# MEMORIALS TO M'KINLEY

POPULAR FUND WILL GO TO CAN-TON MONUMENT.

Congress Will Be Asked to Provide an Appropriation for the Arch at Washington.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7 .- The board of washinkortow, bec. in Memorial Asso-ciation met here today. Ryerson Elichie, the secretary, reported that the work of the organization has so far advanced that within 16 days the whole country will be covered by the state and local committees. From Hawall, Governor Sanford Dole, who has accepted an honorary member-ship of the board of trustees, writes that he expects a most satisfactory contribu-tion, as the people of Hawnii thought a great deal of President McKinley. Governor Hunt, of Porto Rico, is very sanguine, and from Alaska the thousands who have gone to the gold fields assure the association their hearty co-operation. From New England the people have al-

ready responded generously. Similar as-surances come from many other quarters. Many schools have taken up the plan en-thusiastically. In Minnesota Governor Van Sant has given assurances of \$20,000 from the school children alone. Governor Hunt, of Idaho, has set apart a special

day for school contributions. A deputation from the William McKin-ley National Arch Association formally proposed to the meeting a co-operation of the two memorial associations in the col-lection of funds, and that the total thus collected shall be divided, one-third to go to the construction of an arch at Washington. Later in the afternoon, and after a full discussion of the proposition, the McKinley National Memorial Association decided not to accept it, and adopted the

following resolution: "Resolved, That it is the sense of the trustees of the McKinley National Memo-rial Association that the field of popular subscription should be left to it for raising the sum necessary to provide a suita-ble memorial to the late President at Can-ton, where his body Hes, and that this mereciation should join with the William Mickinley National Arch Association, of Washington, in memorializing Congress to erect a national memorial at the capi-tal of our country, to commemorate his services to the nation.

It was insisted by Judge Day, Senator Hanna and others that all popular sub-scriptions should be applied to the creotion of a memorial at Canton, where the inte President lived for so many years and where he lies buried, and where Mrs. McKinley will eventually rest beside him. While it was hoped that Congress would take the matter in hand and erect in the National capital some fitting memorial to the martyred President, the opinion was general that the people of the Nation would profer that their contributions should be used suitably to mark his tomb in Canton. The resolution will be presented to the Memorial Arch Association at a meeting to be held next Monday af-

#### No Vacancy on the Commission.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.-The members of the St. Louis Exposition Commission. headed by ex-Senator Carter, the chair-man, called on the President in a body this morning. Ex-Representative John Allen, one of the members of the commission, said they had only called to relieve the President's mind of any anxiety he might have entertained that there would

ancy on the commission Depew's Farewell Dinner.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.-Senator De-pew, who is to sail for Europe next Satur-day, tonight gave a farewell dinner to his New York friends. Those present included President Roosevelt, Secretary Root, Governor Odell, of New York; Licutenant-Governor Woodruff, Speaker Henderson and the entire New York delegation in Congress.

## TRIBUNE AFFAIR SETTLED.

#### Alban Blames Panama Railroad for Isthmian Events.

COLON, Colombia, Dec. 2.-(Via Galveston, Tex.)-General Alban, the Colombian

diplomatic relations between Venezuelar and Colombian Governments had been aeverad. Venezuela, he said, has 10,000 men in the Tachira district, under Gen-eral Gonzalo Vaiencia. Colombia has a much smaller force, at San Cristobal, un-der General Castro. General Alban lays all the blame for the recent isthmian events on the Pana-ma Railroad, He says it was criminal to bring an enemy from Las Cascades sta-

ent of the Associated Press here that all

tion to the gates of Colon, allowing the Liberal soldiers to subsequently pay the fares for the journey. The General has formally protested against this action, and a mwsuit will follow. He further de-clares that the rallroad's subsequent refusal to convey Government troops along the line to the scene of the engagements greatly intensified the offense committed,

#### Captain Perry's Report.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7 .- The Navy Department has received a report from Captain Perry, of the battleship Iowa, dated at Panama, November 25, setting out in detail the events on the isthmus following the capture of Colon by the Liberals, its recapture and the part played by the United States naval forces in the reopening of traffic. The Captain says that the United States guards were treated with the greatest consideration and respect and no objectionable act was committed by either Conservative or Liberal soldiers.

## Telegraphic Brevities.

Frank J. Gould and his bride have arrived at Bermuda

Robbers stole \$2000 from the Archibald Bank-ing Company, of Archibald, O. France's Chinese loan of 265,000,000 france,

at 3 per cent, will be issued December 2 Two more of the convicts who escaped from the Leavenworth prison have been captured.

French Official to Make a Special The cruiser Chicage arrived at Genos yesterday. The Brooklyn sailed from Yokohama for

Policeman S. M. Hall, charged with murder ing George Head, at Topeka, Kan., was ac

Frank M. Conser, of Ohio, Supervisor of In-dian Schools, has been appointed a special Indian Schools dian agent.

Major Henry Fulton, a member of the fac-ulty of the University of Colorado, is dead of heart disease.

The St. Louis Oil Company sold 5,000,000 barrels of Beaumont oil to St. Louis men at 20 cents a barrel at the wells.

Lieutenant Henry Merriam, son of General H. C. Merriam, will be married at Denver to Miss Alice Lishman, of Honolulu.

Governor Yates, of Illinois, lunched with the President yesterday, and discussed with him the political situation in Illinois.

At Granite, Okla., Sam Pepper shot Rush Arbry, Leonard McDonald and Tom Thurman. The cause of the trouble could not be learned Edward R. McCoy committed suicide at Wilmot, Kan., by deliberately laying his head on a railroad track and permitting it to be cut

"Berry Howard, under indictment for con plicity in the assassination of the late Gov ernor William Goebel, was arrested at Pine ville, Ky.

E. J. Adams, president of the American District Telegraph Company, of Philadelphia, feil from his horse at Valley Forge and broke his neck

Federal office-holders in Colorado have received an order from President Roosevelt to resign whatever positions they hold in polit-ical organizations.

The Greenville, In., bank robbers, Louis Brooks and Albert Philips, found gully of murder, were sentenced to be hanged December 18, at Storm Lake, In.

London Lancet publishes a long article by Dr. James Braithwaite, advancing the theory that excess of salt in one's diet is one of four factors which originate cancer. William Southward, who opened the first

wholesnie grocery store in Chicago, is dend, aged 75 years. He was a Captain in the Sev-enteenth Wisconsin Regiment during the war. Colonel Arthur Lynch, recently returned to Parliament from Galway City, promises to dis-charge his Parliamentary duties with his eyes directed toward the welfare of Galway and

Ireland Tream. The jury impaneled to inquire into the Fran-conis wreck, on the Santa Fe, rendered a ver-dict holding the railroad company responsible for running fast trains against each other on short time.

The creditors of the Pittsburg Construction & Manufacturing Company and West & Wilson, contractors, who made a voluntary assignment to the Prudential Trust Company, of Pittsburg, unanimously agreed to an extension.

LAWYER DECLINES TO TELL STORY OF BREAKING OF NEGOTIATIONS.

AND

LABORI

The Affair, It Is Said, Will Dominate the Elections Next Year, as It Did in 1898.

## PARIS, Dec. 7,-The general expectation of zensational disclosures in Maitre Labort's expianations of his rupture with Droyfus has thus far been disappointing,

as he announces that his lips are sealed by professional secrecy from teiling the story of the actual breaking off of relations with the Dreyfus family. His ar-ticles up to now have taken the form of a personal polemic against MM. Reinacl

and Bernard Lazare, but they have gone to show how wide is the breach between Dreyfus and Reinach and the former's The anti-Dreyfusard press naturally ex-

repeats his prediction that the Dreyfus affair will dominate the elections of 1902

WILL STUDY AMERICAN TRUSTS.

Investigation Here.

ing of closer commercial relations be-tween the two countries. M. Weiller con-

as it did those of 1898,

ults over what they describe as a "dis-play of dirty Dreyfusard linen," and delegate at Washington. with Machiavellian intentions urge Maitre Labori, now that he has been thrown over by his ungrateful friends, to reveal the

ROME, Dec. 7 .- The Fanfulla says the whole Dreyfusard conspiracy against the army. On the other hand, M. Yves-Guybi, in the Siecle, says the adversaries of Dreyfus are mistaken if they imagine that any proof of his guilt will emanate from the polemics of his former friend, but he

## Against White Pass Road.

SEATTLE, Dec. 7 .- Local officials of the

PARIS, Dec. 7 .- M. Lazare Weiller of Foreign Commissions, who with Maurice de la Goutilliere, an engi-neer, was entrusted by the government rates are exorbitant, and these rates. It is said, are being reduced each year. The head officials of the company are now in with the task of making a special inves-tigation of American truets told a rep-Ottawa, to arrange for the approval of its tariff, the non-approval of which is the basis for the threatened suit. The agitaresentative of the Associated Press today that he will also make inquiries in aid of the government's plan of organizing an tors, it is said, are not shippers, but outindustrial college. He is a strong sup-ported of the project, and of the fostersiders.

siders Pitteburg the best center for the establishment of such an institution, and he intends to make an investigation there, but Chicago and Philadelphia are still being considered. The government has examined the suggestion to send commer-cial students also, but is indeposed to

adopt this step until the industrial experi-ment shall have been tried. M. Welller's inquiry in the matter of trusts will occupy about four months, during which time he will visit all the industrial centers of the United States, At the head of an electrical business, he already has relations with all the metal-

lurgical concerns. The government is anxious to have a competent opinion upon the effects of the formation of big trusts, and to what extent they count in the industrial progress of the United States. This matter is of peculiar interest to France, which is the only European coun-try enforcing the law, dating back to the

Revolution, absolutely prohibiting any form of trust. M. Weiller said: "The results of my inquiry into the industrial situation will enable the govern-ment to judge whether it will be the bet-ter policy for France to seek to work hand in hand with the United States in

the industrial movement rather than to enter into a struggie with her."

## IN MISS EASTWICK'S BEHALF. Steps Being Taken by the State De-

partment, WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.-The legal offi-ters of the State Department are looking into an application made by the family of

Miss Eastwick, the unfortunate American girl confined in Landon after conviction for having raised a stock certificate. The purpose of the applicant is to have the department appeal to the British For-eign Office in Miss Eastwick's behalt.

has in the past been subject to file of derangement, rendering her irresponsible, and it is asserted she is at present in that condition. The State Department will transmit these papers to the United States Embassy at London, with instructions to half of the prisoner.

in the form of an appeal to the children DREYFUS of all countries to contribute a portion of their Christmas gifts to be sent to the Boer mothers and children in the concen-tration camps of South Africa.

Italian Claim in a Lynching Case.

ROME, Dec. 1.-In the Senate today Baron Fava gave notice of his intention to interpellate the Foreign Office regard-ing the present status of the question pending between Italy and the United States, arising from the lynching of two Italians at Freen Miss. Last Laiv Italians at Erwin, Miss., last July,

#### Disturbances in Tripoli.

TRIPOLI, Dec. 7 .- Owing to the serious disturbances between the Arabs and Turkish troops reported near Tripoll, in which six Arabs and two Turks were killed, causing the proclamation of a state of siege, the Consuls have been urged to request foreigners to seek refuge within the towns.

Apostolic Delegate at Washington ROME, Dec. 7.-The Journal de Roma publishes the announcement that Monignore Scalabrini, archbishop of Placenza who recently returned from a visit to the United States, will be appointed apostolic

Pope Will Not Be Represented.

pope will not send a delegation to attend the coronation ceremonics of King Edward, as his holiness was not notified of the King's accession to the throne.

OFFICIALS ARE AMAZED. Seattle Representatives on Charges

White Pass & Yukon Raliroad are amazed at the report that their road is to be sued for large sums by former shippers. It is demied here emphatically that the road's

# INFORMATION FOR HOMESEEKERS.

New Pamphlet Just Issued by Passenger Department of 0. R. & N. "Oregon for Homescekers" is the title of a neat pamphlet that has just been is-

sued by the passenger department of the O. R. & N. Co. It starts out to give reliable information about the land of "big red apples," and 40 attractive pages set this forth very satisfactorily, several interesting half-tone pictures adding ma-terially to the beauty and value of the pamphlet. The following, which appears as an introduction, gives an idea of what

it contains: "The Portland Oregonian of Monday, September 30, 1901, was called 'Homeseek ers' Number,' because it contained many articles of information for the intending articles of information for the Avayga-tion Company has reproduced herein some of these articles in convenient form, and presents them, together with the speech of Hon. Harvey W. Scott, delivered at the Pan-American Exhibition on Oregon day, September 25, 1901, with its comp It is hoped that the reader will find herein

something of interest and profit." It makes a convenient handbook for people seeking information about Oregon, and answers countless inquires that would go without answer but for a compilation of this sort. These pamphicts may be obtained from A. L. Craig, general passen-ger agent of the O. R. & N. Co. They should be widely scattered, and will do much good.

DENNISTON AND HIS SUCCESSOR. His Promotion Involves Four Other

Changes on This Const. A. B. C. Denniston, the new general Western passenger agent of the Great Northern Railway, reached home yesterday morning, having come by way of Seattle, where he spent most of the preSOCIETY WOMEN

As Well as the Housewife and Professional Woman Endorse Pe-ru-na as a Specific for Winter Diseases.



Miss Blanche Myers, 3120 Penn street, Kansas City, Mo., a prominent young factory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hariman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice clety woman of that place, has the following to say of Peruna:

"During each of the past four seasons I have caught a severe cold, when suddenly chilled after an evening party, and catarrh for several gratis. weeks would be the result. One bottle of Peruna cured me, and I shall Hariman Saritarium, Columbus, O. not dread colds any more as I did."---BLANCHE MYERS.

falled.

by the witness, Dr. W. P. Carr, that the H. Barney, in Kansas City, Kan., today, Government's contention that Ayres re-ceived his wound at long range was whol-ly untenable from the very nature of the wound. The court will render its decision Monday. Car Trust Organized. H. Barney, in Kansas City, Kan., today, H. Barney, in Kansas City, Kan., today, He was a delegate to the convention which renominated Abraham Lincoin for President. He was elected a member of the Kansas Legislature in 1855. He was one of the promoters of the Union Pa-cific Railroad, and built the Jopiin line from Joplin, Mo., to Girard, Kan., now

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.-At a meeting of the directors of the St. Louis & San Fran-

elsco Company, just held in this city, an

executive committee was elected as fol-

Nathanlel Thayer, E. C. Henderson,

lows:

HOME TREATMENT FREE.

### Catarrh Cures by Thousands Under Dr. Hartman's Free Treatment.

Catarrh of the nose and head produces discharge from the nose, sneezing, and pain in the eyes and forehead, weak, and sometimes watery eyes, and occusionally

loss of memory. Unless something is done to prevent the catarra will follow the mucous membrane into the lungs where it will be followed by cough, night sweats, rapid loss of flesh, and the other dread symptoms of consumption.

To all such people Dr. Hartman's treatment comes as a great boon. It is only necessary to send name and address to Dr. Hartman, Columbus, O., and complete directions for the first month's treatment

will be sent free. Not only is it more successful in cur-ing catarrh than the treatment of catarrh specialisis, but it is in the reach of every person in this land. A medicine which is the principal part

of Dr. Hartman's treatment, known as Peruna, can be bought at any drug store, and is a remedy without equal for ca-tarrh in all forms, coughs, colds, bron-chilts, consumption, and all climatic dis-enses of Winter. Each hottle is accompanied with complete directions for use.

Address The Peruna Medicine Co., of Columbus, Ohio, for a copy of their latest catarrh book, instructively illustrated, and contains 64 pages of the latest information on catarrhal diseases. Sent free to any address.

#### A Club Woman's Experience.

Mrs. May Thompson, Kirkland, Wis, treasurer of the Kirkland Lodge, Daugh-ters of Rebecca and I. O. O. F., writes as follows:

"For years I have suffered with severe headaches caused by catarrh of the head. On the advice of a friend I used Peruna for a little over a month, and found myself more improved than I had ever hoped to be. Since then I have taken about a dozen bottles, and am convinced that it has worked a perfect cure, as I have no aches and pains and do my own work. would not take any money for what Peruna has done for me." MAY THOMPSON.

# A Housewife Who Suffered 25 Years,

MRS. ALLA SCHWANDT.

Mrs. Alla Schwandt, Sanburn, Minn.,

"I have been troubled with catarrh for

E years. Could not sleep day or night. After having used Peruna 1 can sleep

Mrs. Jennie Cable, Spokane, Wash.: "After suffering for 21 years with neu-raigia caused by catarrh of the head.

I tried all doctors and all kinds of medi-cine, receiving no benefit. I became dis-couraged and worn out at last. My mother

wrote me to take Dr. Hartman's medi-cine, so I did, but my case was a chronic one, and I was also in the change of life.

Through the use of Peruna and Manalin

l am now entirely well, "When I began taking your medicine I

only weighed 61 pounds; now I weigh 119. I have not taken a drop of medicine for seven months, and would advise all suf-

ferers to consult Dr. Hartman. The neu-

ralgia affected my head and eyes, and for the last year seemed to be in my breast

If you do not derive prompt and satis-

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The

time a thorough examination of Secor's

Glandular tumors, abscesses,

pimples, and other cutaneous erup-

tions, sore ears, inflamed eyelids,

rickets, dyspepsia, catarrh, readi-

ness to catch cold and inability to

get rid of it easily, paleness, ner-

vousness, the consumptive ten-

Can be completely and perma-

nently removed, no matter how

dency, and other ailments ----

and between my shoulder blades." MRS. JENNIE CABLE.

and nothing bothers me now.

commander, returned here today on the British cruiser Tribune from Bocas del Toro and proceeded immediately to Pan-ama. In a short interview the General said too much importance had been at tached to the disturbance in Bocas del Toro. Referring to the alleged fil treatment the members of the Tribune's crew, General Alban said the disturbance was due to the inability of the men to speak Spanish. The matter was amicably settled at a conference at Bocas del Toro between the foreign Consuls, Captain Galloway, commander of the Tribune, and General Alban. The latter declares that all the Jamaicans imprisoned at Bocas del Toro, when the Government forces drove the Liberals from the old bank, were found in arms against the Government. All of them had since been released.

A Colombian soldier who bayoneted a steward of the Tribune was brought to Colon and will be imprisoned at Panama for 20 days. Many British claims for dam-ages sustained at Bocas del Torro and elsewhere are being presented to the gov-

General Alban received the following

yesterday from Bogota: "The country proclaims you the saviour of the republic by virtue of your recent admirable triumphs, and awards you well-merited honor for your incomparable energy, which is always greatest in times

of national danger." Senor del Rio (the acting agent of the Pacific Mall Steamship Company at Pan-ama, who has been accused of complicity in the doings of the Liberals, and who was given the option of standing trial or paying \$1000 and leaving the country in 15 days and accepted the latter alternaman given the option of standing trial or paying \$1000 and leaving the country in 15 days and accepted the latter alterna-tive), will sail tomorrow for Chile. Geveral Alban informed the correspond-the ice treacherous.

Witnesses whose evidence was wanted to show that ex-Halliff J. J. Lynch was often in the office of Alexander Sullivan when the lat-ter was attorney for the West Chicago Street Railway Company occupied the stand in the Sullivan conspiracy case at Chicago.

#### The Boyle-Burns Sult.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia., Dec. 7 .- Aside from the testimony of two minor witnesses, James F. Burns again occupied the stand all day in the famous suit for a large share of the stock of the Portland Mining Company. Burns' direct examination was concluded just before the noon adjournment, and the cross-examination was taken up by Attorney Hughes, in the afternoon. The reports that Burns was on the point of collapse as a result of the nervous strain to which he has been subjected during the trial are apparently without foundation.

#### Gerst's Henring Postponed.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 7.-The hearing in the case of City Treasurer Phillp Gerst, charged with misappropriation of public funds, was begun before Mayor Dichl to-day. Mr. Gerst was suspended by Mayor spondent of the Central News announces the arrest at Sofia, after a violent restat-Hiehl November 19. He is charged with having unlawfully appropriated to his own use \$42,090 of the city's money and the arrest at Sofia, after a violent resist-ance, of a man named Halju, who is al-leged to be the assassin of ex-Premier Stambouloff. The police have been on the lookout for Halju ever since the murder of M. Stambouloff, but he had only just with lending to various persons at differ-ent times, city money in sums ranging from \$\$000 to \$\$300. Adjournment until Wednesday was granted. or M. Stambouron, but he had only just returned to Bulgaria. He emptied two re-volvers at his captors, but none of the

# Drowned in Lake Winnipeg. WINNIPEG, Manitoba, Dec. 7 .- Two In-

the promotion of Mr. Denniston will go into effect the middle of this month. By it Henry Dickson, who was formerly as-

## British Hopes Again Raised.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7 .- Not for a long while has there been such an optimistic feeling with regard to the war, says a London dispatch to the Tribune. For days past rumors of peace negotiations have been current in various quarters, and these have not been dispersed by Lord Kitchen-er's official confirmation of the report that a large number of Boers had been cap-tured in the Transvaal. This most important haul seems to have been the work of Major Wools Sampson. This officer's ad-mirable handling of the troops at Brak-enslaagt, after Colonel Benson was mor-tally wounded, redounded very much to his credit, and his capture of the Boer laager southwest of Ermelo ought to make his promotion certain his promotion certain.

Stambouloff's Assassin Arrested.

LONDON, Dec. 7 .- The Vienna corre-

Rostand's Appeal to the Children.

bullets took effect.

### Northern at Spokane, will be transferred to Portland as city ticket agent, to suc-ceed Mr. Denniston. George Mussgang, who is assistant city ticket agent in St. Paul, will succeed Mr. Dickson at Spokane, J. W. Phalon, who was formerly

sistant city ticket agent in Portland and is now depot ticket agent of the Great

HOUSTON, Tex., Dec. 7. - It is an-nounced officially that the Southern Pacific will, during the coming year, spend \$3,000,000 on the Atlantic system between El Paso and New Orleans. This money is to be spent in reballasting, new 80-pound ralls, bridges, new equipment and building of branch lines.

# The Bonine Case.

to ask an expert witness certain hypo-thetical questions bearing on the wound PARIS, Dec. 7 .- All the newspapers here of Ayres. The court asked the jury to retire during the discussion. The defense stated that it would endeavor to show disease while visiting his sister. Mrs. A. in juil he was released. In the meantoday publish verses entitled "A Christ-mas Carol," written by Edmond Rostand,

a part of the "Frisco System,"

#### Scrofula May Not Live Through His Trinl. UTICA, N. Y., Dec. 7.-Almost at the point of death, with his right side par-alyzed, and both eyes blind, George Trow-This root of many evils -

bridge, alias William Keefe, lay upon a cot in the United States courtroom, when his trial for impersonating a United States officer was commenced. When Trowbridge was arrested in Ashtabula, O., last August, charged with defrauding pen-sioners in this vicinity, he was in appar-ent good health. While in the Utica jail a few weeks ago he received the paralytic stroke and since then he has rapidly

### Belgian Concessions in Bolivia.

Advices from La Paz say that the Bo livian Congress has sanctioned a concersion to a Belgian syndicate to construct a port at Bahia Negra and a railway from the River Paraguay to Santa Cruz, with branches to Sucre and Potosl, and has also authorized the government to negotiate a foreign loan, the basis of which is not made public,

## Short in His Accounts.

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 7 .- Lerol W. Secor

was arrested in New York about two years ago at the instance of the Good-rich Transportation Company. It was alleged at that time that Secor was short in his acounts about \$19,000. The prisoner was brought back to Milwaukee and tried on a charge of emberying a gradit amount today and accept no substitute.

SUGGESTIONS FOR THE HOLIDAYS

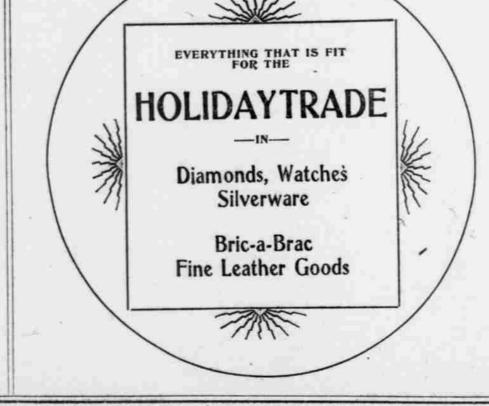
young or old the sufferer. Hood's Sarsaparilla was given the daughter of Silas Vernooy, Wawarsing, N. Y., who had broken out with scrofula sores all over her face and head. The first bottle heiped her and when she had taken six the sores were all healed and her face was smooth. He writes that she has never shown any sign of the scrofula returning.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Promises to cure and keeps the promise. Ask your druggist for it

# SUGGESTIONS FOR THE HOLIDAYS

- DIAMONDS---The largest and finest assortment of loose and mounted stones ever carried in the Northwest. Special designs in mounting, according to order.
- SILVERWARE---Tableware, silver novelties. In these lines of silver display our stock simply surpasses anything hitherto offered.
- CUT GLASS --- We are sole agents for the celebrated Hawkes cut glass. In design and finish it has no equal.





Without going into details, we simply desire to state that our Christmas Stock this year, as far as beauty, variety and price go, is ahead of anything ever before offered in the Northwest.

> We will reserve any selection you may make. Out-of-Town Orders given special attention. STORE OPEN EVENINGS



CORNER THIRD AND WASHING TON STREETS

EL PASO, Tex., Dec. 7.--A dispatch from Las Cruces announces that the oll borers at Engle, N. M., have struck an Improving Its Line. borers at Engle, X. M., have struck an artesian well at a depth of 200 feet, which swept 1000 gallons per hour through a two-inch hole. Engle is situated in the heart of the famous Journey of Death Desert, which is one of the most arid regions known, and the strike of water will prove far more valuable than an oll gusher. During the Mexican War, fout of

a column of 165 soldlers who attempted to cross the desert, all but 14 perished. Great excitement has been created by the strike.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 7 .- Edward H. Brown, aged 78 years, of Girard, Kan., who has been prominent in political and

Great Northern passenger agent in Portland, but is now traveling passenger agent for the company in California, will be transferred to Portland as traveling passenger agent for this territory, and Henry Huggins, who is passenger agent in Portland, will succeed Mr. Phalon as Water More Valuable Than Oll.

traveling passenger agent for California. This is the slate as now arranged to go into effect December 15.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.-In the Bonine trial today counsel for the defense precipi-tated a long argument over the right

#### James Campbell, B. F. Yoakum, H. Clay Pierce, James A. Blair and Frederick President Yoakum was elected Strauss. chairman of the board, and Frederick Strauss secretary. J. S. Ford was appointed assistant sec-J. S. Ford was appointed assistant sec-retary and assistant treasurer, with head-quarters in New York. The directors au-thorized the formation of a \$1,000,000 car trust, bearing 4 per cent interest, to pay for equipment recently ordered.

Edward H. Brown Dead.