Oregon May Have Two last night, presumably by the same persons. First they entered the blacksmith Federal Judges.

FAVORED IN THE HOUSE

Bill for Two Districts Passes the Senate.

CASCADES ARE THE BOUNDARY

Present Judge and Other Officials Retained for Western Oregon-New Appointments Proposed for Eastern Oregon.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Feb. 11 .- A favorable report was made today from the House committee on judiciary on Senator Mitchell's bill passed by the Senate last session dividing the State of Oregon into two judicial districts. The bill provides for an East and West district, the summit of the Cascade Mountains to be the dividing line,

The court in the West District will be held at Portland, that in the East district at Baker City. The Judge and officers of the present District Court are to be assigned to the West district, and the President is authorized to appoint a new Judge, United States Marshal and United States Attorney for the East district, and the Judge is empowered to appoint all other officials for this district

TRYING TO CROWD THE SENATE House Aims to Reduce Unlimited De

bate to an Absurdity. OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash ington, Feb. II .- The United States Senate seems to have embarked upon a wellnigh impossible feat, that is, of disposing of the business necessary before the close of the session, and also trying an impeachment case where many witnesses will have to be summoned and a great deal of testimony submitted, to be followed by the arguments of the attorneys

for Judge Swayne and the managers of the House who are conducting the impeachment Representatives put the impeachment case into the Senate at this session for the purpose of taxing the rules of that Jefferson County." body to the utmost, an. to show that its mited debate is impracticable in a

job which makes it almost impossible to conclude public business and adjourn at Senators say there is no question about this, and that they will be able to get through with the impeachment, and also sistant in the department of English. to pass the necessary legislation, which

legislative body. But whatever may have

been the purpose, it is evident that the

House has unloaded upon the Senate a

must be concluded by noon on March 4. TO SETTLE OLD INDIAN CLAIMS Fulton Secures Amendments to Indian

Appropriation Bill. OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Feb. 11.-Senator Fuiton has succeeded in having several of his amendments attached to the Indian appropriation bill by the Senate committee, and if they stick, various old claims will be settled next Summer.

The principal amendment proposes to pay the Klamath Indians \$537,697 for 621.-\$25 acres of their reservation, which they relinquished to the Government. Amendments paying the Clatson Indians \$10.500 the Lower Chinooks \$30,000, the Klamath Chinooks \$7000, and the Tillamooks \$15,000, in settlement of claims dating back more than 50 years, were also adopted by the committee. Another amendment quieting titles to lands purchased from Umatilla Indians is attached.

TO ARGUE AGAINST KINGSBURY Senator Ankeny to Appear Before Public Lands Committee.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash. ington, Feb. 11.-Senator Ankeny will be given a hearing next Wednesday before the public lands committee, when he will be afforded an opportunity to present his reasons why E. P. Kingsbury, recently nominated for Surveyor-General of Washington, should not be confirmed. Unless agree, should not be confirmed. Unless the bank, W. H. Hunt, is still fighting here are unexpected developments, it is extradition in New York. believed Kingsbury will be confirmed.

FOR NEW PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Bill Provides \$60,000 for Baker City, Increases for Other Cities. OREGONIAN NE S BUREAU, Wash-

ington, Feb. 11.-The omnibus public building bill, completed today, will carry an appropriation of \$60,000 for the erection of a building at Baker City on a site heretofore purchased.

The bill also carries an increase of \$100,000 each for the public buildings at Tucoma and Spokane.

There is considerable doubt about the passage of this bill. It is not enthusiastically supported by the House leaders.

COUNTY EMPLOYES STRIKE.

Assessor's Clerks' Wages Reduced,

but Bondsmen Make Threats. WALLA WALLA, Wash., Feb. II.-(Special.)-Two of the County Commissioners, Struther and McCaw, just before adjourning late this afternoon, told Assessor Bertyman and Surveyor Lochr that they ould rehire their employes at the old wages until the board meets again, February M. Hugh Bentley and Mrs. Fannie I. Cadman, the two clerks in the Assessor's office, and L. C. Goodwin, draughtsman in the Surveyor's office, struck several days ago because their wages were reboard. Assessor Berryman was unable to secure competent help at the reduced price to take their places, and it was feared that his fallure to have the county assessment roll completed would place his londsmen in danger. The commissioners were informed by attorneys that their bondsmen also might be attacked if the roll was not completed.

John Morrow, chairman of the board, was out of town this afternoon, and it is painted that he left purposely, so that his duced from \$3 to \$2.50 per day by the board. Assessor Berryman was unable to secure competent help at the reduced

colleagues could quietly reverse their for-mer action. Morrow and Struther are the two Democrats recently elected to the board. The full board will decide the question finally on February 27,

GRESHAM, Or., Feb. 11.-(Special.)-Three burglaries were committeed here shop of Al Harts, securing there the tools with which to twist open the lock on the general merchandise store of Shattuck Bros., where they looted the cash register, obtaining about \$8; also some knives, watches and other similar plunder. Later the saloon of E. F. Meizger was entered, where some cigars and liquor and 14 in cash were secured.

Debate for McMinnville.

M'MINNVILLE COLLEGE, McMinnlle, Or., Feb. II.-(Special.)-The debating team that will represent McMinnville College in the intercollegiate debates is Truman Northue, Melvin Harty and Myrtle Calavan. Mr. Northup will lead the team in the contests. The try-out debate was held between the Ladles' Literary Society, the Entre Nous and the men's society, the Alpha Delta. There were three contestants from each society, the judges selecting the team from among the six contestants.

Want County Fair Exhibit.

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WALLA WALLA, Wash, Feb. II.—(Special.)—A petition signed by nearly 300 tax-payers of this county, asking an appropriation of \$3000 for a county exhibit at the Lewis and Clark Exposition has been presented to the County Commissioners. The Commissioners today acknowledged receipt of the petition, but took no action on it. If the money is appropriated, it will be expended under the direction of a board, with one member each from the Walla Walla and the Waitsburg Commercial Clubs. mercial Clubs.

Exhibit Car is Lost.

SHATTLE, Feb. IL-A freight car gone astray while bringing the Washington exhibits back to Seattle from the St. Louis Exposition is worrying the officials of the Northern Pacific and Burilington Railroads. The car is No. 22,824 of the Bur-

The missing car, with five others, carry ing the state exhibit, left St. Louis De-cember 15 for Scattle. Five arrived, but No. 92.924 was not among them. All ef-forts to locate the missing car have been

Fails in Front of Hand-Car.

KALAMA, Wash, Feb. 11.—(Special.)— rank Mohlfeld, a meatcutter, fell from a hand-car last night and sustained a disjocated shoulder and a severe scalp wound. He was out of work at his trade and was working on the section gang. While coming home on the hand-car his hat blew off, and, turning around to look for it, he lost his balance and fell in front of the car. The brakes were quickly applied by the foreman

Gas Ends Bride's Life.

SEATTLE, Feb. 11.-Mrs. Minnie Wager, 18 years of age, and said to be a bride of but six weeks, turned on the gas in her room at an early hour this morning and at 19:30 o'clock her dead body was the House who are conducting the impeschment.

There is a suspicion that the House of Representatives put the impeachment found in the room bore these words: "My

Freshmen Elect Girl President.

M'MINNVILLE COLLEGE, McMinn-ille, Or., Feb. 11.—(Special.)—Miss Anna Andrews, president of the freshman class, has been honored by being elected to the presidency of the Young Woman's Christian Association, which is exceptionally strong in McMinnville College

NORTHWEST DEAD.

George W. Mills.

CENTRALIA, Wash., Feb. 11.—(Special.)—George W. Mills, an old-time resident of Centralia and one of the best-The cause of his death was spinal meningitis. He had been in failing health and his death had been expected for the past month or two. Ma Mills had been in this state since 1847, when he crossed the plains in a prairie school in company with his parents. He settled on Puget Sound and spent many years near Tumwater. About 40 years ago he came to Lewis County, and had been here most of the time since. His ability as a musician caused him to be widely known, and he had been a member of and had organized more orchestras than any other man now in the state. His own family orchestra was well known in this section. He was 65 years of age.

DID NOT EVEN OWN FURNITURE Hunt's Bank Did Business on Borrowed Counter and Safe.

CHICAGO, Feb. 11 .- A receiver's sale of furniture supposed to be the property of the Pan-American Bank, was to have taken place today, but the sale has been postponed by Judge Dunne, he having learned that the bank did not even own the mahogany and murble counters and the safe which had given the institution an air of prosperity. The bank secured the safe on the installment plan and bor-rowed the furniture. The president of

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 11.—Governor Higgins has refused to authorize the extradition to Chicago from this state of William H. Hunt, on the ground that the papers accompanying the requisition were

CALVIN IS YOUNGEST.

New Southern Pacific Manager Meets Department Heads.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 11 .- E. E. Calvin, the new general manager of the Southern Pacific Company, arrived here today and was introduced to the heads of the various departments of the company here. Mr. Calvin had nothing to say for publication, except that he was here and expected to stay. He is the youngest man that has ever been in charge of the Southrn Pacific, being younger than Mr. Mark-

ham by two years.

W. H. Bancroft, who has been acting as general manager, will leave this evening for Sait Lake City, where all his personal interests are, and it is expected that he will take an active part in the mannent of the San Pedro, Los Angeles &

Poland Causes Great Alarm.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 11.-Dispatches received here from Warsaw are to the effect that a serious situation there is apprehended. In fact, the situation throughout Poland is causing grave fears.

A Cure for Asthma.

Unparalleled Achievement! Importations in 1904 of

G. H. MUMIM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE

131,330 CASES

The GREATEST quantity ever imported by any brand in the history of the Champagne trade.

Regarding Champagne Importations in 1904, Bonfort's Wine and Spirit Circular of Jan. 10, 1905, says: "Mesers. Fredk. de Bary & Co. brought over last year to this side of the water a greater number of cases of Champagne than has ever hitherto been known, and these importations speak in the strongest terms of the great popular esteem in which G. H. MUMM & CO.'S Champagne is held on this continent."

POISON IN STOMACH

Evidence Against W. H. Miller in Murder Case.

COFFEE GROUNDS EXAMINED

Farmer Denies Killing Nelson Elsea, but Dead Man's Widow Has Called Chemist to Help Solve Question.

ROSEBURG, Or., Feb. 11.-(Special.)-W. H. Miller, who has a homestead near Comstock, Or., was arrested yesterday and brought to Roseburg, charged with having poisoned Nelson Elsea, a farmer, who lived on an adjoining farm. Mrs. Elsea, the widow, who lives in Portland, swore to the complaint, and today came from Cottage Grove and appeared before District Attorney George M. Brown, Miller was also given a preliminary hearing before the District Attorney. Elsea was found dead in his cabin Fri-

day, January 20. Those who discovered the dead man reported that the body had the appearance of having died in convulsions. This gave rise to the rumor pot, which is said to have contained strychnine or arsenic, was found, and it was given out that Elsea had died from drinking the coffee. A doctor has ex-amined the contents of the pot and stated that he found no traces of poisoning. This did not satisfy the dead man's wife and son, and it is understood that they have had the stomach taken out and examined by a chemist, and it is under-stood that traces of poison were found. When the rumor became affoat that Elsea had been poisoned, suspicion was directed toward the Miller family. The reason for this, it is alleged, was that T. Milled, a brother of the man under arrest, had contested Elsea's homestead. The case came up before the Land Of-fice here, and was decided in Elsea's fa-vor, but Miller appealed the case, and

it now rests with the Land Commissi at Washington. Through this contest considerable hard ing resulted, and one day shortly after the contest had been decided in El-Elses, and stated that he and the dead were on friendly terms. He said: "I have known all along that I was cates were taken by Misses Alice God-suspected, and welcome the investigation dard and Estella B. Parker, Mrs. Ethel-that is now being made. I would have like Smith and C. E. Smith. no reason to kill Elses. The contest was brought by my brother, and the only part that I took in the matter was that I was a witness for my brother." It is not generally believed that Elsea was murdered. Several people say that be had suffered from heart trouble. Elsea had often complained of his heart, and it is believed that his death was due to heart failure. Miller charges his arrest o spitework on the part of his neighbors, with whom his family has had more o less trouble. District Attorney Brown has the coffee grounds, and he will turn them over to a chemist.

BARRETT OFFERS PRIZES.

Minister Hangs Up Purse for Essay by College Students.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Cal, Feb. 11 .- (Special.) -- Information has been rett, American Minister to the Latin-American republics, for the best paper written by a student of any recognized health college or university throughout the Our publics, in addition to this, Mr. Barrett will meet all expense necessary to the collection of data for the preparation of these papers. The Minister's ob-ject in making this offer is to develop throughout the United States a wider

As compared with grains and vegetainterest in the political and commercial relations with Latin-America, and to foster a more general study of Latin-American history and institutions, and political, social and educational condi-tions. President Butler, of Columbia University; Dr. Albert Snaw, of Har-vard, and President John H. Finley are named as a committee to arrange and promulgate the terms and limits of the

VISIT "AGRIC" COLLEGE.

Legislators See How Students Are

Trained for Scientific Farming. CORVALLIS, Or., Feb. 11.—(Special.)—While en route to Newport this afternoon, the legislative party stopped at Corvalits, and devoted two hours and a half to a visit of the Oregon Agricultural College. Though it was Saturday, all the depart-ments of the college were in session. The cadet regiment, with more than 400 uniformed men in line and headed by the regimental band, met the excursion train, and was in the midst of a military evoution when the party alighted on Col-

The regiment led the way to Agricultural Hall, where luncheon, provided by the women of the college, was served. After dinner there was a brief speech of me by President Gatch on behalf of the college faculty, and another by President Weatherford for the board of

Lewis and Clark Auxiliary Is Appropriately Entertained. ASHLAND, Or., Feb. 10.—(Special.)—The Ladies' Guild of Trinity Episcopal Church entertained the local committee of women who have in charge the Lewis and Clark Auxiliary today, at the home of Mrs. R. L. Burdic. The house was decorated with appro-

tion and of its nearness and value to the common people. The remainder of the stay was spent in a visit to some of the departments. The chemical laboratories, with 100 students at work with test-tubes

and blow-pipes, attracted much attention.
At Mechanical Hall the wood and fromworking departments were in full operation, as was also the wood, from and stone-testing machine. The train left for the coast at 3:50 o'clock. The party numbered nearly 100, of whom about 40 were members of the Legislature.

SACAJAWEA IN ASHLAND.

priate emblems of the pioneer days, ancient powder-horns, old rifles, snowshoes and moccasins and other relics of the long journey across the plains. In-side of a realistic tepee sat the famous Indian guide, Sacajawea, while pine boughs and snow-covered manzanita formed a most teiling background. Im-mediately adjoining was displayed a large poster of the Lewis and Clark Fair Grounds, showing in vivid contrast the progress of civilization of 59 years. A very large and enthusiastic attendance rewarded the guild for its enterprise, and the interest aroused in the Fair was very gratifying. Souvenirs were given as prizes to the visitors, consisting of sliver spoons, plates and a bronze statue of

Sacajawes.

A handsome sum was obtained for the advertising of the Fair.

SCHOOL BONDS SELL WELL. New Building and Sites Will Be Pur-

chased by Commissioners. NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Feb. 11. (Special.)—The bond issue of \$25,000 for a new school building and two additional sites was sold this afternoon to the state at 4 per cent interest at par. There were ten other bidders, at interest running at from 5 to 6 per cent, and premiums run-

ning from \$2500 to \$1700.

The school population of this city is now over 2000. Chairman Sinciair, of the Board of County Commissioners, was empowered to purchase an additional site for the new \$75,000 courthouse to be built here this year.

Teachers Receive Certificates.

ASTORIA, Or., Feb. 11 .- (Special.)-The examinations for county and state teachers' certificates, which have been in progress here during the past three days, were completed today. County certificates were issued as follows: First grade sea's favor, the elder Miller and Elsea -Mrs. A. E. Huden, Astoria; Mrs. Marcame to blows. This was over a year ago. garet Grant Barry, Astoria; Miss 1 ior-W. H. Miller, the accused man, told a ence P. Reynolds, Warrenton; C. E. straightforward story today. He denied that he had ever made any threats against B. Gilman, Hammond; Miss N. E. Morrison, Clifton Third grade-Miss Amelia E. Una. Examinations for state certifi-

Monte Cristi Accepts Control. MONTE CRISTI, Republic of Santo Domingo, Feb. 11.—All is quiet here. control of the customs at this port by

THEORIES ABOUT FOOD

Americans has been accepted by the

Also a Few Facts on the Same Subject We hear much nowadays about health foods and hygienic living, about vegetari-anism and many other fads along the

Restaurants may be found in the large cities where no meat, pastry or coffee is served and the food crank is in his giory and arguments and theories galore advanced to prove that meat was never intended for human stomachs, and almost make up believe that our sturdy ancestors received by the university faculty of make up believe that our sturdy ancestors a prize of \$225 offered by John Bar- who lived fourseore years in robust health been grossly ignorant of the laws of

Our forefathers had other things to do United States, on the relations of this than formulate theories about the food country with the Latin-American reto any kind from bacon to acorny,

A healthy appetite and common sense are excellent guides to follow in matters

bles, meat furnishes the most nutriment in a highly concentrated form, and is digested and assimilated more quickly than egetables and grains.
Dr. Julius Remmson on this subject

says: "Nervous persons, people run down in health and of low vitality should eat meat, and plenty of it. If the digestion is too feeble at first it may be easily cor-rected by the regular use of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets after each meat in Tablets after each meal. Two of a excellent tablets taken after dinner will digest several thousand grains of meat, eggs or other animal food in three hours, and no matter how weak the stomach may be, no trouble will be experiusing Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, because they supply the pepsin and diastase neces-sary to perfect digestion, and every form of indigestion will be overcome by their

That large class of people who come u der the head of nervous dyspeptics should eat plefty of meat and insure its proper digestion, by the daily use of a safe. harmless digestive medicine like Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, composed of the natural digestive principles, pepsin, diastase, fruit acids and saits, which actually perform the work of digestion. Cheap cathartic medicines, masquerading under the name of dyspepsia cures, are useless for indigestion, as they have absolutely no effect upon the actual digestion of

Dyspepsia in all its many forms is sim

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SUITS, OVERCOATS AND RAINCOATS \$15.00 to \$30.00

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ROBBED BY DEPUTY

One of Sheriff Word's Men Turns Bandit

HE HOLDS UP A PEDESTRIAN

Deputy Sheriff H. E. Dodson Commits Highway Robbery and is Afterward Captured and Identified

by Victim-Others Aided.

Deputy Sheriff H. E. Dodson was arested at 3 o'clock this morning by Acting Sergeant of Police Carpenter, and was booked at headquarters by Captain Hun River. It is thought the move-ment of the Japanese was intended to Deputy Sheriff Dodson is alleged to distract attention from the strengthen-Deputy Sheriff Dodson is alleged have held up and robbed William Addison of \$2.60 at the point of a pistol, on Third street, near Pine, in front of "Mysterious Billy" Smith's Atlantic

The victim of the sensational encounter positively identified the prisoner. Two others, who claimed to be deputies, were implicated, but made their escape force of officers was sent out to scour the city for them.

At the station, when searched, Dodson wore a star, and had in his possession the official appointment of Sheriff Tom Word. He was locked in a cell, where he is being held.

RUSSIA MUST SUE FOR PEACE Baron Hayashi Says First Move Must Come From Other Side.

LONDON, Feb. 11 .- Stories purporting to emanate from London concerning negotiations for peace in the Far East find support and no credence in responsible

arters here.
"All my information is quite to the said Baron Hayashi, the Jap. nister today, and therein the intrary, Minister voiced the general opinion of those in a position to know. "I cannot account for the recrudescence of those reports," continued the Minister. tainly I know of no movement in the direction of peace. There is every possibiluation in Russia does not affect Japan's actions or plans. It has not entered into

"Japan is as ready for peace now as he has been since hostilities broke out, but the proposals must emanate from Russia and be such as to assure perma-nent peace and friendly relations between Japan and Russia."

RUMORS OF PEACE ARE RIFE French Statesmen Deny Them, but Russian Court Favors Them.

PARIS. Feb. 11 .-- Another crop of the the European capitals is considerably affecting the Bourse and causing the Embassics to make hasty inquiries at the Foreign Office. Those in the best position to know the facts say the re-ports are unwarranted, as Russia does not show a disposition to solicit or entertain a proposition for peace. Am-bassador Porter seems satisfied that peace is far off, mainly because of Russla's unyleiding attitude. Owing to the political ties between France and Russia and the personalities of M. Delcasse and Count Lamsdorff, the Russian Foreign Minister, the former's Judgment appears to be conclusive. Notwithstanding this, some of the ending Embassies have reports from St. Petersburg saying that court circles are beginning to strongly incline to-wards peace, and banking circles are

also actively promoting the talk of peace as a means of improving the opportunity to place the new Russian Despite these Inferences, ficial view is that peace is as far off MAY SEND AMBASSADOR TO POPE

Probable Action of Turkey When

France Ends the Concordat.

President Weatherford for the board of regents. President Weatherford called attention to the effort of the school to be intensely practical in all its instruction, and cited the extraordinary increase in attendance as indicative of the wide popularity of the pian.

Senator Haines, of Washington, was called for, and he responded in an enthusiastic address, in which he spoke of the admirable work done by the institu-

whose relations with France at that time | tiating with the men, who will make were strained, informed the pope that known their demands on Monday next. were strained, informed the pope that he intended to accredit a representative to the holy see. When Emperor William went to Jerusalem, he urged the Sultan to do so, and through Baron von Hertlin, who was sent on a special mission to Rome, tried to persuade the Pope to ac-cept the Sultan's offer. Cardinal Rampolls, then papel secretary of state, is understood to have taken the ground that the action of the Sultan was merely a move to displease France, so the pontiff refused. Now, it is asserted at the Vatican, matters may take a different turn.

TRY TO DECEIVE THE ENEMY

Japanese Move Large Forces While They Strengthen Defenses. MUKDEN, Feb. 11.—During the last few days the movement of large bodies of troops has been observed on the Russian right flank, where the presence of a part of General Nogi's army has been established. The Japanese are energetically fortifying the villages of Vandzyanopu, Yatzupao and Maland zan, southward of Sandepas, and also the districts of Toutilzi, Tszutsahedzi and Huanti on the right bank of the

NEW RUMORS ABOUT GENERALS

ing of their defensive works.

Grippenberg May Resume Command and Kuropatkin is Incapable. ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 11.-There is Kuropatkin and General One of them is that Vice-Admiral Bezo-brazoff has gone to Irkutsk to try and

persuade General Grippenburg to return to Manchuria. General Grippenburg's ill-ness is declared to be not serious. Another is to the effect that Admiral Abasia, director of the committee in the Far East, is not on a peace mission, but is to report to the Emperor the truth concerning allegations made that General Kuropatkin is no longer fit to command.

HILL CAPTURED BY JAPANESE

Russians Continue Bombardment-Their Losses in Last Battle. TOK10, Feb. 11.-The Japanese cap-

tured an eminence south of Chang-chichia, on Thursday morning, February 9, driving off two companies of Russian infantry. The Russians have continued-shelling Field Marshal Oyama's center and left since Thursday last.

The Russian dead who were buried after the battle of Helkoutsi totaled 2000

STRIKE IN LOCOMOTIVE SHOPS

Four Thousan J Men at Kharkoff Join in Movement.

KHARKOFF, Feb. II.-Four thousand employes of the railway engine works have struck. The authorities are nego-

RUSSIAN SHIPS HAVE TO LEAVE They Anchor at German-African Port, but Governor Orders Them Out. ZANZIBAR, Feb. 11.—Russian cruis-ers from Dar-er-Salaam anchored in

board a yacht, discovered the Russian vessels and requested them to leave. They compiled with the request and the Governor's ship followed them. New Squadron Will Sail in Week. ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 12 (12:15 A. M.) -The Admiralty confirms the statement that Admiral Nebogatoff's division of the

German waters this morning. Major von Goetzen, Governor of German East Africa, who was going to Zanzibar on

CAN INDICT HIM FOR MURDER Coroner Says He Has Evidence to Satisfy Grand Jury.

Russian third Pacific squadron will sail from Libau at the end of the present

CHICAGO, Feb. 11 .- "We already have sufficient evidence ou which to hold Hoch to the grand jury," was the positive state-ment made by Coroner Hoffman today. The Coroner intimated that he attached most importance to a final report of the analysis of the internal organs of Marie Welcker-Hoch, which cannot be completed until a week from next Monday. The analysis thus far established the fact that there was arsenic in the woman's stom-

nesday is for the purpose of giving the police further opportunity to continue in-vestigations and to procure witnesses.

According to a special from Ottumwa, Ia., photographs have led to the identifi-cation of Hoch as a man who, on January 5, 1898, married Miss Anna Pratt of that city. The marriage took place after a few days' acquaintance, and on the day following the man disappeared with dia-monds, jewels and money belonging to the woman amounting to \$900.

FIFTEEN MEN IN WATER. Steamer Stevens Turns Turtle, but Only Two Men Are Missing.

ASTORIA, Or., Feb. 12 (2:30 A. M.)-The steamer James B. Stevens turned turtle and sank last evening just below Westport, having struck a sunken pile. There were 15 men aboard. They were within 200 yards of the shore, and all but two were accounted for this morning. The btainable. The current sets strong increw had no time to launch boats before the steamer turned over. It is believed the two missing men reached shore.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY. LOST-DIAMOND LOCKET, 6 STONES, Pic-

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