Nemesis of Grafters Undisturbed by Loss of Cases on Appeal.

OUTLINES HIS PROGRAMME

Announces That Williamson and Hermann Will Be Tried at Some Time-Enlists the Aid of James Cole.

Undisturbed by court decisions unfavorable to two of his pet prosecutions, the Oregon land frauds and the San Francisco grafts, Francis J. Hency arrived in Portland yesterday morning, wearing the same old smile. His day was a busy one, so busy in fact that he missed his favorite burklish bath after a day's hard work. Hency spent part of the morning and a greater part of the afternoon in the United States Attorney's office on the third floor of the Postoffice building. With the newspaper men his discussed the decision of the United States Court on the Williamson case, talked about the graft case decision, and held a conference with James Cole, who until the other day was Assistant United States Attorney.

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The result of the conference with Mr. Cole will be that the latter will render assistance, not only to Heney, but to Judge T. C. Becker, who is on his way to Portland to assist Mr. Heney. Mr. Heney also called upon W. C. Bristol, but there was no discussion of the affairs of the office here or in Washington.

Works on Hall Case.

Mr. Hency lost no time in getting down to work on the John H. Hall case, the trial of which is to begin on Monday-Between calls of visitors, ranging from Between calls of visitors, ranging from land-fraud defendant attorneys to those who dropped in socially, he worked on preparations for the big legal battle that is soon to begin. Mr. Heney is not giving a diagram of his intentions as to the other tand-fraud cases, nor is he telling much about what he expects to do in the Hall case. He did say, in speaking of the Hermann case, that when the trial is reached. Williamson will be tried with is reached, Williamson will be tried with Hermann. He intimated that this trial would be held before Williamson is given a new trial on the case that the United

a new trial on the case that the United States Supreme Court has just remanded.

Mr. Hency has said that after trying out the Hall case he will return to San Francisco and resume the trials of the graft cases. His movements, however, will undoubtedly depend on the attorneys for Cathoun, whose trial is pending. Should there be a postponement in the Cathoun case or in the other cases pending in San Francisco it would not be ing in San Francisco, it would not be surprising to see Mr. Hency remain in Portland and take up the Hermann case as soon as possible after the Hall trial. Mr. Hency refused to discuss his actions further than the Hall case. It is evident that he is not going to "tip" his hard, either to the land-fraud defendants in Oregon, or to those who have been indicted for grafting in San Francisco. This is not the only thing that Heney refused to discuss. Beyond saying that the relationship between himself and W. C. Bristol had not changed in the least, he declined to talk on that subject. He admitted that Mr. Bristol would not take part in the Hall trials or any of the pending land-fraud cases. He denied with a great deal of emphasis the afory sent out from Washington, crediting him with saying that he considered ing him with saying that he considered action of the President in withdrawing Mr. Bristol's name the right thing to do. This story and others of similar nature, credited to him in interviews, he

branded as untrue and was harsh in his Not Worried by Decisions.

criticism of the writers.

Mr. Heney was not any more alarmed over the threat of Hall's attorneys to protest the Federal grand jury because the ventre was principally drawn from the Willamette Valley and not from Eastern Oregon, where the crime is al-leged to have been committed, than he was over the court decisions against him. While he admits that he has not read the decision in full, he says that it will not affect those cases that are set to be tried. He feels the same assurance in regard to the graft cases, for he is confident that with the great number of indictments handing over Ruef and Schmitz, he will be able to secure con-

Another thing that Mr. Hency would bt discuss was Senator Fulton's open iter. The fact that the Senator had anded him as "a malfclous har" afd not send the great prosecutor into a flight of temper. He did promise before leav-ing Oregon that he would devote his at-

Mr. Hency has promised the Municipal sociation that he would speak at orie its meetings on some one of his visits Portland and it is known that John Bain is anxious to have him speak while in the city at this time. It may be that Mr. Heney will take this opportunity to give Senator Fulton the satisfaction that he has demanded. Some one told Mr. Hency yesterday that Schator Pulton and Mr. Hency at once said that if he should be, he would be placed on the should be, he would be placed on the stand as a witness in the Hall case. The decision of the United States Supremy Court in the United States Supreme Court has not reached Mr. Hency yet, but he expects to receive a copy of it in a few days.

Other Cases Not Affected.

"The decision will not affect the other cases," said Mr. Henry. "Judge De Haven ruled with the Supreme Court's decision when the Williamson trials were held before him. The same question was argued out before Judge Hunt. It was shown to Judge Hunt that the document did set out the allegations both as to the filing of the papers and the final proofs. The inpapers and the final proofs. The in-dictment was drawn with the use of technical terms common to the land office and to one familiar with that department it is very clear. The same point was explained before the Court of Appeals in the Dr. Van Gesner-

point was explained before the Court of Appeals in the Dr. Van Gesner-Biggs cases and we had no trouble with it.

"If I understand the decision, it means that the timber and stone act will have to be revised. If it is not, any one can go into the market and make a business of buying these lands, for it throws the gates wide open."

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Canberry Sauce.

WILL NOT RELAX PROSECUTION

Government Will Only Await Ap-

peal From Judge Lewis.

tessation in the prosecution of land-fraud cases in Colorado and other Western states, although the decisions of Judge Lewis have made it necessary to change the procedure in some re-pects. It is pointed out by the of-Belals of the department that pending an appeal from Judge Lewis decisions, which will be expedited in the Supreme Court as rapidly as possible, there would be no advantage in bringing further criminal proceedings on similar charges except such as might be necessary to avoid the operation of the statute of limitations. In cases in which there is danger of prospective defendants securing immunity by rea-

statute of limitations. In cases in which there is danger of prospective defendants securing immunity by reason of the expiration of time, it is intended to have indictments brought within the time limits, but not to ask for further trials until the pending quostions are settled.

It is stated positively that there is no change in the purpose, either of the interior Department or the Department of Justice, to continue actively the prosecution of land-fraud cases, and the only change which has taken place is that which necessarily followed Judge Lewis' decision. Judge Lewis' decision

It also is stated that an arrangement had been made by which a strict di-vision of the work in these cases between the two departments has been hald down, so that hereafter the De-partment of Justice will undertake no partment of Justice will undertake no preliminary investigation, but such work will be done wholly by the Interior Department, which will have control of the cases until they are fully ready for prosecution.

When these have been certified to the Department of Justice for legal action, either in the matter of criminal pressention, or for civil proceedings.

prosecution or for civil proceedings for the protection of some of the rights of the Government, the matter will be wholly under the direction of the Department of Justice and all steps will be taken and all negotiations must be conducted with that department and its officials.

VOTERS OF THAT PARTY.

Total Registration for the Week Is 1895-Nearly All Are Enrolled as Republicans.

Democrats are a scarce article in Portand this season. Judging by the registrations of the past week, there must be about a corporal's squad of Democracy's followers to the precinct, "Prohis," Socialists, independents and people ashamed to reveal their political persuasion are likewise few. The G. O. P. is getting subatantially all the registered voters thus far.

The registration of Republicans during

the first week of registration, concluded yesterday afternoon, did not fall below the 200 mark on a single day. On only one day did the Democratic hosts marshal out more than 50 voters. And that one day was productive of 68,

Citing figures the registration books showed last night that 1895 persons had registered within the week. Of these, 1548 oasted Republican persuasion, while 312 boasted Republican persuasion, while 312 confessed that they were of the Democracy. Thirty-five stood out for the various minor parties, such as Prohibitionists, Socialists and the like. Some talk a dozen made a state secret of their faith and with show of great mystery declined to name the party of their affiliations.

Thursday proved to be the liveliest day from a registration standpoint. The Reference of the standpoint of the standpoint of the standpoint. from a registration standpoint. The publicane recruited 294 voters and the Democrats 68 on that day. The proportion on other days of Republicans against Democrats was: Monday, 218 to 42; Tues-day, 247 to 45; Wednesday, 244 to 54; Friday, 218 to 51; Saturday, 227 to 52.

With something like 24,000 voters to register, the County Clerk's force has a big task ahead. The work has been assigned to Herman Schneider, Deputy County Clerk, and an expert in such work. He has three assistants at this time, and the force will be increased as the press of voters requires.

Everyone must register this year. The party who disposed of that important duty a year ago and hence feels himself immune is suffering under a wrong impression. This is the year for new registrations, and none can escape who would vote. The districts, too, are altogether different. For example, the voter who has claimed the distinction of living in, say, District 58, will find on calling at the Courthouse that he is now honoring District 72. Other districts are changed in proportion, with but few exceptions.

DAVENPORT TO LECTURE

Cartoonist Will Tell of Trip Into the Arabian Descrt.

Arrangements were completed yesterday by which Homer Davenport, who is in Oregon on a visit to his father at Silverton, will deliver his famous lecture on the Arabian desert and his recent expedition into the interior of that little-known corner of the world, consport that he would devote his attention to the Fulton matter and it is seven that he would devote his attention to the Fulton matter and it is seven the Fulton controversy will be be fully aired in the Hall trial, or he will do so from the speaker's form.

The Hency has promised the Municipal solution that he would speak at one is meetings on some one of his visits in the story of his remarkable journey made by special permission of the Sultan of Turkey. As a result of this favor from the Sultan on his advention of the story of his remarkable journey made by special permission of the Sultan on his advention of the story of his remarkable fourneyments of the story of his remarkable fourneyments of the story of his remarkable fourneyments of the story of his remarkable fourneyments. at the White Temple on the night of favor from the Sulfan on his adven-turous trip into the desert Mr. Daven-port bought and imported into this country the only absolutely pure blooded Arabian horses that have ever been brought to the United States from the Orient. The famous artist was daken into brotherhood by the various reigning Arab shelkhs and received most

reigning Arab shelkhs and received most unusual bonors from the native princes of that land of romance and mystery, in many instances he was the first white man to penetrate the regions visited and his story of the incidents and adventures of the trip are as interesting as "The Arabian Nights."

Mr. Davenport, as is well known, is a native son of Oregon, having been born to the Walde Hills and no citizen of in the Waldo Hills, and no citizen of

DINNER AT THE SARGENT

Table d'Hote Tonight Only 75 Cents. Served 4 to 8 P. M.

This dinner is cextra fine.. Study



WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—It was cafe Noir. stated officially at the Department of Try the Sargent Hotel, Grand and Haw-Justice today that there would be no therme avenues.

UP FOR CAMPAIGN

Next Two Months Will Be Budding Season for Political Ambitions.

ENTRIES CLOSE MARCH 29

Nominating Petitions Under Primary Law Must Be Filed on or Before That Date-Sharp · Fight for Sheriff.

Next two months will be budding time for the ambition of many candi-dates for office, for the law says all aspirants for primary nomination must file their petitions, fully signed, with Secretary of State, before March 29. If they seek an office in the state at large or in a district composed of several counties. If they seek a county office they must file not later than April 2. The primaries will be held April 17 and state and district petitions must be filed not less than 20 days be-fore that date and county petitions not less than 15 days.

One of the sharpest fights will be that for Sheriff, between Tom Word, who will probably be the Democratic nominee, and the Republican candidate, who will be either Robert L. Stevens, the present incumbent, or George Mc-Millan. Between Stevens and McMillan there promises to be some compe-tition for the Republican nomination. While booms have been started for John Annand, Councilman, and W. L. Lightner, County Commissioner, for the Republican nomination, they are not expected to enter the race. Lightner is said to prefer running for County

That Stevens is in stronger postion than two years ago, when he won the Republican nomination and defeated Tom Word, is admitted by most ob servers. But Stevens will be fought by the County Court, headed by Judge Webster, and by the Jack Matthews

Fight for Clerk's Office?

Another fight, looked forward to with some interest, has been a promised contest for the office of County-Clerk, between F. S. Fields, who is nearing the end of his third term, and Colonel Charles E. McDonell. McDonell has been urged to run by many of his friends, but supporters of Fields. his friends, but supporters of Fields aver that McDonell has announced be will not enter the contest.

There will be a warm fight for the

There will be a warm fight for the Republican nomination for Congress in the Second District, comprising most of Eastern Oregon and Multnomab, Columbia and Clatsop Counties in Western Oregon. T. T. Geer, of Pendieton, has proclaimed himself a candidate, in opposition to W. R. Ellis, Emmett Callahan, of Baker City, will also try to unseat Ellis, George S. also try to unseat Ellis. George S. Shepherd, of Multnomah, is said to be on the point of announcing himself a candidate.

For District Attorney in Multnomah the only avowed Republican candidate thus far is G. C. Moser, formerly dep-uty to District Attorney Manning, A number of other Republicans are talked of, among them J. J. Fitzgerald, Frank S. Bennett and Russell Sewall. That the Democratic candidate will be John two offices of Circuit Judge, held by E. C. Bronaugh and Thomas O'Day.
Among the candidates boomed for office are the following: Manning there is little doubt.

Some of the Aspirants

Sheriff, \$4500, two years— Republican—Robert L. Stavens, George W. McMillan, W. L. Lightner, N. H. Bird, John Annand, Demogratic—Tom M. Word, W. H. Grindstaff, M. J. Malley.

Assessor, \$4500, four years— Republican—B. D. Sigler, A. G. Rush-ight. Demogratic—William Reidt. County Clerk, \$3000, two years—
Republican—F. S. Fields, Sam Lotan,
Charles E. McDonell.
County Treasurer, \$2500, two years—
Republican—John M. Lewis, T. S. Brooke,
County Commissioner, \$3 a day, four

Republican-W. L. Lightner, L. P. W. Republican—W. L. Lightner, L. F. W. Julimby, P. J. Mann, W. B. Steele, Charles leveland, John F. O'Shea, A. N. Wills, leorge M. Hyland, William Deveny. School Superintendent, \$2500, four years—Republican—R. F. Robinson.

Surveyor, \$150 a month, two years-Republican-Philo Holbrook, Jr. Republican—William Reid, J. W. Bell, red L. Olsen, T. B. McDevitt. One clerk

to be appointed. One Constable, \$1500, two years— Republican—Charles Mauts, Lou Wagner, Frank Snow, Robert Brady. Two deputies

to be appointed.

Circuit Judge, \$4000, two years—
Republican—E. C. Bronaugh, L. A. MeNary, D. Solis Cohen, Waldemar Seton,
George J. Cameron, A. T. Lewis, J. E.,
Magers, W. R. McGarry, Democratic—
Oglesby Young, R. W. Montague, Thomas
G. Greene, J. V. Beach,
Circuit Judge, \$4000, four years—
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Republican—Robert G. Morrow, William Reid, M. C. George. Democratic—Thomas

Republican-Gus C. Moser, J. J. Fitzgerald, Frank S. Bennett, Russell B. Sewall, Ralph E. Moody. Democratic—John Manning, Joh Van Zante, Mark O'Nelli, A. F. Flegel, W. T. Vaughn, James Gleason, Newton McCoy. Coroner, \$1000, two years— Republican—J. P. Finley, Congress, First Djatrict, \$7500, two years—

Republican—W. C. Hawley. Congress, Second District, \$7500, two years— Republican—W. R. Ellis, T. T. Geer

Supreme Judge, \$4500, six years—
Republican—R. S. Bean, C. U. Gantenbein,
nomas Melride, Democratic—T. G. Hailey,
Two Railroad Commissioners, \$4000 cach, four years—
Republican—C. B. Altchison, of Portland;
M. C. Campbell, of Portland; T. K. Campbell,
of Roseburg; James U. Campbell, of Oregon
City; Grant B. Dimck, of Oregon City;
Dairy and Food Commissioner, \$2000, two

years—
Republican—J. W. Balley, of Portland.
Seventy-five members of the Legislature, 80
Representatives, 15 Senators, 13 Representatives Multinomah, 5 Senators Multinomah.
Circuit Judges and Prosecuting Attorneys

Provisions of the Law.

Before, or at the time of beginning to circulate any petition for nomination to any office under this law," says the direct primary law, "the person who is to direct primary law, the person who is to be a candidate for such a nomination, shall send by registered mail or other-wise, to the Secretary of State or the County Clerk or City Clerk, Recorder or Auditor, as the case may be, a copy of is petition for nomination, signed by

The number of signatures required on nominating petition "shall be at least per cent of the party vote in the electoral district (for Representative in Congress), provided that the whole num-ber of signers required on a nominating

petition, under the provisions of this law for any office to be voted for, in the state at large or in a Congressional District, shall not exceed 1000 nor in any other case shall the whole number required exceed 500 signers." Only those may sign primary petitions who are registered as to their party membership. The total number of votes cast for Representatives in Congress in June, 1906, in resentatives in Congress in June, 1966, in Oregon's two districts and the number of signers required on a nominating petition for each party are as follows:

Votes Cast in 1906.

First District-Votes for Hawley, Republican candidate, 21,120; signera required on petitions for Republican n nation for Congress and for Railroad Commissioner for First District, to suc-Commissioner for First District, to succeed T. K. Campbell, 462; votes for Galloway, Democratic candidate, 19,340; signers required on petitions for Democratic nomination, 387; signers must represent at least one-fourth of the counties in the district and at least one-tenth of the precincts in each of such counties.

Second District—Votes for Ellis, Republican candidate, 28,394; signers required on petitions for Republican nomination for Congress and for Railroad Commissioner to succeed C. B. Aitchison, 368; votes for Graham, Democratic candidate, 12,151; signers required on petitions for Democratic nomination, 243; signers to

for Democratic nomination, 243; signers to present same proportion of counties and precincts in each county as in First

State at large-Votes for Republican candidates in both districts, 51,514; signers required on petitions for Republican nomination for state-at-large offices, 1000; votes cust for Democratic candidates for Congress in both districts, 31,495; signers needed on petitions for Democratic nomination for state-at-large offices, 630; signers for both parties to represent at least seven countles and at least onetenth of the precincts in each of such

Signatures to Petitions.

Petitions for nomination for county offices must contain signers representing at least one-fifth of the precincts in the county. In petitions for nomination for district offices, for more than one county, the signers shall represent at east two counties and at least one-eighth of the precincts in each county, For nominations in Multnomah County,

the number of signers required on a Republican primary petition will be 245 and on a Democratic 76. The vote by counties for Representa-tive in Congress in June, 1966, was as

COUNTIES.	Int Dist.		2d Dist.		
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The number of signers needed on pri mary petitions in each county or in each district of more than one county can be determined by taking 2 per cent of the party vote for Congress in each election area, which will be the number. The re-

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Benton	15	23 Linn		41	140
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Columbia	7	19 Morrot	W	13	13
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Iosephine	19		ngton		
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DEATH OF ESTIMABLE SELL- I



Mrs. A. J. West, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Irle, in Sellwood, Sunday, January 5, was born in Boone County, Kentucky, June 4, 1524. Shortly after her mar-riage to A. J. West in 1854, she removed with her husband to near Prescott, Pierce County, Wisconsin, where she spent the greater part of her life. Mrs. West was left a widow 12 years ago, Mr. West dying at St. Paul Park, Minn. After the death of her husband, she resided with her son in St. Paul, and three years ago came to Port Part of this time Mrs. spent with her daughter. W. Beers, at Santa Barbara,

Mrs. West was a woman of charming character and her friends are legion. She enjoyed splendid health until but a few weeks before her death. The likeness reproduced herewith is from a photograph taken when

Mrs. West was 71 years old.

Mrs. West is survived by four children; W. H. West, of St. Paul; Mrs. C. W. Beers, of Santa Barbara. Cal.; C. W. West and Mrs. William Irle, of Sell-wood.

SIXTH ANNUAL CONVENTION IS HELD IN THIS CITY.

Interesting Lectures and Discussions Follow Reports of Officers. Dr. O. F. Akin, President.

At the sixth annual meeting of the Oregon Osteopathic Association, which convened yesterday at the Imperial Hotel, the following officers were elected to serve during the coming year: President, Dr. Otis F. Akin, Portland; first vice-president, Dr. C. T. Samuels, Baker City, second vice-president, Dr. Gertrude Gates, Portland; secretary, Dr. Mabel Akin, Portland; treasurer, H. F. Leonard, Portland, A board of trustees composed of the following members was also elected: Dr. B. P. Shepard, Dr. Ciara MacParlane, Dr. R. B. Northrup, Portland; Dr. H. C. P. Moore, LaGrande; Dr. H. L. Studley, Eugene.

The opening session of the association At the sixth annual meeting of the Ore-

The opening session of the association was called to order at 2:30 o'clock by President Hoisington, of Pendleton. Adiresses were delivered by the pres dresses were delivered by the president and Dr. Otis F. Akin. Prayer was offered by the Rev. J. Whitcomb Brougher. Reports were rendered by the secretary, treasurer, trustees and legislative committee. Dr. H. C. P. Moore read a report of the meeting of the American Ostoopathic Association, held at Jamestown in August.

The afternoon session opened at 1:30

The afternoon session opened at 1:30 o'clock and was devoted to lectures on the theory and disgnosis of diseased con-ditions and methods of treatment. At the concluding session held at 7:30 o'clock, in addition to the election of offleers, papers were read on gynecology and obstetrics.

About 49 members of the association were present from all parts of the state. Prior to the opening of the concluding Fror to the opening of the concluding session, Loe delegates were tendered a banquet at the Oregon Grill. Dr. R. B. Northrup acted as toastmaster. Responses were made by Drs. F. El Moore, B. P. Shepard, C. T. Samuels and Otis F. Aam, Following is the complete programme of the meeting:

Morning session—
Call to order by President
President's address, Dr. G. S. Holeington
Prayer Rev. J. Whitcomb Brougher
Address of welcome. Dr. Otis F. Akin
Reading of constitution and code of Reading of constitution and code of ethics by Secretary Report of secretary. Dr. Mabel Akin Report of treasurer. Dr. C. E. Walker Report of trustees. Dr. R. B. Northrup Report of legislative committee. Pr. W. A. Rogers Report on legislation. Dr. F. E. Moore Report of A. O. A. meeting. Dr. H. C. P. Moore Afternoon session.

Open parliament. Questions.conducted by Dr. W. N. Arnold Evening session— Gynecology and Obstetrics," Dr. Cylthie J. Ramsey, Dr. Clara Macfarlane, Dr. Mabel Akin and Dr. M. T. Schoettle,

THEATER PASSES STOLEN

Boys Rob the Box Office of Vaudeville Resort.

Some time on Thursday last, during the absence from the Grand Theater of Anthony A. Bianchi, who acts us the general advertising agent for the Grand. Heilig, Lyric, Baker and Star Theaters, some one broke open and robbed the private locker of Bianchi, in which he kept his papers and advertising passes for the several theaters which he represents. As a great many of these passes had been signed they were good for admission to the respective theaters and it is believed that a number of false admissions of the theaters considerable worry, as there it was feared that the theaters would be flooded with the stolen passes.

Woodburn, are at the Oregon. Mr. Settlemer is engaged in the nursery business.

Mr. and Mrs. Du. that a number of false admissions have been obtained on them since the robbery was committed. The loss oc-casioned Bianchi and the management

Last night the suspicious actions of two small boys attracted the attention of the janitor of the Columbia building opposite the Star Theater. The had retired to a closet on the fourth floor and had locked themselves in. He telephoned the police station and Detective Coleman arrested the boys. They were about 12 years old and were well dressed. In their pockets there were found scores of the stolen theater passes. When questioned they asserted that they had received the passes from another boy. Twere taken in hand by two other tectives and were taken away from the

identity of the boys is not known and the police refused to throw any light on the matter. The boys were

DR. J. S. DEWEY DEAD Lakeview Physician Passes Away

After Brief Illness.

E. D. Dewey, of 551 Union avenue, North yesterday received a telegram from Glendale, Or., announcing the death of his brother, Dr. J. S. Dewey, of Lakeview, Or. Dr. Dewey went to Glendale a week ago on a visit to his brothers. Soon after his arrival in Glendale he was taken ill with pneu-monia, his condition growing steadily worse until his death at noon yester-

Dr. Dewey was born in Iowa 49 years ago and came to Oregon in 1877. During the past 20 years he has resided in Lakeview, being well-known as a dentist in Southern Oregon and Northern California. In addition to his wife, Mrs. Dala Dewcy, of Lakeview, and his father, J. D. Dewcy, of Gresham, the following brothers and sisters survive him: Mrs. Maggie Crow, of Gresham; Mrs. Sarah Boyd, of Sacra-mento, Cal.; Miss Ida Dewey, of Mabton, Wash.; J. A. and Philip Dewey. of Glendale; Mrs. Annie Penney, and E. D. Dewey, head of the mailing department of The Oregonian Arrangements for the funeral have not yet been completed.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ross, of Baker City, N. C. Evans, a Hood River fruitgrower, was at the imperial yesterday.
Superintendent C. W. James, of the
State Penitentiary, was in the city yes-

G. Steiner, a pioneer business man, of William N. Froede, one of the largest

stockraisers of Wasco County, was at the Imperial yesterday. P. A. Seufert, a Columbia River salmon packer, was registered at the Imperial yesterday from The Dalles.

Mrs. Puter and daughter, wife of S. A. D. Puter, arrived from Berkeley yesterday morning. They are guests of the

OREGON OSTEOPATHS MEET H.G. Reed, Manager of the Reed-French Co., Has a Swell Proposition for the Prospective Piano Buyer.

This Week Profit is Cast to the Winds, Cash Does the Talking.

A \$400 Piano for \$250; a \$350 Piano for \$210.

There comes a time in everyone's life when immediate money counts for much more than its real worth. New York brokers have been known to pay five hundred per cent for money. It is no uncommon thing for speculators to pay a hundred per cent. It is not an unusual thing for manufacturers to sell at loss to clean up stock. It is always the case after Xmas for stores to sell excellent goods at cost to keep the required amount of cash in their business.

We know many instances of first-class merchants making a strong bid for immediate cash. It is a whole tot better to sell for a little while, with-out profit, than it is to increase one's indebtedness beyond the prudent point.

H. G. Reed, the manager of the Reed-French Co., has thrown down the Burnside, Monday sure.

The finest plane you ever saw for \$250. This plane in tone quality, appearance and in guarantee is the equal of any piane on the market. For \$210 he will give you a beautiful instrument absolutely without parallel so far as tone is concerned (price considered).

The only favor Mr. Reed asks is that the first payment will not be less than \$50 down, and no installment will be received for less than \$10. To the plane buyer this is an opportunity that is utterly impossible to obtain in a retail store. See Bert Reed, secretary of the Reed-French Co., Sixth and

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ONE MONTH FOR GOING TRIP SIX MONTHS FOR RETURN TRIP STOPOVERS AT PLEASURE WITHIN LIMITS

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Sunshine, floral festivals, endless drives through orange orchards laden with golden fruit; splendid beaches, surf bathing, thriving cities, palatial hotels and resorts, and many other attractions, combine to make it the most attractive place in America at this season of the year.

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are registered at the Portland. Mr. Hafer is recovering from a serious illness and was only yesterday removed from the hospital to the hotel.

Samuel H. Nicholas, Secretary of State of Washington, was registered at the Oregon yesterday. He left last night for San Francisco to attend a meeting of Pacific Coast fire insurance agents.

Judge Geo. H. Williams, who has been confined to his home from the effects of a cold contracted on New Year's Day, is rapidly recovering. He will be able to visit his offices as soon as the weather moderates. Mrs. S. Sliverfield, Miss Ruby Silver-field and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Danziger left Thursday to attend the wedding of Mr. A. L. Danziger, and Miss Rhoda Greenhood, a society belle of San Fran-

SOLDIER MAY LOSE EYE

Stranger Breaks Beer Glass in Face of Ernest Schmitz.

Ernest Schmitz, a soldier of the Fourth company of Coast Artillery was seriously injured last night in a row in Blazier's saloon at 248 Burnside street and may be discharged from the Army as a result, as it is feared that he has lost the use of one of his eyes. Schmitz is very much worried over the number of companions and spending his money freely, when a stranger tried to force his company upon the crowd. An argument ensued in which the stranger picked up a glass and struck Schmitz in the face with it. The glass broke and one of the frag-

The glass broke and one of the fragments cut an ugly triangular gash in
Schmitz's eyeball. The stranger ran
down the street and escaped.

Dr. Ralph A. Fenton was summoned
and dressed Schmitz' wound. He gave
the opinion that the injury was serious
and held out no hope that the eye
could be saved. The injured man was taken to the Dewey House, and the matter reported to the police.

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Mrs. X. F. Failing, owner of Pontland realty valued at a fortune, isseed to appear in the County Court January 22 and show cause why she should not support her indigent brother, C. W. Barrett. The brother wants \$50 a month from Mrs. Failing. In his petition to the court he says he is mentally and physically unable to support himself. At present he is dependent on public charity. Barrett rates his sister's fortune at \$500,000 and her monthly income at \$1500, Frequent appeals to her for medded help have gone unheeded, he sets out. Several years ago Barrett brought similar proceedings, but lost.

Young Thief Fears Disgrace.

D. Puter, arrived from Berkeley yester-lay morning. They are guests of the Hotel Lenox.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Settlemier, of rested yesterday afternoon by Deter-

house and Sherill maintains that Peh entered his room and stole the articles mentioned. After he had been placed in the city jail Pehi confessed to hav-ing taken the articles, pleaded that he had never been in trouble before and asked for the withdrawal of the charge, fearing that news of his disgrace would reach his family. He refused to give his father's address.

Wanted in Vancouver, Too. In the arrest at Troutdale several days ago of R. W. Gillette, on a forgery charge, it has developed that the Sheriff's office got hold of a badly wanted crook. Aside from local forgery charges a complaint was filed yesterday by the authorities of Van-couver, Wash, charging Gillette with worthless paper operations in that city. His arrest was effected by Deputy

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Since the dealers will not buy them, I will seil them to any one who will come to take them. I will willingly accept the dealer's price. Yes, I will do more than this—I will accept the actual factory cost to build these planos. I have only a few days to devote to this matter, for I must return East at once. If you want a fine piano and want one without paying a dollar of profit this side of the factory that made them, now is your chance.

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