CHAS. NICKELL, Editor and Mgr.

THE Rt. Hon. W. E. Gladstone said money without advertising.

THE happiest people in the world are whomsoever he will to give tuition in those who keep out of debt, out of poli- that institution. tics, out of office, shun notoriety, make portunity of doing good.

THE roads throughout Southern Oregon never were in a worse condition, which greatly interferes with business in nearly ever line. It does seem strange that such a fact should exist after so many years of roadwork -a strong commentary on the incompetency of the legislature, which long ago should have put in force laws that would have ensured us roads that could be traveled at any time of the year. It not yet too late to begin. The goodroads question cannot be agitated too

BRADSTREET'S RESUME of the year 1903 shows that the bank clearings of amount San Francisco had \$1,522,198,- ies; Miss Emma Ulrich, usher. 488, and considerably more than one:

year, when they take their regular and Mrs. Caroline Patrick. leave of a month, and their "sick MEDFORD LODGE, A. O. U. W get from \$3 to \$15 per day for their ene, master workman; L. L. Damonthey were to resign in a body their J. M. Dodge, guide; W. I. Vawter, places might be filled by persons who receiver; Chas. Strang, financier; W. would think it a "real soft snap." . P. Carey, juside watch; W. W. Woods,

ALMA MARTIN ESTABROOK'S novel corder. in the February number of Lippincott's Magazine more than confirms the be- Jacksonville .- Adam Schmitt, master lief in her ability to write a good long workman; E. W. Voyle, foreman; W. story. Short fiction from her pen has E. Finney, overseer; James A. Wilson appeared in many magazines and recorder; W. M. Colvig, financier; M won much deserved commendation. M. Taylor, receiver; Fred Luy, watch "Cousin Patricia," her present novel, ier. is a tale of modern life. It entertains, pre-eminently, from beginning to end. Invention is clever throughout, and the climax shows a blending of strength reach the diseased p rtion of the ear and charm in the writing which is There is only one way to cure deaf

improvements on all of its routes lately, this tube is inflamed you have a rumto meet competition, and intends makng more. It has already expended is the result, and unless the inflamma-\$5,000,000 on the central overland route, tion can be taken out and this tube to gain seven hours time from San restored to its normal condition, hear-Francisco to Chicago. It has also fin- ing will be destroyed forever; nine ished the new southern coast road, and which is nothing but an inflament evidently intends to gain a great reduc condition of the mucous surfaces. tion in time by improvements between for the northern travel to Oregon,

Section 20 Points (Caused by Catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circu-Seattle and British Columbia, and for the East via Mount Shasta route.

In an effort to break his wife of the shopping habit John Nelson of Chicago broke her nose and did her other serious injury. She had been beaten into insensibility, there was a five-inch gash over her eye, one rib was fractured, and all the bones in one wrist were broken ble minded. That is the place for a the petitions must be filed with the man who thinks he can break a woman secretary of state. of the shopping habit these days when papers teem with announcements of verified and the signature must be

British subject, who commanded the tion roll of two years ago. In other utes to a number of newspapers and pressed with the solidity of that sort Irish brigade in the Boer army against cases a notary's certific ite will suffice. magazines. his country, was arrested and tried for If the petitions receive the necestreason, following the close of the Boer sary 7,018 signatures before the exwar, and was sentenced to life impris- piration of the time for filing with onment for the crime. At the close of the secretary of state, the direct prithe war, and before he returned to his mary law will then be submitted to native country, his enthusiastic coun- the voters of the state, for approval or him. trymen elected him member of parlia- rejection, at the June election. return to take his seat that he was ap- with the nominating conventions and ous compatriots who fought the losing petitions now in circulation are not fight with the Boers, the British gov- committed to the support of the ernment has released Lynch, and measure, put merely give their aid of although not fully pardoned he is at the effort to have it submitted to liberty and may come and go at will. popular vote in June. It is a triumph for Irish influence and may be credited directly to Sir Thomas Lipton, who made a personal appeal to King Edward on behalf of Lynch. It is the second Irishman who was impris- Mazamas will scale Mount Shasta, oned for political crime that has unless the sentiment of the organizabeen released through the mediation of tion shall change before next sum-Lipton, the other being Patrick A. Mc- mer. Shasta is one of the loftiest Hugh, ex-member of parliament.

"The biggest copper belt in the hazardous mountain to ascend. United States, one lies between the Last summer's trip to Three Sisters will stick his pick into any one of the summits of the three peaks. guiches between those streams." This Mount Baker, in Washington, will is the statement made by L. E. King, probably be climbed by a small party, expressed before death. The funeral of Cripple Creek, Colo., a leading min- as plans are now forming for that ceremonies were largely attended by ing expert, to an Oregonian representa- feat. Few persons have ever reached Portland people and acquaintances tive. Mr. and Mrs. King and Mr. and the extreme teights of Baker. Mrs. H. Banfield came to Portland from Drew, and will remain in the city several days. Mr. Banfield is principal owner of the famous Rainbow mine. and one of the best-known mining men in the state.

Democratic Gimes State Barbers' Law Invalid.

On the ground that the law creating the State Board of Barber Examiners confers arbitrary powers upon that body, and delegates to it rights that should vest solely in the legislature, Judge George, in the State Circuit Court at Portland, lately ren-

By virtue of this decision the Board, composed of J. C. Weis, Frank T. Rogers and H. G. Meyer, finds it self bereft of all the power which heretofore obtained, and incapable of preventing any one who may so desire from engaging in the barber business without qualifications in the tonsorial calling. It also leaves the way open that nothing except the mint can make for H. L. Briggs to continue as manager of the American Barbers' College, at Portland, and he may also employ

The constitutionality of the law an honest living by honest means, fol- was called into question by an attorlow the golden rule, pursue the "even ney, Frank S. Grant, at the trial of the tenor of their way," and neglect no op- case of the State against H. L. riggs on a charge of conducting a barbers' school contrary to law.

> The dictum of Judge George shows that the law lays down no qualifications for barbers and undertakes to invest a body of officials with a discretion which is purely arbitrary at their orchard. The board will appeal to the Suoreme Court.

It is thought that the State Board of Pharmacists will go the same way, as it seems to come within the same constitutional objections.

Society Installations.

MADRONA LODGE, DEGREE OF HONthe far western divisions, which em. OR, Jacksonville .- Mrs. Harriet Thrabrace the citles of San Francisco, Los sher, chief of honor; Mrs. Nellie Huffer, Angeles, Denver, Seattle, Salt Lake lady of honor; Miss Corrinne Linn, City, Portland, Spokane, Tacoma and recorder; Mrs. Alice Ulrich, secretary; Helena, aggregated \$2,851,961,043, as Mrs. Mollie Cameron, treasurer; against \$2,561,189,663 in 1902. Of this Mrs. Lottie Finney, chief of ceremon-

W. H. HARRISON, W. R. C., Central half of the total increase of the division. Point .- President, Mrs. Emma Pleas-Purkeypile; Jr. vice president, Mrs. Marie Rogers; chaplain, Mrs. Kate THE government clerks at Washing: Gibson; treasurer, Mrs. Melissa Elliton are "dreadfully mad" because they ott; secretary, Mrs. Mary E. Fries; are hereafter expected to work seven conductor, Mrs. Lizzie Beal; Pat. Ins., hours a day; but they keep their indig- Mrs. Eva Hanby; press correspondent, nation bottled up with remarkable Miss Mary A. Mee; Color Bearers, success. They work 235 days in the Miss Elia Store, Mrs. Anna Wright

leave" of another month, and, as they W. A. Stewart, P. M. W.; J. E. Clem-

man; Dr. R. G. Gale, medical exam-

Deafaess Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they canno ness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucou THE S. P. Co. has been making great lining of the Eustachian Tube. When bling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness chanic, has been assisting him. We will give One Hundred Dollar-

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An Important Proposition.

when the police rescued her. "She was breaking me, your honor," said Nelson, when brought before Judge every county in the State. A vigor-county. He is charged with largeny. Moyor. "I have to break her shop- ous effort is being made to obtain the ping habit." Nevertheless Nelson was fined and put under bonds. He should have been sent to a retreat for the fee-

Any qualified voter may sign the tion. ARTHUR LYNCH, an Irishman, and a whose names appear on the registra- of versatility and ability and contrib- People are more than ever before im-

ment from Galway, and it was upon his | The purpose of the law is to do away prehended and tried. Softening its thereby but an end to "machine" harsh attitude toward him and his zeal- rule in politics. Voters who sign the

More Mountain Climbing.

peaks on the American continent, being 14,400 feet high, yet is not a

Umpqua and Rogue Rivers in South- was spoiled at the last moment by ern Oregon, and the district is so rich collapse of arrangements. However, in gold that I defy any man to fail in a party of half a dozen Mazamas carfinding a paying placer property who ried the emblem of the club to the



BRIEF MENTION.

Don't forget to register. Jas. Pelton of Sam's Valley spent Thursday in Medford.

Postmaster Miller tarried a short time in Medford Friday. C. A. Pruett did business with our merchants a few days since.

Judge Neil was in Medford Wednes day on professional business. Chas. J. Meier of Gold Hill, the miner, was in Medford Thursday.

Bert Harris has returned from short pusiness trip to Portland. Dr. Holt, the Presbyterian missiona ry, has been in the valley recently.

Geo. W. Lance, Sr , of Gold Hill, the

veteran miner, was, with us Friday. James Davis of Forest Creek will soon become a resident of Trail district. John Nelson and his family have become residents of Forest creek district. Mrs. M. Miller and Miss Jo Orth were in Medford Thursday, on a visit. J. H. Messner, stock inspector, has been at Coles, Calif., on official busi-

Lem Trask is canvassing Jackson iron doors in the rear. The burglars county, in the interest of the Singer

Olwell Bros. have a quantity of wood for sale at a reasonable figure. Apply

Dr. R. G. Gale left for Gardiner, Douglas county, Thursday, and will be gone several days. Eugene Childers is at Sonoma, Calif., assisting his uncle Dick in a number of

plastering contracts. Sheriff Rader was in Gold Hill and vicinity, subpœnaing witnesses in the

Darling divorce case. Eddie Duffy, the popular representa- iron bar used to pry with was found tive of a leading railroad system, has and identified as one stolen from a

been among us lately. Thos. C. Norris, who has been making a business visit at Portland, returned Thursday night.

A. C. Nicholson, a prosperous farmer living a few miles south of Jacksonville, was in our midst Wednesday. Miss Ora Adkins, who has been The great West is rapidly forging auts; Sr. vice president, Mrs. Marie California during the past several months, returned Thursday evening. John Watkins and Al. Yancy have pened another billiard parlor in Eagle

Point, which is well patronized. Simon Shaw and W. H. Moses, who are engaged in mining near the Cali fornia line, were in our town last week. E. B. Dufur and J. L. Hammersley Condor Water & Power Com; any, of of Gold Hill have been at the county- which Mr. Ray is general manager, is

seat recently, on professional business. putting in an extensive electric plant exertion, it is suspected that even if foreman; C. L. McPherson, overseer; day. He is fast recovering from the Gold Hill. It will have a total of with one burglar and killed another, the entire block between Pasadena

> outside watch; A. C. Hubbard, re- sac, Idaho, is among us again, but on- completed \$200,000 or more." ly for a very short time. He will be ac-BANNER LODGE No. 23, A. O.U.W., companied home by his son. Geo. Rey-

Earl Kain of Vancouver, Wash., who has been at Cinnabar for some time past, has returned home. He formerly lived at Jacksouville with his pa-

J. D. Daly, U. S. surveyor-general, will receive bids until Feb. 27, 1904, for the survey of township 38 S., 3 W. The work must be finished before the close of the present year.

J. S. Tucker, one of Trail Creek's most enterprising citizens, is finishing a neat concrete residence. Mr. Lake of Josephine county, an excellent me F. Osenbrugge, local agent for Stude-

baker's vehicles, farming implements, etc., on Thursday left for Winnepeg, Manitoba, where he formerly lived. He will be sone several weeks. R. Kæhler, L. R. Fields and Mr.

Younger, prominent officials of the O. Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circu- & C. R. R. Co., whose lines are leased is very hard to dislodge; but a small lars free. F. J.CHENEY & Co., Toledo, by the S. P. Co., were in the valley quantity of Ballard's Horehound & C. R. R. Co., whose lines are leased Thursday, on a tour of inspection. County Clerk Orth is industriously cine that is equal to it, and it is so

employed in the extension of the as- pleasant to take. I can most cordialsessment roll, and will have it ready for ly recommend it to all persons needing the sheriff earlier than usual-before a medicine for throat or lung trou-March 1st, the time prescribed by law. Central Point. E. J. McNulty, a young man whose

home is at Grants Pass, was arrested at direct primary law at the general Salem lately upon a telegraphic re-W. J. Mahoney is temporarily in charge of the Medford railroad depot as agent. He is efficient and obliging, and his many friends hope that he may be retained permanently in that posi-

Dennis H. Stovall of Grants Pass, editor of the Oregon Observer, made county clerk in the case of voters our town a visit Friday. He is a writer growing demand for real estate.

Chris Keegan left on Friday eventreatment for his eye, which has been cause the available supply of lumbe seriously injured by the "Manila itch." timber is being constantly diminished. His sister, Miss Anna, accompanied Kansas is experiencing the heaviest

L. Loesch, the energetic hop-raiser, healthy buying by people who want who has again rented Wm. Sorensen's to raise wheat, corn, fruit and stock yard, located in Applegate precinct, is cutting several thousand poles. He will raise more hops than ever during

John Bohl, who is in charge of A. W Sturgis' farm on Applegate, recently dug out what was probably the oldest and largest cherry tree in Southern Oregon. It was 78 feet high and its trunks 28 inches in diameter. Two of its roots were nearly 26 inches in cir-

cumference. The Southern Pacific has put new and improved chair cars on the overland trains which run between Portland and San Francisco. They are of the 1900 series and considerably larger than those heretofore in use. There are accommodations for 80 peopl. in the new car, and the smoking room, which found a place in the old one, is now conspicuous by its absence.

The remains of William Faber, brew er and hop dealer, were cremated near der, "but for goodness' sake don't say I gave it to you that way." Portland in compliance with his wish throughout the valley. A prominent member of the Elks fraternity delivered the funeral address at the home of the deceased and an immense throng followed the remains to the crematory. The firm of Vaupel, Norris & Drake, Ashland, which is one of the best in

Southern Oregon and has done a large SECRETARY WILL CHOOSE.

business during the past ten years, is no more. J. R. Norris, who is succeed-But California Will Get New Army ed by A. E. Kinney as a member there-Post. of, will engage in men's outfitting at

best wishes of numerous friends.

CURED LUMBOGA.

name to your list of former sufferers.

Postoffice Robbery Tried.

Grants Pass postoffice Tuesday night,

endeavoring to secure admittance

to the building by prying open the

ed away just as entrance was nearly

gained. W. I. Sweetland's pack of

sheep dogs was in the back room of

his meat market, and when the door

erated they immediately started out

No clew has been found to lead to

the identity of the burglars. The

A Big Enterprise.

the great enterprise, located near

The Oregonian in mentioning hi

presence at the metropolis sald: "Dr.

C. K. Ray, a well-known mining man

and capitalist, is stopping at the Port-

land. He speaks enthusiastically of

mining conditions in Southern Oregon

and predicts that the coming one

Want Judgment Vacated.

The plaintiff got a verdict of \$12,000.

acting as brakeman on the railroad.

and the company wishes the judg-

ment set aside. Judge Bennett of The

Dilles appeared for Dunham and Hon.

Rev. Carlisle P. B. Martin, L. L. D

Of Waverly, Texas, writes: "Of

morning, when first arising, I often

find a troublesome collection of

phlegm, which preduces a cough and

Syrup will at once dislodge it, and the

Pleased With Oregon.

the recent convention in Portland.

sald in an interview while there:

Oregon is a state of wonderful resour-

ces, and a flood of energetic, wide-

awake fellows are coming from the

and establish themselves in homes.

A Donkey Decoy.

A traveler in central Africa tells of

a native hunter of the Wanderobe

tribe who was the possessor of a most

to resemble the animal its master in-

At the Reception.

"Oh," said the meek man, "you may

put down 'Mrs. Henry Peck and hus-

"You mean 'Mr. and Mrs. Henry

"I would prefer that," he replied

with a furtive glance over his shoul

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oblige me"-

Peck,' don't you?"

the matter under advisement.

been a short but a busy one.

Tolo, that bears his name.

in pursuit.

local carpenter.

Washington, Jan. 28.-The house Oakland, Calif., with Paul Carroll of committee on military affairs gave a that city. He has gained an enviable hearing to Representatives Needham reputation while one of the citizens of and Daniels on the proposition to locate a permanent army post on Nacr this county, and carries with him the miento ranch in California, owing to the fact that the special army board has just made a report in favor of the Henry ranch, located near Nacimiento A. B. Canman, Chicago, write-It was impossible to bring the com-March, 1903: "Having been troubled mittee to agree to that location. with Lumbago at different times and A compromise was reached by which tried one physician after another; a bill will be passed directing the secthen different ointments and liniments, gave it up altogether. So I retary of war to locate an army post either at San Luis Obispo or Monte tried once more, and got a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment, which gave rey county. me almost instant relief. I can cheer-

This will leave the selection of a fully recommend it, and will add my ranch to the secretary of war, who will go into the matter personally af-25c, 50c and \$1.00. Dr. J. Hinkle, ter the passage of the bill, and it leaves the issue between the Nacimi ento and the Henry ranches, none other having been offered to the government in the two countles named.

Burglars attempted to rob the SPECIAL MAKES NEW RECORD. Chicago, Jan. 28.—The Santa Fe spehad been seeking an opening by prying open the double doors and sucing nearly double, but were frightenwas unlocked in the morning the dogs were ranged along the partition wall than the time of the west-bound Lowe A common cause brought the three with noses to the floor. On being libspecial of last August.

LATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Indianapolis, Ind .- The bituminous coal operators of Indiana, Ohio, Western Pennsylvania and Illinois, the central competitive district, in which 117. 000 miners are employed, have met to take up the consideration of the wages and working conditions for the year beginning April 1. The first session Dr. C. R. Ray was in Portland a few was largely given ever to organizadays ago, on business connected with tion and preliminary speeches.

Glen Ellen .- Guisseppi Silicrani, ill to jail. At 1:30 o'clock Wednesday and despondent, took his life in a morning Brother Lije was found on shocking manner on a ranch near here. First street and also sent to the sta-The man sought a secluded spot and tio nand locked up. When the three then blew out his brains with a shot brothers woke up in th emorning they gun. The muzzle of the weapon was were much surprised to fifind them-placed directly to his temple and his selves enjoying one another's society. head was torn from his body, and the fragments scattered about the place where the remains were found. The

W. R. Stansell was in Medford Fri- on Rogue River, between Medford and store and there fought a pistol duel flames spread to adjoining houses and bottle. burns he received while at work on 6000 horsepower and will supply the Eight shots were exchanged at close avenue and Humboldt street, with the District Attorney Reames' gas plant. | neighboring towns and mines with range. The burglar whom Deichman exception of two houses, were de-D Reynolds, who now lives at Culde. light and power. It will cost when first encountered fied after being stroped. Lack of water hampered the

Last Saturday the January term of circuit court for Josephine county was adjourned sine die. The session had On the last day Judge Hanna listened to arguments in the case of E. A. Dunham vs the Southern Pacific Co. on account of the loss of a leg while selves and the matter went over.

W. D. Fenton for the S. P. Both stand in front rank among the legal fraternity. Judge Hanna has taken Street car traffic was interrupted.

Vancouver, B. C.—Anxiety over the 000, insurance \$6,000; Gibbs block safety of the steamer Zaolin, twelve \$8,000, insurance \$4,000; Loevies flat days overdue from Wyndham Bay to \$7,000, insurance \$2,000; McCormack's Juneau, has been relieved by the ar meat market \$2,000, no insurance. rival of the vessel at Juneau. The cause of the delay was the rough weather encountered. The Zaolin also broke her propeller blade.

trouble is over. I know of no mediamounted to eight inches, the heaviest A. W. Brown, a prominent resident of which there is an official record and former county official of Ventura.

New York .- The identity of the Am revolver in the hands of the former. erican woman killed in an automobile The two were wounded by the same accident near La Napoulse, France, bullet, which, after piercing the boy's has been learned. She was Mrs. J. H. hand, was deflected and entered the Rathbone, a wealthy widow of Balti- girls' body just above the heart. The more, Md., and sister of the wife of latter wound, although not necessarily Prof. Otto G. Ramsey, Yale medical fatal, is very serious. school. She was 40 years of age. Mrs. Rathbone has been staying at Cannes for three months, having been abroad since the death of her husband verdict passed by the coroner's jury

states farther east to share in the a year ago. in the closing chapter of the tragedy of Whitaker Wright. His death was San Francisco.-Afflicted with a al caused by poisoning by cyanide of cidal mania, broken in health, broodpotassium. The jury found that he ing over the loss of her daughter and was sane and that there was not the 313 Turk street ended her life. The to most deliberate suicide. From the woman was found lying in bed at 8:30 evidence at the inquest it was shown that Wright had determined to take his own life in the event of an adverse flowing from an open jet. A short time with a cyanide tabloid in his posses dead on the street, and a few weeks later the daughter, Grace Clara Per new revolver, fully loaded, and even kins West, ended her life in a local cocked. After the sentence Wright went to the lavatory while the tip-

San Francisco.-The Rev. James staff in attendance on him remained L. O'Neil, the distinguished Domini outside. There he swallowed the tabcan, is dead at St. Joseph's hospital in loid, returning to the consulting room, this city after an illness lasting about washed down the poison with whiskey two weeks. His death was due to a and water and died. One of the last combination of causes, and it came at things Wright said was, "This is Britaccomplished donkey, which, with an a time when those about him believed ish justice."

its body covered with a skin or painted Pleasant and Most Effective. tended to stalk that day, was the means of deluding many an unwary ty, Texas, writes Dec. 25, 1902:" With creature into falling a victim to the pleasure and unsolicited by you, I poisoned arrows of the hunter croucher of Bellard's Horehound Syrap. I years operated on the mail route be have used it in my family and can tween Juneau and Sumdum, is long "I'm anxious to get the names of all and colds I have ever used." 25c, 50c present," said the reporter. "Will you and \$1.00. Dr. J. Hinkle, Central

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brothers together, each unaware of

the other's coming until face to face

in the jag cell. C. D., the most unfor

tunate of the three, arrived first at

the common meeting place. He was

arrested on December 19th, after hav-

ing been on a spree that lasted eight

his arrest and used his influence to

get him a forty days' sentence in the

BOX FACTORY BURNED.

North Tonawanda, N. Y., Jan. 28 .-

Half a square mile of glowing em-

Sonora, Jan. 28 .- A destructive fire

BULLET WOUNDS TWO.

Himself.

WAS WELL PREPARED.

London, Jan. 28 .- "Suicide" was the

STEAMER PROBABLY LOST.

Little Hope for the Safety of the

Seaolin.

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 28.-The lit-

men. Owing to the great violence of

the weather recently along the south-

eastern Alaskan coast but little hope

for her safety is entertained. She

was built in San Francisco in 1883

and was 51 feet in length and 13 feet

to sober up.

"JAGS" REUNITES BROTHERS. Immon Cause Brings Them Togethe Los Angeles, Jan. 28.-Three brothceeded in bending the iron bar fasten- his wife's death. The special, which ers held a family reunion in the city left Albuquerque, N. M., at 5:45 a. fail. They were the Wilcut brothers m. Wednesday, made the trip to Chi- Elijah, C. D. and Sam, all old resicago, 1,377 miles, in thirty-two hours dents of Los Angeles. E. Wilcut is a courages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and five minutes, which is four hours man of considerable property, his and fifty-five minutes faster than the wealth being estimated at upward or time of the Santa Fe's fast California \$75,000. Sam is also well to do. C. limited, and twenty-five minutes faster $\, \nu$, has had money, but spent it.

will be a very successful season. The

New York .- The Union Made Gar bers is all that remains of one of the ment Manufacturers of America have largest lumber yards in North Tonaclosed their annual convention here af- wanda. All of the north end of Tanater re-electing President S. H. Peters wanda island was swept by the flames, of Dover, N. J. A resolution to elimi- and between 12,000,000 and 15,000,000 nate jobbers from the business by sell- feet of lumber, valued at a quarter of ing directly to retailers was favored a million dollars, was destroyed. The by a number of members in order to loss is fully covered by insurance. The stop price cutting, but the delegates heaviest loser is the firm of White, agreed that they were not yet prepar- Rider & White, whose loss will amount ed to undertake the distribution them to \$225,000. The fire is believed t

Atlanta, Ga.-The heaviest snowfall known since the local weather bureau was established has fallen here to a depth of eight inches. The tempera Leonard's hotel and before it was subture dropped to freezing but is rising, dued that building and several others

Birmingham, Ala.-According to the weather bureau, a snowfall here

of investment. Land is the foundation of all other production. Oregon a. m. by Harry Bowman, the landlord ing's train for Portland, to receive the future than it is at present, be- flowing from an open jet. A short time ago her husband, J. W. West, dropped land movement-mind you I don't say boom-for many years. It is a

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Robt. G. Smith, a prominent attorney of Grants Pass, was lately the chief figure in an interesting case tried in the U.S. land office at Roseburg, before Register Bridges and Receiver Both. The case consists of a charge of unprof. s.i mal conduct against Attorney Smith while representing A. S. Rosenbium, S. P. station agent at Merlin, in the latter's application for a mining patent a few months ago. This charge if sustained, will disbar Mr. Smith from further practice before the U. S. land office. Specifically, it is alleged that he signed J. T. Bridges' name to the notice of publication, making known publicly the application for the mining patent. The charte ha: . M. Schlierholtz, special ager of the U. S. land office, formerly located at Roseburg. His successor, Geo. F. Wilson, is representing the government in this case. Mr. Smith is represented by A. C. Hough, of Grants

Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, disand cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidnevs are out of order or diseased. Kidney trouble has

become so prevalent

that it is not uncommon

for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the rine scalds the flesh or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to ontrol the passage, it is yet afflicted with or nine weeks. In that time he got bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of away with \$200 in cash and a \$75 the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first watch. his rich brother instigated step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant ouble is due to a diseased condition of the

idneys and bladder and not to a habit as city jail, so as to give him a chance most people suppose. Women as well as men are made mis-Tuesday evening Brother Sam was erable with kidney and bladder trouble, picked up on Boyle Heights and sent and both need the same great remedy he mild and the immediate effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It is sold by druggists, in fifty-

sizes. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also pamphlet tell- Home of Swamp-Root ing all about it, including many of the usands of testimonial letters received rom sufferers cured. In writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure and Los Angeles, Jan. 28.-Fire com-

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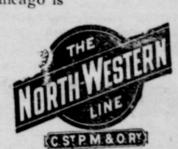
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