

gested plan of action. In an interview in Portland, Sunday, Judge Lowen said in regard to

GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP. the purposes of Umatilla county in A correspondent writing to the sending delegates to the meeting be- East Oregonian says:

The Portland Oregonian expresses

urprise that the arch-land fraud of

he Pacific Coast, John S. Benson,

should be acquitted of the flagrant

charges against him, in the face of

such apparent and patent guilt. It is

not surprising, when the circumstan-

ces are taken into consideration.

Why were the investigations in the

postal department suddenly stopped.

with the beginning of political activ-

ity for the presidential campaign,

when the investigations were expos-

ing new rottenness each day? When

and the matter dropped? The same

each day produced a new form of the crops this year.

grave crimes so much bluster was made from bed clothing.

one of the periodical paper railroads. needed for success. This is probably held up before the suffering Oregon- why John S. Benson is free. It is charged that the beef trust nent writer, is dead at New York.

· for the temporary and imaginary al- wilfully brought about the present At Wasco, Texas, where the M. K. · leviation of their transportation ill- strike, to prove that there is no beef & T. is tied up L the telegraphers' trust. While all the trust plants are either closed or are operating on a

It has been noticed by the people either closed or are operating on a of the interior and Eastern Oregon very light scale, they point to the fact • that the Portland papers build about that there is no wide spread suffering. his death by overwork in political Tuesday. as many paper railroads as the Baker as the independent plants, outside of campaigns. He was only 52 years City papers-every gathering in Port- the trust, are entirely capable of sup- old. land being the occasion for the im- plying all public demands, and there- The fight now in progress around mediate construction of a road into fore the trust does not control the Port Arthur is almost exclusively an will be operated as a government productive counties in the state of beef output of the country. While artillery duel, the biggest guns of hatchery hereafter. Judgs Lowell told Portland what this may be a far fetched scheme, at there.

when he said that the trade of Cen-people only knew that these so-called he thrown open for registration and wholesale weft in Berkeley. He J. B. Horner, outlined in an interview are brick, costing from \$5000 to \$20 tral Oregon would be diverted to San "independents" were not silent part- settlement on August 8. Devil's Lake claims to be crazy. Francisco, over new lines piercing Or- ners in the trust, they might look and Grand Forks are the registration

GROWTH OF AN EMPIRE.

tend its Elgin branch into Wallowa, purchase could be repaid each year bles, to finance Russian schemes in

egon than Judge Lowell, and his find-ings are always worthy of the utmost consideration, and in this instance, the very development of this section in that rich and growing community of the state is wrapped up in his sug- will go to the Puget Sound, by way the United States."

"ANXIOUS READER."

was \$75,925 square miles, or nearly come of \$1290 per year, has increased 55,000 square miles greater than the 15 per cent since 1896, according to area of the original 13 states. The the report of Carrol D. Wright.

worth of property, Wednesday morn

William West, a well known citizen,

439.20, and there are 148,720 children

John Stevenson, who is suppo

to have deserted from the battleship

New York, while at Bremerton, has

are divided into six departments-

ticultural, forestry, fish and game.

The exhibits of Oregon at St. Louis

mining, educational, agricultural, hor-

McMinnville, Wednesday,

of schoool age in the state

been captured at Hood River.

morning.

ation of corn or maize because the The fish packers say the prospects

GENERAL NEWS.

a Arizona, Monday.

crats in that state.

fraud high up among the influential There was a deficit of \$17,407,728 a failure.

politicians and their hirelings, why in the government expenses for the

cause probably lies behind the ac- murdered his wife last week, hanged

quittal of John S. Benson, over whose himself in jail Monday, with a rope

made, on his arrest. To convict Ben- The total amount of coal mined in

lay by fire. Loss, \$150,000.

\$7,000,000 in July, 1903.

Frank Benedetto, of Chicago, who

The postoffice at Lida, Nev., a re-

A bear in a Trenton, N. J., park.

Benjamin F. Butler, a namesake

ler of the same name, and a promi

Ex-Governor Pattison, of Pennsyl-

both armies being on the firing line

and grand nephew of the older But. attle

Five men were suffocated in a coal

re on the Gila river forest reserve 000.

Roumania has prohibited the expor- two days.

The plant of the Napa Valley Packmine at Sault Ste Marie, Wednesday. ing Company was destroyed by fire Rain quenched a disastrous forest Wednesday morning, loss about \$75, Jennie Douglas, an Indian woman

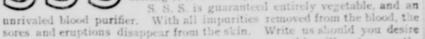
The populists of Kansas are said was found dead in her boat, in the be in favor of fusion what the dem- bay at Vancouver, B. C., Tuesday system through the pores of the skin. The juices of The ornamental Terra Cotta works The body of Hope Clayton, who sul-Philadelphia were destroyed Mon- cided at Astoria Saturday, has been and linger on for years unless antidoted and driven out recovered, after dragging the bay for of the

Dye Poisoning from wear-

ing colored under-clothing tation of corn or maize because the drought in that country has ruined are good for a good run of late sal- and hosiery is of frequent oc- ling poison oak, and it would break out on me

poisoned by the chemicals eral seasons. Topeca, Georgia. was the sleuths suddenly called off, month of July, agains, a deficit of was crushed to death between a hresher and traction engine near and acids used in polishing,

State school fund apportionment for Oregon this year amounts to \$239,-as any, and cannot be reached by washes, salves, soaps or other external



THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

Removal of County Seat.

ing.

Pidduck-Ross department store at Se- preme court the county court of ley and a quantity of sugar beets will William Brinkman, marshal of Fort Benton, Mont., suicided by shooting himself in the head with a 38.Smith & Wesson. Financial difficulties the

"Joshua" Creffield, leader of the "Holy Rollers," was arraigned on a La Grande, which place after that this soil is adapted to the growing date would be the permanent county of sugar beets and that those that vania, ruined health and brought on Hogue, of the Portland circuit court, seat of Union county. This then will have been analyzed have been for

turned over to the government and citizens of one of the richest and most

Earl A. Sargent, a graduate of Oregon University and student of Berkeey, is a fugitive from the law for

I. H. Taffe, of The Dalles, says the an effort will be made by several of idences costing from \$500 to \$6000 portage road could be built in six -

ng strengthened daily at Sebastopol, against the state has now delayed it and will prey on commerce without more than six months.

John W. Womack was drowned in he Boise river near Emmett, day, while trying to ford the stream.

The Oregon building at the St.

585, of which amount \$36,000 went in

of Lewiston and the Northern Pacific. Iand area of the Louisiana purchase States among families having an into the irreducible school fund and

Chain of Electric Roads.

population of the Louisiana purchase in 1900 was 14,708,616, and at the the immigration office of the gov-road if the county court at its session "Editor East Oregonian:-Since the The total area is nearly one-third ernment, to induce settlers to go to tomorrow accepts the propositi that of the union, and the population about one fifth thereof their representatives, Attorney C. E delegations will ask and advocate the ing widely advertised by a few crack- In the 14 states into which the The life preservers on the steamer Cochran and J. R. Oliver, and grant a first and most important will be the brained politicians, will you explain Louisiana purchase has been sub-di- Grand Republic have been found to franchise for the use of the pub open river and the remedy of the wait is that it cost but \$7.97 per vided the value of the farm animals be as worthless as those on the Slo-water laws of the state. Eastern Orewater laws of the state. Eastern Ore-gon will not want to go into a great capita to run the United States gov. alone, on January 1, 1903, was \$1,119,-in 1902 shows 30,000,000 tons of coal. changed scheme of simple advertisement, for the section has no means of caring for a great influx of people at this the section has no means of caring for a great influx of people at this the section has no means of caring for a great influx of people at this the section has no means of caring for a great influx of people at this the section has no means of caring for a great influx of people at this the section has no means of caring for a great influx of people at this the section has no means of caring for a great influx of people at this the section has no means of caring for a great influx of people at this the section has no means of caring for a great influx of people at this the section has no means of caring for a great influx of people at this the section has no means of caring for a great influx of people at this the section has no means of caring for a great influx of people at this the section has no means of caring for a great influx of people at this the section has no means of caring for a great influx of people at this the section has no means of caring for a great influx of people at this the capital stock of the banks in the section has no means of caring for a great influx of people at this the section has no means of caring for a great influx of people at this the section has no means of caring for a great influx of people at this the section has no means of caring for a great influx of people at this the section has no means of caring for a great influx of people at this the section has no means of caring for a great influx of people at this the section has no means of caring for a great influx of people at this the section has no means of caring for a great influx of people at this the section has no means of caring people at this the section has no means of caring people at this the section has no means of caring people at this the section has no means of caring people at this the section has no means of caring people at this the section has no means of caring people The capital stock of the banks in near London, Wednesday, and sus-1903 was more than \$103,000,000, their tained a bad scare, if nothing worse. It is said that a heel was pulled off to begin the surveys within 10 days, "The Harney valley and the vast area of Malheur county are large enough to furnish homes for thous-



Poison Oak and Ivy and other noxious wild plants, when taken into the circulation, break out airesh each season, POISON OAK FOR EIGHT YEARS.

Currence. Workers in Lead, Brass, commended S. S. S., which cured me completely, and other metals are often and Linve seen no signs of the sruptions for sevmon, although the early run has been curre MRS. A. N. BENNETT.

and the dust and filings settling upon the skin. The diseases that enter the

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medical advice or any information about your case; this will cost you noth

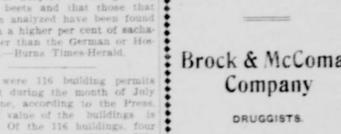
According to the decrees of the su- made of the various soils of this valnion county were ordered that after be sent to be analyzed. At present tember 3, 1904, the county seat of the Times-Herald knows of but one a county would be at La Grande lot of this variety being raised this d that thereafter they should hold year in this particular vicinity, be

session at that city. According, no doubt samples could be secure a general order has been made that from various parts of the valley. the officers of the county after People do not seem to attach September 3, 1904, should remove to enough importance to the fact that

probably forever, let us hope, settle to contain a higher per cent of sacha-The Clackamas Salmon hatchery, the county seat fight that for these rine matter than the German or He eretofore a state concern, has been many years waxed so warm with the land beet-Burns Times-Herald

> Oregon .- La Grande Chronicle. taken out during the month of Jul

at Spokane, according to the Pres Sugar Beets for Harney. Sugar Beets for Harney. Acting upon the suggestion of Prof. \$190.257. Of the 116 buildings, fou in the last issue of the Times-Herald, 000. Of the remainder 69 are for re-

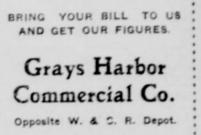


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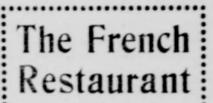
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discrimination, in hopes of finding

He is the sixth victim claimed by Bolse river this season.

pia got into a fight among themselves Monday and wrecked the lodging

It may be news to some that the ""he cost of living in the United

ing held in Portland today and tomorrow;

annum? Yours, time.

enough to furnish homes for thous-

"All the state, then, should join postoffice, and raised the expenses 474 to 16,437, and the railway mileage vision in he United States. It is with Eastern Oregon in making for the speedy passage of laws governing indirect tax on the consumers the speedy passage of laws governing indirect tax on the consumers. the use of the water of the various Every man, woman and child in the What may we not expect from a streams, so that the government will United States was taxed this entire country whose area is only about 2000 take speedy action in building the sum of \$7.97, without the slightest square miles less than the combined projects now on foot. This is the remuneration from any of the great most important thing of all and will utilities owned by New Zealand. The Spain, Italy and Switzerland, when we day.

be the keynote of Eastern Oregon's millions in profits arising from the express companies, rairoads, tele-"Eastern Oregon is shut off from Portland by freight rates and must the problem of the contract of Portland by freight rates, and must other public utilities went into private have the portage road or the open hands, while the people paid their exriver. Malheur county is forced by tortion, in aduition to paying the runfreight rates to be tributary to Salt ning expenses of the government. Lake City, and there is a probability In New Zealand, the actual expen- always know about where you are. It in the heat. of the trade of the Inland Empire be-ing diverted to San Francisco by the amounted to \$33.38 per capita, as greater extent an instinct for the lay ing diverted to San Francisco by the amounted to \$33.38 per capita, as greater extent an instinct for the lay the past year. extension of a California road into the stated, but this included the total ex- of the country, for relative bearings interior of the state.

"It costs 9 cents a bushel to ship press, telephone, telegraph, post way across lots back to your stated by press, telephone, telegraph, post place. It is not an uncommon facul-wheat from Pendleton to Portland. If roads, parcels posts, and all these ty, yet some lack it utterly. If you the \$165,000 appropriated by the leg- public utilities.

islature for the portage was all ex- But here is the beauty of the sys- ture, for you will get lost as sure as cury went up to 95. pended, Umatilla county alone would be able to repay the entire cost in of New Zealand for the government tains is no joke. be able to repay the entire cost in of New Zealand for the year was Some men posses it, others do not. the Lower Columbia. the saving of one year.

"With the road, wheat could be sent into Portland markets for 5 cents a bushel, which means a saving cents a cents cents a bushel, which means a saving cents a cents ce cents a bushel, which means a saving of 4 cents over the present rate. This out \$7.97 each, and then the govern-inter how long a direction-blind man frequents the wilderness he is never saving on 5,000,000 bushels, the esti- ment sustained a deficit of \$17,000, frequents the wilderness, he is never mated yield of Umatilla county, would 000 in July alone. mean a gain of \$200,000 to that coun- The only tax paid by the people of traveled in the Black Hills with a

ty alone. It would pay to open the New Zealand was for school, county young fellow who himself frankly con river if but for a couple of years. and municipal expenses, the income fessed that, after much experiment

"The policy of Eastern Oregon, from the public utilities paying all could not "find himself." then, should be to gain the help of the other expenses, and leaving a the entire state in opening the Co- clear profit from the operation, of this I did as well as I could, but even lumbia, in securing laws to govern \$10.42 per capita. the water rights of the state first, and to join in any plan for advertise- people of the United States pay yons of that badly mixed region.

"The Development League should times the cost of public accommoda- walked twice in a circle within the bring all sections together in peace tions in New Zealand, the corpora- miles square. On the other hand

and harmony and unite them for a tions are reaping the profits and the many exhibit almost marvelous skill common purpose, each to strive for government will increase taxation to in striking a bee-line for their ob the good of the other, and when that make up the continuous deficit. is done it will be a great success."

RAILROADS ARE WANTED.

Zealand is expended in internal and If the O. R. & N. will only transfer seaport improvements, the governthis road from Arlington to Condon. ment making these improvements volfrom the newspapers to the solid untarily, without endless petitions earth, it will be a real benefactor to from the people. the state.

While railroads are not missionaries, going into virgin fields, in ad. rheumatism, gout, dyspepsia, eczema are a long way from this yet. Fancy vance of settlement, yet there is suf. or catarrh, on arriving in the West, a our hollow-chested, pigeon-toed wo ficient business in the interior of Or- day's drive in the country among the men with their square hips and houregon to justify a railroad, in fact a half dozen of them, to cover the immense territory, properly, and this possibly a combination of all these paunch and skinny arms, posing as a branch to Condon will be no experi- diseases. A tired and worn out man, Greek hero. Sad as this thought is, ment.

nent. The Columbia Southern and Sump-ter Valley roads are two of the best troubles by going into the country. The Columbia Southern and Sump-ter Valley roads are two of the best troubles by going into the country. The Columbia Southern and Sump-ter Valley roads are two of the best troubles by going into the country. ter Valley roads are two of the bes paying investments in Oregon, and A blind man who cannot read the er the general intelligence and mental the Condon branch will be no whit roadside signs in the rural districts, development will ever reach as high is the only one who can get keen en-the Athenians is quite another quesless valuable. Aside from getting all the business joyment out of a country drive in this tion.—Dr. R. C. Newton in Medical Record. now found in the interior, a railroad age of billboards.

"As to what the Eastern Oregon beauties of public ownership are be- about one-fifth thereof.

THE SIXTH SENSE.

loans and discounts more than \$500,-

ta, in actual taxes, during the past 1903 reached the gratifying total of Division No. 55 of the Telegra- the Big Minam, east of the Cove, and

lands are not ready for the immigrant until the water is put over them. government operated nothing but the 741 in 1903; the postoffices from 13. as Green river, being the largest di- ald.

PACIFIC NORTHWEST NEWS.

L. Pardoo, a logger, was killed by a falling tree near Eugene, Wednes-

ed the life saving crews on the Pa- One point of interest is particularly cific coast

Otto Schacht, a Portland teamster, miles above the Wicks place, where

pense of running the railroads, ex. by which you are able to make your ed in the Coweer way across lots back to your starting Helens. Tuesday.

The hottest day registered in Salem zaga college by Father de la Motte, are one of the latter class do not ven. this year was Monday, when the mer- general superior of the Jesuit order

\$53.80 per capita, a per capita profit The distinction seems to be almost The total number of scholars in Joe, the 15-year-old son of J. B. fect, Father Mayer professor of moral

sure of himself. Nor is the lack any A fire in the ordnance house at thuis in charge of the grammar grade reflection on the intelligence. I once Fort Stevens, destroyed about \$50,000 of work.

he had come to the conclusion that he

He asked me to keep near him and then three times during the course of In addition to paying , 1.97 each, the the tumultuous upheavals and can-

double, and in some instances 10 Another, an old grouse hunter, confines of a thick swamp about two

jective point and can always tell you The surplus accumulated by the ing hunt, exactly where camp lies.-

operation of public utilities in New Outlook.

THE BODY BEAUTIFUL.

A brilliant writer said to me other day that the world seems to reverting to the old Grecian love of

If a homeseeker did not have the physical prowess and admiration for the body beautiful. Of course, we

ands of people, and to raise produce enough to feed the state; but these fic. of \$17,000,000 was piled up for per cent within a single decade. In Southern and Central Pacific lines, county court, will begin the expendineighboring county .- Baker City Her-

Scenery Equals the Alps. Few residents of The Dalles realize

that within 10 miles of the city some of the grandest scenery as is

be found anywhere in the world. The Mill Creek canyon, from the Wicks place to John's mill, is said to pre

a continuation of rocks, cl and waterfalls that will compare with

attractive, the falls of the creek, two

By this strange "sixth sense" you became insane Tuesday from working the water comes pouring down over a perpendicular cliff 120 feet high,

Joseph Lowe, a logger, was drown Changes at Gonzaga College. d in the Coweeman river near St. Father Francis C. Dillon was named August 1 as president of Gon-

in the Northwest, says the Spokes-

busy with a heavy run of salmon on the Lower Columbia pointed treasurer, Father Cocchi i

Is to love children, and no home can be completely

so full or suffering, danger and fear

Mother's Friend, by its penetrating and soothing properties, allays nausea, nervousness, and all unpleasant feelings, and

ordeal that she passes through the event safely and with but little suffering, as numbers

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IF YOU BUY A BUGGY OR WAGON, OR A FARM IMPLEMENT BECAUSE IT IS CHEAP. IT OFTEN PROVES TO BE VERY EXPENSIVE ECONOMY, AS IT TURNS OUT TO BE CHEAPER IN QUALITY THAN IN PRICE. I DO NOT PRETEND TO COMPETE WITH THE "CHEAP JOHN" OUTFITS FROM THE EAST WHO ARE HERE TODAY AND GONE TOMORROW, AND WHO UN-LOAD SOME CHEAP ARTICLE ON YOU AND ARE NOT HERE TO MAKE IT GOOD WHEN THE PAINT WEARS OFF AND IT PROVES ITS SHODDINESS, I AM HERE TO STAY. I WILL CHARGE YOU A REASONABLE PRICE AND GUARANTEE MY GOODS TO BE AS REPRESENTED. IN FACT, I WILL NOT CARRY CHEAP, SHODDY GOODS, BECAUSE I EXPECT YOUR TRADE THIS YEAR AND EVERY YEAR. TO KEEP FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS IN THE IMPLEMENT BUSINESS THE ONLY WAY IS TO SELL GOODS THAT ARE A CONSTANT RECOMMENDATION TO YOUR STOCK. GOODS THAT WILL STAY BY YOU AND IN THE END SAVE YOU MONEY. YOUR TIME AND YOUR PATIENCE. A GLANCE OVER THE FOLLOWING LIST WILL PROVE THAT I AM HANDLING ONLY THE BEST GRADES OF IMPLEMENTS AND MAY SUGGEST SOMETHING YOU ARE IN NEED OF. ALL I ASK OF YOU IS TO COME IN AND COMPARE THE "QUALITY" OF MY GOODS AND PRICES WITH WHAT YOU HAVE BEEN PAYING ELSEWHERE AND I KNOW I WILL GET YOU FOR A CUSTOMER. I HANDLE THE CELEBRATED

HODGE HEADERS, BINDERS, RAKES AND MOWERS.

THE CHAMPION REAPER.

. THE CELEBRATED RACINE BUGGIES AND HACKS.

THE OLD RELIABLE BAIN WAGONS

WHEN ANOTHER DEALER TELLS YOU HIS WAGON IS JUST AS GOOD AS THE BAIN WAGON IT IS A TRIBUTE TO THE SUPERIORITY OF THE BAIN.

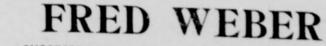
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happy without them, yet the ordeal through which the expectant other must pass usually is

that she looks forward to the critical hour with apprehension and dread.

have testified and said, "it is

worth its weight in gold." \$1.00 per bottle of druggists. Book containing

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so prepares the system for the

