization of an independent refin-ery by Louisana planters. Mr. Have-meyer suggested that a combination of the planters for such a purpose would be in line with what President Roosevelt would consider "combination in restraint of trade." "Mr. Rice, whose name is affixed to this letter, is a new man in Oregon and a consistent single-taxer. About the middle of October, when I was up to my ears in the campaign, I received a letter from Mr. Rice in which he made numerous suggestions which, if 

in restraint of trade." The proposed organization of the planters was not effected and Emil Legendre, a retired planter, in telling of a similar plan to organize a refin-ery here, testified that "abject fear" of the so-called trust was the real cause of the failure of the planters to

-well, he didn't do it. "Mr. Louis Bergman is the only single-taxer in Oregon that did not lift a hand for us in the late election. The sore spot in Louis" mind may be located

"If the planters had gone into such a deal" testified Mr. Legendre, 'It would have meant practically the blacklisting of their sugar on the local exchange." The witness said the "trust" had pre-

vented three attempts of the Louisiana sugar planters to erganize a large in-dependent refinery.

MORE LIVESTOCK IS PLEA Northwest Production Will Lower

### Meat Prices, Says Armour.

If the Northwest continues to in-

No Money-Shortage Noted.

a.r., Armour expressed himself as indicating that i dogs in the original and was apparently satisticated with the general business situation of the country.
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known this afternoon, brought about the separation.

more votes for single tax with himself as candidate for Governor than other-wise. He replied: "Well, if I were simply talking for a measure I don't think the people would turn out to hear me in any great numbers, but if I were talking about my candidacy for Governor, perhaps a great many more would come to find out what reason U'Hen could have for wanting to be Governor. Some will be converted to U'Ren and some to single tax and some will vote for both. "If we had won in Oregon this year." the speaker continued, "it couldn't have been otherwise than by a close vote, and all the officials in office, from the Governor down, would have done all they could-and that is a great deal-to make the law ineffective. The next time we will win with our own men in br, w. c. hggsenon. In the letter take as a surprise, not only to the delegates in general, but to Mr. U'Ren as well. But Mr. U'Ren said he was glad to re-ply and he occupied the rest of the ses-sion in doing so. "I know the most of these men," he

come effective April 14. Four-sev-enths of the total vote was required to carry the charter, which includes the initiative, the referendum and re-

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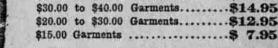
ready to do anything that his latter desires. When her husband left her it was learned from the same source that his bride was in tears. "If you don't return in one week," she told him, "I will do something to make the law ineffective. The next time we will win with our own men in office." Dr. W. G. Eggleston, of Portland.

office." Dr. W. G. Eggleston, of Portland. was then called upon by the chairman to address the delegates. He said he had nothing of consequence to add, but that he indorsed all that Mr. U'Ren had said. desperate.'

### \$50,000 Settlement Rumored

The week ends tonight and it can be said positively that young Belmont will not return. From other friends of the bride came the story of an ar-rangement which would result in an-nulment of the Jersey City marriage Duluth Adopts Commission Plan. DULUTH, Dec. 4.—Duluth voters yes-terday, by an overwhelming majority, adopted the new charter and the com-mission form of government to be-

Father's Threat Does Work.



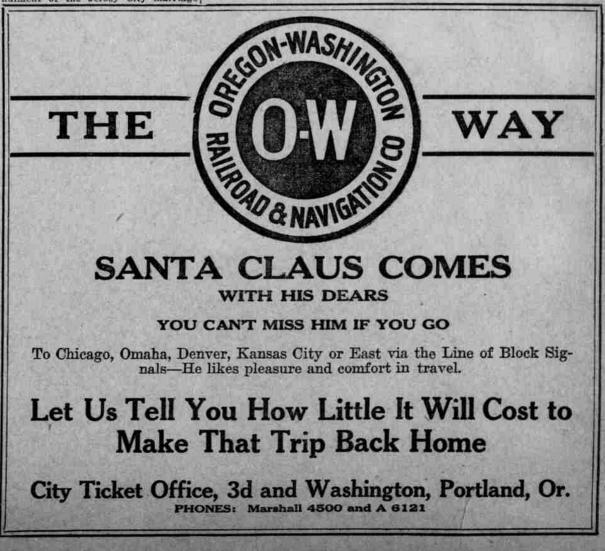
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a hand for us in the late election, the sore spot in Louis' mind may be located through the fact that three years ago when we were figuring on the litera-ture for personal work some friends of his thought he would be the proper man to get it out. I told him to go ahead, but when it was finished I had to tell him it wouldn't do. "I don't think I know C. L. Goldberg. "Honree Gregg I have seen. "Henry Black I know less of." Mr. U'Ren gave the personnel of the committee in charge of the Oregon campaign and said it was its practice to take action only when the committee gave unanimous approval. "It is true." The letter charged that campaign speakers were instructed never to mention single tax on land values. Mr. U'Ren world no." said the speaker.

Should it become known that a physician liv-ing here could RELIEVE EVERY CASE of theumatism, sciatica and neurilis, the saf-ferers of this and surrounding cities would crowd his office. One physician in New York—a specialist. has been able to do this-to RELIEVE PRACTICALLY EVERY CASE PRESENT-ED TO HIM, with a prescription known as "NURITO." It is an ethical prescription and contains neither oplates nor narcotics; and it has proven itself in more than 45,000 cases to be a positive antidote for the unk acid in the system which causes theumatism, scintica and neurilis. "Many voted no," said the speaker, "because they thought the change from present tax methods would be too sud-den-many people told me they thought our measure all right, but that the time was not yet ripe for adoption.

No Money-Shortage Noted. No Money-Shortage Noted. "We were certainly licked beauti-fully, but not because of any shortage of money. We had all the money we needed. It takes time to make single-taxers, but we will do it in time." The charge by the Portland single-taxers that he used "gumshoe methods" in the campaign. Mr. U'Ren said, was foolish. "We worked in perfect har-mony," he said, "and if, as these peo-ple claim, the Oregon single-taxers are disrupted, the disruption came since I left there and I guess if there is one I can heal it when I get back. "Our opponents preached that our measure was a rich man's scheme, said had hired U'Ren. They called me Fels' parasite and I received letters indicating that I ought to be shot for advocating such measures. These IS HERE. "Nurito," which is in powder form, sells for \$1 and \$2 a box. To try it means to be con-vinced-to replace pains and aches with enthusi-asm for this advancement in medicine. Magis-tral Chemical Co., Flatiron Bidg., New York for sale at all the leading drug store MOST ECONOMICAL SCOURING SOAP EMORGANS SONS SAPOLIO

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