#### EASTERN STATES.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.-Henry Villard made an asignment to-day, for the beneat Villard in the assignment is the block bounded by fiftieth and fifty-first streets son avenue front. The property is said to be worth \$1,000,000. The property recently conveyed by Villard to his legal advisers is expressly excluded from the convey-ance to the assigness. Other real property possessed by Villard is a handsome summer residence at Dobb's Ferry, on the Hudson, worth about \$250,000. The amount of indebtedness to the Oregon Railway and Navigation Compuny is not ascertained, nor could any information be obtained as to liabilities. It is said he is the owner of a large interest in other companies, and that his wife holds government bonds to the amount of \$500,000 No acurate statements of his assets, however, are obtainable to night, and Villard

More of the Meeting of Directora. New York, Jan. 4 .- At the Northern Pacific meeting Messrs. Morgan, Billings, appointed a committee to consider what to the retirement of Villard. Villard's call a special meeting for the election of a president.

is still too ill to receive visitors.

The lirectors a lopted a resolution complimentary to Villard, and voted him \$10,-000 a year for his services during the time he was president of the company.

A Terrible Holocaust.

Sr. Louis, Jan. 5.-Tue convent of the Sisters of Notre Dame, at Belleville, Illinois, burned at 11 o'clock to-night, involving a loss of from \$100,000 to \$125,000 partially insured. The building was originally erected in 1857, since when two wings have been added. May Campbell, story window and was picked up deal. One other li was lost and several persons are reported injured. The loss of life is much greater than mentioned in last night's dispatch. Instead of twenty, as at first supposed, the total of known deaths is twenty-seven, twenty-two of which are pupils, and five sisters, among the latter the sister superior.

Reporters who returned to Billevil'e to night state that search in the ruins of the convent was resumed between 10 and 11 o'clock this morning, and continued till about 4 o'clock this afternoon; that what were supposed to be the remains of six a !ditional bodies were recovered, but the remains were of so in lefinite a character that it was impossible to determine whether they represent six or more persons.

The funeral of the victims will probably take place to morrow. The remains of Miss Campbell and Miss Wierman were brought here this afternoon, and will be burried to-morrow.

Sr. Louis, Jan. 7 .- Search for the dead at Belleville was resumed this morning. The bodies were all near each other, and mains. A bone was picked up here, and on being drawn from the ruins came loss: from some particles of roasted flesh. Her burned skull was found with an arm, while the trunk, burned into a solid crisp, was dug up immediately under them. It was an awful exhumation and more than once work faltered on account of the sickening It seemed that the d heap would never be exhausted, and every few minutes it was reported that new bodies had been taken out. Shreds of burnt clothing clung to the sickening masses, and it as impossible to identify several bodies, the fire having effaced every line of the countenance and form. Bodies in instances clung together, and the heap, as it indescribable

Tacoma to Be come A Great City NEW YORK, Jan. 5. - The action of the Northern Pacific directors in ordering the completion of the road was the most important matter accomplished. The committee after thoroughly examining the subject, agreed upon Tacoma as the western terminus. Villard's identity with the Oregon Railway and Navigation Company led him to favor Portland. The result of this action will be that Washington territory will be suddenly populated, and Tacoma become a great city.

#### WASHINGTON NEWS.

DECISION IN A BOND CASE.

decision was rendered to-day in one of a President and general manager, Thomas F. of his creditors, to Wm. Endicott, Jr., of series of bondcases from Virginia, namely, Oakes; general superintendent and chief Boston, and Horace White, of New York. Austin Smith against Samuel Greene Howe, engineer, General May Anderson, now He transfers to them his property and treasurer of the city of Richmond. The mansion on Madison avenue, with instruc- question involved is the right of a state to tions to dispose of them at public or pri- refuse to take the coupons of its bonds for vate sale, and apply the proceeds first to taxes, after issuing such bonds with a promthe payment of interest of a mortgage of ise that it would take them in payment of \$200,000 upon the property, and secondly taxes. The suit began as an action for to carry out any existing contracts for trespass in a state court, but was afterwar1 completion of the edifice. And provisions removed to the United States circuit court. scheme is on foot to pool the entire pig iron are made for the payment of any indebted. That tribunal remanded it to the state court industry of the country. The plan is to diness of Villard to the Oregon Railway and on the ground that it did not involve a fed-vide the country into six districts, each to Navigation company. The instrument eral question. The United States supreme be represented in the pool on a basis made further directs that the residue, after the court, however, decides that it does raise up from the tonuage-producing capacity of entire indebtedness is disposed of, shall be a general question, inasmuch as plaintiff the district and the profit-earning capacity turned over to his wife, Mrs. Fannie Gari- alleges that the act of the Virginia legisla- per ton, as shown by the works in past son Villard. Real property included by ture, which virtually repudiated the and Madison and Fourth avenue, including to impair by legislation an obligation con- One of the chief objects of the scheme is to the mansion recently erected upon Madi- tracted. The judgment of the United ascertain the exact product of pig iron in submission of the other Virginia tax-coupon cases, on printed briefs, was set aside, and postponing them three years.

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS.

lemocratic members of the house is propos-A LAND GRANT BILL PREPARED.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7 .- The sen te co.nmittee appointed to consider forfeiture of land grants met to-night and prepared a bill to be reported to the committee on public lands to-morrow. The bill provides for the forfeiture of land grants of seven rail-Cheney, Bullitt, Harris and Belmont were road companies and covers five million acres. The roads are the Gulf and Ship Island, the action should be taken by the board owing Elyton and Beard's Biuff, the Savannah and Albany, the Tuccaloosa and Mobile, the resignation as director was laid on the St. Louis, Irom Mountain and Southern table. The committee was authorized to (formerly the Iron Mountain and Missouri and the Iron Mountain and Kansas), the Mobile and New Orleans, and the Memphis and Charleston. On a majority of these roads Cobb, the chairman of the committee, says little or n . work has been done. The sub committee will consider the Texas Pacific land grant at the next meeting.

AMERICAN HOG VS FRENCH WINE, WASH NOTON, Jan. 6.-Congressman Calkins proposes on Monday, on the first chance he has, to introduce bills arbitrarily to prohibit the importing of French wines and brandies so long as prohibition upon American hogs is allowed to stand in France. He thinks that congress will be forced to At the same time invite their attention to the fact he believes congress has the right to retali- cents per year in advance. ate for the benefit of our commercial rela-RESOLUTION FOR A CUSTOMS UNION.

American nations to establish an American and the most valuable to you for your money.

and four o clock in the afternoon of said day, to with customs union, says the object of such a We propose to furnish to all desiring, the best At the hour of 30 minutes oast one o'clock in the terests of American countries and furnish more extensive markets for the products of each. The commerce of South America, Central America and Mexico, Townshend says, amounts to about \$7 0.000,000 annually. Imports, mainly manufactured articles, are over \$300,000,000. Of these Great Britain and France furnish a the mother superior's body seemed to be in much larger quantity than the United the center of a ghartly circle of black resays the United States ought to control

all of this commerce. FOLGER ASKS FOR AN APPROPRIATION. WASHINGTON, Jan. 7 .- Treasury reserve one and two dollar notes having come exhausted, Secretary Folger has asked congress for an appropriation of \$150,000, to print four million ones and three million twos. Failing to secure an appropriation, the secretary declares he will have to suspend or decrease the circulalion of small gold and silver notes, and issue notes of arge denomination.

#### CHATTEL MORTGAGE SALE OF PERSON-AL PROPERTY

date, and attorneys fee and costs and disbursments, mortgage being made and delivered to me with the request to take charge of said property and sell the same at public auction, and in accordance with said request I have taken charge of said property and will sell the following described property: One platform spring wagon, one set of back harness, one gray mare about 3 years old, called Bessie and branded F. T. on the left shoulder, also one red roan mare about 12 years old called Kate. The above described prop-

erty will be sold for US gold coin on SATURDAY, JANUARY 12TH, 1884. at the feed stable of E. A. Abbey, in Corvallis, Benton county, Oregon.

Dated this 31st day of December, 1883. SOL KING.

Northern Paul's Officers Sr. PAUL, Jan. 5,-Private alvices from New York give the following as the new WASHINGTON, Jan. 7,-A supreme court list of officers of the Northern Pacific: chief engineer; superintendent of transportation, J. T. Odell, now superintendent of the eastern division.

The Pog Iron Industry to be Poole L. Sr. Louis, Jan. 5 .- The Ape of Steel prints the statement, on the authority of a largely interested iron trade, that a years. Each furnace in a district is to share coupons, was in violation of that provision in the district's share of the general pool, of the constitution that forbids any strife on a basis determined in the same way. States circuit court is reversed and that the country, and this information in the court directed to reinstate the case and hands of the executive committee, having proceed therewith according to law. The authority to shut down, such a step can be ordered at any time, to let the deman ! catch up with the supply, and the profit it was decided that they be argued orally thus be made regular. It is also proposed when reached. This will have the effect of that any district ordered to stop for any reason will draw its profits from the pool as though it were in full blast. The Age WASBINGTON, Jan. 7 .- A cancus of of Siecl says the scheme originated among furnace men in the Lehigh valley, that ed, for an early day. The object is to strong efforts will be made to carry it out consider the policy of the party on sah- among furnace men in other parts of the jects likely to come up durin; the winter, country, and that this is the first public notice of it.

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#### SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is herely given that by virtue of an execu-December 1883 upon a judgment recovered entered 5,146 in Township 10 South Range 6 West Willam and docketed in said court on the 26th day of March ette Meridian, as designated by the plat and surveys 1883 for the sum of ninetynine dollars and ninety- of the U. S. lying west of the road (county road 1883 for the sum of ninetynine dollars and ninetyseven cents with interest thereon at the rate of 8
per cent per annum from and after said day of entry
of Rowland Chambers, on the East by said county

R 321 Estate Agents, Corvallis, Or and the urther sum of twenty-six dollars and sixty-five centa costs, all in favor of W. L. Price and L. G. Price partners under the firm name of Price Eros. half of the East half of said Nortou's claim and on plaintiffs and against J. W. filen and Ann Allen the West by the West line of the N. 1 of the E. 1 of real property described in said judgment and excen- W. and containing 29 acres of land more or less tion as hereinafter described, to satisfy said execution and pay the several sums of money therein named and costs and accrucing costs thereon made. in pursuance thereof and in order to satisfy said excution and pay the several sums of money therein named as aforesaid I have levied upon and will sell for cash in hand at the court house door in the city of Corvallis in Benton County, Oregon, on

SATURDAY THE 2ND DAY OF FEBRUARY 1884. Between the hours of nine o'clock in the morning BY VIRTUE OF A CERTAIN CHATTEL MORT-gays made on the 27th day of September, 1883, by one Wm. Harris and to W. S. Geiffiss, for he sum afternoon of said day, all the right, title and interest of \$150 and interest at 10 per cent. per annum from of the said defendants J. W. Allen and Ann Allen in or to said attached real property named in said exwas uncovered to the eye, was absolutely and said chattel mortgage bein on file in the Clerk's ecution and judgment and therein directed to be office for Benton county, and a certified copy of said | sold and described as follows, to wit : All that portion of the North half of the East half of the donation land claim of Lucius C. Norton, from the Gov Not 5,146 in Township 10 South Range 6 West Williamette Meridian as designated by the plat and surveys of the U. S. lying West of the road (county road as now traveled) running through said premises bounded as follows: On the North by the donation claim of Rowland Chambers; on the East by said county road, on the South by the South line of said North half of the East half of said Norton's claim and on the West by the West line of the N } of the E. 1 of said Norton's claim, all in section 21, T. 10, S. R. 6 W., and containing 29 acres of land more or less in Benton County Oregon. SOLKING, 1w5 Sheriff of Benton County, Oregon

In this city so far we have had a fine winter. In Nov. we had twenty fair and ten stormy days. In Dec., twenty-seven fair and four stormy or rainy days. Up the river they have lots of stormy, rainy weather, I see by the Post.

The schooner Kate and Ann came in on the 1st inst, well loaded with merchandise, a little for most every merchant on the bay, the O. P. R. R. Co., and Siletz Indian reservation. She is now up the river un-

The entertainment and Christmas tree for the benefit of the Band of Hope, which came off in Paelps' hall, on the evening of the 25th of Dec., was well attended and withall a grand success. The people of Newport can't be discounted when they put their heads together to have a good time.

A Bloody Struggle Anticipated. The contest for possession of mining ground on Cayote Creek, long in litigation between Kelly and Ruble, is creating great trouble. At the last term of the court the sheriff was ordered to put Kelly in possession, but Ruble, backed by about twenty armed out-throats, refused to give the officer possession. The sheriff tele-

graphed to Jacksonville for men, who were sent, but were turned back at Grant's Pass by a bogus telegram falsly sent in Kelly's name. To-day the sheriff summoned a p sse of about fifty men, who have already left here. They were well armed, and if possession is refused there will be bloodshed. On the first visit of the Sheriff, several shots were fired at Kelly by Ruble's party, without effect. The party in possession are strongly fortified, but the determination is to enforce the decree of the court at any cost. A heavy rain storm has been prevailing for the last twenty-four hours, and a freshet is anticipated.

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Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an execuion issued out of the Circuit Court of the State o Oregon for the county of Berton on the 19th av o December 1883, for the sum of one hundred and forty-one dollars and nine cents with interest thereon thereof to some friend or neighbor who is not taking at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from the 5th day take peremptory measures in order to remediate the factorial that the Gazerra contains a greater variety of and edy the injustice done to one of the chief products of American export. He thinks congress unquestionally has the rooms that the gazerra contains a greater variety of and partners under the firm name of Connor and Crosso partners under the firm name of Connor and Crosso R. A. Bensell emporationally has the rooms and miscellaneous, fireside and plaintiffs and against J. W. Allen and Ann Allen defendants upon a judgment recovered, entered and delevant is made and the firm name of Connor and Crosso R. A. Bensell emporation of the chief partners under the firm name of Connor and Crosso R. A. Bensell emporation of the chief partners under the firm name of Connor and Crosso R. A. Bensell emporation of the chief partners under the firm name of Connor and Crosso R. A. Bensell emporation of the chief partners under the firm name of Connor and Crosso R. A. Bensell emporation of the chief partners under the firm name of Connor and Crosso R. A. Bensell emporation of the chief partners under the firm name of Connor and Crosso R. A. Bensell emporation of the chief partners under the firm name of Connor and Crosso R. A. Bensell emporation of the chief partners under the firm name of Connor and Crosso R. A. Bensell emporation of the chief partners under the firm name of Connor and Crosso R. A. Bensell emporation of the chief partners under the firm name of Connor and Crosso R. A. Bensell emporation of the chief partners under the firm name of Connor and Crosso R. A. Bensell emporation of the chief partners under the firm name of Connor and Crosso R. A. Bensell emporation of the chief partners under the firm name of Connor and Crosso R. A. Bensell emporation of the chief partners under the firm name of Connor and Crosso R. A. Bensell emporation of the chief partners under the firm name of Connor and Crosso R. A. Bensell emporation of the chief partners under the firm name of Connor and Crosso R. A. Bensell emporation congress unquestionaly has the power to oregon. To all persons who receive sample copies of docketed in said court on the 15th day of April 1883, regulate imports, in spite of a treaty especially where initiative discrimination was
taken on the other side. In other words, which judgment and execution commands me to several sums of money herein before named and the

Now therefore in obedience to said execution and in pursuance thereof and in order to satisfy sal'i exc.u.ion and pay the several sums of money therein named as aforesaid. I have levied upon and will sell

union are to develop the international in- news and general family paper in Oregon and ask all afternoon of said day, all the right, title and interest who need such a thin - to come forward and subscribe of the said defendants, J. W. Allen and Ann Allen, in or to said attached real property name. I in said execution and ju igment, and therein directed to be sold and described as follows, to wit: All that portion of the North half of the East half of the donation tion issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of land claim of Lucius C. Norton from the Government Oregon for the County of Benton on the 19th day of of the United States it being claim No. 43, Not. defendants, commanding me to sell the attached said donation claim, all in Section 21, T. 10, S. R. 6,

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an l costs and disbursements. This summons is published by order of Hon. R. S. Bean, judge of said Court, which said order bears date Nov. 22, 1883.

turned to her mailen name, Sarah A. Nobles, and

for such other relief as may be just and equitable

F. M. JOHNSON, Atty. for Piff. Dated, Dec. 4, 1883.

#### EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned ha been duly appointed executor of the last will and te tament of Ann Baber decea ed by the ouncy Court of the State of caron for Benton County sixting for the transaction of probate business. All persons having claims agains tax est of said.

Ann Baber deceased are required to present them properly verified to me at Elk City, Bento 1 County, Or gon, or at the office of Kels y & Holgate at Cor vallis Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

LOUIS McVAY, Executor.

