

Government Argument Filed in Anti-Trust Case Before Supreme Court.

TRADE IS HELD RETARDED

Control of All Commodities by Few Masters Is Declared Inevitable if Appeal of International Company Is Sustained.

WASHINGTON, March 29 .- The Government's brief in the anti-trust suit OWEN M'GIVENEY CALLED BEFORE to dissolve the International Harvester Company was filed today in the Supreme Court. It is largely directed toward combating the arguments adtoward combains the argument is wanced in the company's brief filed in support of its appeal after the District Court for Minnesota had declared it a combination in restraint of trade and ordered its dissolution.

condered its dissolution.
"If defendant's argument prevails," says the Government brief, "and if the corporate combinations, however com-prehensive, do not come within the purview of the act unless and only so far as they demonstrably 'abuse' their power, the inevitable result will be the renewal of that great rush toward con-centration which proceeded with ever-accelerating rapidity until checked by the decision of this court in the North-crn Scurrities case.
Other Combinations Held Likely.
"If makers of harvesting machinery of every other species of machinery do every other species of machinery do

"If makers of harvesting machinery may units as here, why may not makers of every other species of machinery do likewise". And why may not all these lesser combinations be integrated into one super-combination of all the metal

one super-combination of all the metal working industries? "What would prevent, in deed, the creation of combinations with power to control the market for every neces-sary of life? Necessary of life-food, coal, oil, metal, textile fabrics, etc.,--or allances between all these combina-tions under the control of a few great

tions under the control of a lew great masters of industry. "The desire for promoters, profits, the desire to escape from the pressure of competition, the natural gravitation of power into the hands of the powerful power into the hands of the power into and the desire for more power which great power engenders—these motives would still be adequate to produce such concentration, even assuming that prices, etc., could be rigidly con-trolled."

### Admission of Defense Cited.

Admission of Defense Cited. The brief says that the defendants assert that while one-time competitors controlling from 80 to 55 per cent of the trade in the United States in har-vesting machines were combined in substantially the manner in which the Government contends, the object was not restraint of trade, but to promote foreign trade and to establish domestic trade on a more economical basis. Upon these statements, the Government says, and upon its good conduct, the "whole defense rests." Statistics are given to demonstrate that the harvester company "has re-tarded, rather than accelerated, the foreign trade in harvesting machines." The Government declares that three

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companies named by the defendant as formidable competitors which have en-tered the field since its organization "are practically negligible as factors in the harvesting machine business in the United States."

# BANDON DEBATERS WIN

Salem to Be Met to Decide Contend-

port. The Police Chief responded with the assertion that the charges were part of a plot to ruin his chances of election, but Mr. Woolwine supervened today with a declaration that the police de-partment, determined to hamper a proper investigation, had brought about "an unbelievable situation," in which methods rivaling those of the Russian secret police were being employed. Directly after the charges were made Directly after the charges were made

Directly after the charges were made against Sebastian Mrs. Lily Pratt, wife of a business man, came forward with a statement, made through the police department, that she had been offered \$800 to trap the Police Chief. The of-fer, it was asserted, was made through the medium of her sister, Mrs. Martha Olivera. The latter was summoned to the District Attorney's office and after-ward, Mr. Woolwine said, she was ar-rested by the police and held incom-municado while efforts were made to induce her to "stand by the chief." Mr. Woolwine declared today that as a result of the police department's ac-

Mr. Woolwine declared today that as a result of the police department's ac-tion he would not only press the mis-conduct inquiry before the grand jury but would bring up the alleged efforts to hamper the work of his office. The grand jury, however, is not expected to meet again until Thursday.



CURTAIN AND SPEECH DEMANDED.

Ethel Whiteside and Pickaniunies Win Hearts, Countess Szeehy and Other Performers Lauded.

ALL SET FOR FINISH

Picked Workers of Chamber of

"Oliver Twist." McGiveney plays every character — even Nancy — and shifts from one to the other with such rapid-ity one might readily believe a com-pany of seven persons is appearing on the stage. McGiveney was applauded so insistently he was obliged to make a

curtain speech. Ethel Whiteside and her six pick Ethel Whiteside and her six pick-aninnies were an instant hit. Miss Whiteside changes costume thrice, be-fitting the scenes, and her little negroes dance, prance, sing and "comede" in such a lively manner that they win

hearts and hands from the outset. Countess Szechy, with her gypsy plano, the czimbalon, was a great fa-vorite, each of her solos earning great applause and her final number being the signal for insistent handclapping. The Countess makes her greatest hit by

The Countess makes nor greatest and by playing her own compositions on the czimbalon while it is covered. Ben and Hazel Mann also were liked immensely. They have a patter, singing and dancing turn that is bright thermelout and Chamber of Commerce was yeserday afternoon, when three of the "high" committees that worked last week went out to clean up the pros-pects among the professional men of

Commerce Ready for Race.

PROFESSIONAL MEN SEEN

Entire Committee of 350 to Open Attack This Morning and Work

Until 12:15, When Farewell

Luncheon Takes Place.

"The beginning of the end" of the

tembership campaign of the new Port-

Luncheon to End Campalga

and dancing turn that is bright throughout. Bob, Tip and Company—s clown, a pretty girl and a dog that almost talks —are the last number of the show. The clown dees several brand new tricks, the dog is interesting and the girl sings melodiously. the city. The efforts of these committee will The efforts of these committee with be supplemented today by a massed at-tack by the entire membership com-littee of 350, with its 79 sub-divisions, in an effort to clean up every prospect in the city that has not yet been brought into the membership fold.

Everyone of the committeemen has **ELECTION FRAUD DENIED** Everyone of the committeenee has pledged himself to appear at 9:45 o'clock this morning in the green room of the Commercial Club for the final assignments for the campaign, and thereafter for three hours the campaign

INDIANA PLEAS OF NOT GUILTY will be waged with greater zeal than ever before. NOW NUMBER SEVEN.

Witness Is Held on Charge of Perjury Another Says Pay for Work Not Performed Is Proper in Politics.

INDIANAPOLIS, March 29. - When ourt adjourned at the close of today's session of the Terre Haute election fraud case seven defendants had de-

the witness replied:

lecture.

to Be Topic at Y. M. C. A.

nder the auspices of the Congressional nion for Woman Suffrage, of which

work for suffrage, especially in l work for suffrage, especially in her own state. New York. When told of the subject that had been selected for tonight's lecture, she said, "Fine, that is one of my best lectures." Great in-terest is being shown in Mrs. Gigman

and a large crowd is expected at the

EUGENE, Or., March 22.—(Special.) —The Bandon High School debating team, taking the affirmative on the Gavernment ownership of railroads, de-feated Medford High in Eugene today. Two to one. The Bandon team now must debate Salem High School. The gon champions for the state title. The affirmative contended that Gov-termment ownership of railroads de-feated Medford High in Eugene today. The affirmative contended that Gov-termment ownership of the state title. The affirmative contended that Gov-

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Card Parties and Dances.

Suit Against Knappa Loggers Al-

leges Negligence.

Monday

day, April 5.

Deputy Fish Wardens Larson and Clarkson on a charge of fishing for mountain trout during the closed sea-son and without having a license. The officers also arrested Albert Gjerp and Clarence Peterson, of Puget Island, on a charge of fishing for salmon in the Columbla River during the closed sea-son. The men were using a diver net and, when captured, had a steelhead and a salmon in their possession. They pleaded guilty in the Juatice Court to-day and were fined \$55 each. It is rumoried that a system of red lights has been established near West-port and Clifton and, upon the ap-proach of any strange boat which might contain officers, the lights flash the signal and the violators are warned. **COSTIVE BOWELS** HEADACHE, COLDS

Tonight! Clean your bowels and

VANCOUVER EVENTS MANY Get a 10-cent box now. Turn the rascals out-the headache, billousness, indigestion, the sick, sour stomach and bad colds-turn them out tonight and keep them out with Cas-Various Organizations Are Planning carete

Millions of men and women take a Cascaret now and then and never know the misery caused by a lazy liver, clogged bowels, or an upset stomach. VANCOUVER, Wash., March 29.--(Special.) -- Members of the Kappa Alpha Pl in this city will give a dance in Columbia Hall Friday evening. April 9, and invitations to it will be sent out Don't put in another day of distrems. Let Cascarets cleanse your stomach: remove the sour, fermenting food; take the excess bile from your liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poison in the bowels. Then Monday. The Ladies of the Altar Society of St. James' Catholic Church will give an elaborate card party, reception and supper at the parish hall Easter Mon-

matter and poison in the bowels. Then you will feel great. A Cascaret tonight straightens you out by morning. They work while you sleep. A 10-cent box from any drug store means a clear head, sweet stom-ach and clean, healthy liver and bowel action for months. Children love Cas-carets because they never gripe or sicken.—Adv. day, April 5. The Knights of Columbus of Columbia Council, 1327, of this city, have issued 400 invitations to their second annual ball, a formal affair, to be held at Co-lumbia Hall Monday evening, April 12. The Haymakers, a branch order of the Independent Order of Red Men, will held an informat dance in Columbia hold an informal dance in Columbia Hall Tuesday evening, April 6.

Passover, which will be delivered this morning at 10 o'clock by Rabbi Wise in the Temple Beth Israel. The Passover was celebrated in the homes of the Jewish people last night \$25,000 ASKED FOR INJURY

with a dinner consisting of unleavened bread, herbs, a simple meat and wine.

Luncheen to End Campaign. The committees will conclude their work at 12:15 o'clock and assemble for the farewell luncheon of the cam-paign in the main dining room of the club. Full reports on the campaign will be made at a general meeting of all members tonight at 8 o'clock in the main dining room. All new members will be present and the first steps in perfecting the new organization will be taken. A constitution and by-laws covering will be presented and placed in the hands of a committee for immediate action. The reorganization will be advanced far enough by the latter part of the week to hold the election, at which 30 directors, who will constitute the chief executive body, will be chosen.



## Contest Closes Monday, April 12, 1915

All answers to puzzle must be sent in to us not later than April 12th, 1915. Everyone has an equal opportunity of securing one of the above prizes. Don't delay answering, but write name and address plainly, and send in your solution today.

Street No. .... City or Town. 

store. NOTE-Read the conditions for obtaining Prizes Nos. 1. 2. 3 and 4. Alf contestants who call at our store and use their credit vouchers will receive their choice of any of the four prizes above-namely. Diamond Ring, Chest of Sliver, Lady's or Geutleman's Gold Watch, or Diamond-Set Seart Pin.

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ou. We are manufacturers' agents for planes of proven quality, compris-ag some of the world's most famous makes. You are always sure of finding the best makes of planes at lowest

Send All Answers to Advertising Department.

The affirmative contended that Gov-ernment ownership of the railroads is necessary for the complete enonomic development of the Nation. The nega-tive declared it financially impossible, since the valuation of American railroads is \$16,000,000,000.

The Bandon team was composed of George Stol: Kronenberg. Stolz, Fern Belong and Jack

### BAKER IS SPARED DROUTH

Rain Relieves Farmers and Powder

River Is Rising Fast.

BAKER, Or., March 29.-(Special.)-One of the most welcome rains in this vicinity started last night and continued today, breaking a threatened drouth in a season that is expected to be dry because of the little snow in the moun-tains. In 24 hours, 74 inch fell, which is one-fourth of the total preci-pitation since January 1. Powder River is rising rapidly and farmers who use irrigation are taking

Mrs. Charlotte Perkins Gilman will lecture on "Our Brains and What Alls Them" tonight at \$:15 o'clock in the Young Men's Christian Association lec-ture-hall. The lecture is to be given farmers who use irrigation are taking advantage of it. The rainfall is still advantage of it. The rainfail is still 1.01 Inches below normal. For several weeks there has been no rain and there was great danger that grain and hay would suffer for lack of moisture but today's precipitation will add thousands of dollars to the farmers purses. Inion for Union for woman samage, or when she is a member. Mrs. Gliman has always been a leader in the woman's movement. She has been prominent for years in the

ALBANY FACTORY IS SOLD

Plant, Long Idle, Expected to Re-

sume Furniture Manufacture.

ALBANT, Or., March 29.---(Special.)---The big furniture manufacturing plant at this city was sold today to A. C. Girard, of Montesano, Wash. Though no announcement of the plant was made no announcement of the plant was made by the purchaser, it is presumed this sale means a reopening of the plant, which has been idle since the Union Furniture Manufacturing Company, which formerly operated it, failed sev-eral months ago. The sale included the machinery. The consideration was not made public. The original cost of the factory was about \$40,000.

ARMED GUARDS PLACED Los Angeles Official Declares He Is

Victim of Plot.

EUGENE Or, March 29.-(Special)-John Stark, a Junction City merchant, was pinned under his car, unconscious, and his wife, her mother, Mrs. George Benson, of Junction City, were injured, when the motorcar in which they were driving was overturned in North and the South LOS ANGELES, Cai. March 23-Charges of misconduct made by two delinquent girls against Charles E Sebastian, Chief of Pollce and caudidate for Mayor, developed a situation today which Thomas Les Woolwine, District Athorney, declared had compelled him to place armed guards about the homes of witnesses who are expected to be called before the county grand jury. The charges were lodged against Se-bastian Friday, when he was called to the grand jury chamber and there iden-uified by the two girls, according to re-

men. Both O'Brien and Driscoll entered

The membership at the present time s well past the 4200 mark and it is Both O'Bran and D'Aboth of the charges against emphatic denials of the charges against them. At the morning session William Davern, testifying in favor of the deis well past the 4200 mark and it is believed that the report tonight will show it close to the 5000 goal which has been set. The special committees that were workline water that were fendant, Fred Morrison, was held to the grand jury on bond of \$5000, charged with perjury. He was taken

charged with perjury. He was then to jail. O. C. Schuhardt, a grocer, said the reputation of Edward Driscoll, as-sistant city engineer, was good. When United States District Attorney Frank C. Dailey asked, on cross-examination, if the fact "that Driscoll had accepted money from the city for work he had not done" would not affect his opinion, the witness replied:

west. help."

lecture. One woman, on hearing that Mrs. Gliman was coming to Portland, tele-phoned to headquarters for 10 tickets. "I am delighted that we are to have the privilege of hearing such a great woman," she said. "I don't want one a note to the Japanese legation on the a note to the Japanese legation on the a note to the Japanese legation on the

"It would, outside of politics." MRS. GILMAN TO LECTURE

"Our Brains and What Ails Them" mplished for Oregon and the North-est. Sorry I could not be there to

CHINA IS NOT SATISFIED

itary Communication Lines.

North and the South.

ANGLERS' PLOT RUMORED

Light System Near Astoria Reported

as Warning to Violators.

ASTORIA, Or., March 29 .- (Special.) Victor Thompson, a resident of the Big Creek district, was arrested Sunday by

SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.--(Spe-clal.)-Among the passengers who will leave here for Honolulu on the Oceanio liner Sierra tomorrow will be Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Coe, of Portland, who are to spend their honeymoon viewing points of interest about the islands. They were married a few days ago in the bride's home in Los Angeles, and will make their home in Portland after their return from Hawaii. Dr. Coe said today he had not set the date for the return voyage.

the Pekin government today addressed Jewish People Observe Rites in

the chairman of the day.



on Columbia Highway Extension.

The special committees that were working yesterday afternoon consisted of J. Fred Larson, Guy W. Talbot and W. F. Woodward: W. J. Hofmann, A. Feldenheimer, S. D. Vincent, and John Pauer; and Dr. E. A. Pierce, J. E. Wer-lein, J. Kanaler, C. C. Chapman and W. C. Wilkes. A. H. Averill, former president of the Chamber of Commerce, and one of the enthusiastic advocates of con-solidation, telegraphed yesterday from San Francisco his comgratulations on The good roads movement has taken

solidation, telegraphed yesterday from San Francisco his congratulations on the success of the movement, in which he was unable to participate owing to his absence. His message follows: "The Portland Chamber of Commerce is to be congratulated on the excellent. With the backing of such a membership with the backing of such a membership

DR. AND MRS. COE TO SAIL

Newlyweds to Visit Hawaii Before Taking Up Portland Residence.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 29 .- (Spe-

the date for the return voyage.

PASSOVER SERMON TODAY

Simple, but Impressive Services.

ple but impressive service in Temple Beth Israel. Rabbi Jonah B. Wise con-

ducted the services, which began at 6 o'clock and lasted less than an hour. The service was one of prayer and song, preliminary to the sermon of the

commemoration of the exodus In commemoration of the contact from Egypt the Jewish people of the city began their seven-day celebration of the Passover last night with a sim-ple but impressive service in Temple

tion for Dance, Arc Disapopinted. UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO, MOSCOW

UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO, Moscow, March 29.—(Special.)—The girls at the university recently decided they could get along without the university boys at dances, so they held their first an-nual co-ed dance Saturday night. The university men in retailation held a "Jitney struggie" with music by the cadet band and for men only. Both remorted a great time, but while

he cadet band and for men only. Both reported a great time, but while the girls say they did not miss the Adams, the boys admit it was an un-successful Eveless Eden.



You Can Do Better for Less on Third Street " "The proof of the pudding is in the eating."

Business men, their families and employes trade with each other on the Great Light Way.

