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The policy of the Coos Bay Times will be Republican in politics, with Roosevelt is the leading exponent.

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GERINIMO.

an attack of pneumonia-white man's pneumonia. The vulpine old Apache died at Fort Siil, a prisoner, modest, upright, Christian men with a broken-down, irrational old man, a respectable parentage and decent venerable chief without a following, training to undergo such an examina-For years Geronimo had been a tion would result in greater harm harmless ward of the government, than good." exemplary. conduct Was has not tent to forget the horrible crimes every able-bodied person without die in bed-of pneumonia.

a Christian. Several years ago the shall be deemed a vagrant. In veto- added to it a provision that puts old Indian stated that he was ready ing the bill the governor says: to renounce, voluntarily, his own gods and accept the white man's God. He said that he hoped his sins might for more than ten days for employthe forgiven after he acquired faith. ment and who cannot find it, and, exempted. He publicly professed conversion, because they cannot and happen to became a member of the Methodist be arrested, no one is willing to bechurch, and strove, for a time, with lieve them, and they may not be able simple earnestness, to attain merit. to present proof of their efforts made French Group Tries to Stop Trouble Later he fell from grace, and he died, in good faith within that time to sea pagan.

the painted, incarnate menace of the der about the streets and as many southwest. He rode the war path more who lodge in barns, etc., and tant is president, undertook an efcontinually, with a reckless band of cannot sleep in lodging houses be- fort to arouse public opinion of the outlawed braves at his back. He cause they cannot find employment, world and compel the powers to offer possessed a savage cunning which What is to become of this class of mediation in event that a conflict beenabled him to order his bloody ex- men, many of whom are honest and comes inevitable. The resolution peditions with such skill that, al- many of whom would be glad though chased persistently by eral hard riding cavairy regiments. he evaded capture for many years, are many who are vagrants in fact, the fact that an offer of mediation The frontier regiments of those days, and who ought to be punished, but by neutrals under The Hague conmade up of veteran Indian fighters it is better that they go unwhipped vention, can never be considered an come experts in savage warfare, were ly seek to earn a livelihood should highly efficient, but Geronimo and be compelled to suffer punishment by his braves proved themselves wiser imprisonment. When the state, the and fleeter than the most experienced county or the municipality is preand shifty regiment of them all. He pared to furnish this class of men outmaneuvered the best generals of with work, it seems to me it will the American army-than whom the be time enough to punish them world has none better.

In 1882 the intrepid Commander his strongholds in the Sierras and governor expresses doubt whether induced the crafty warrior to sur- exemption from taxation would enrender conditionally . For three able a city to get a lower rate of years after this Geronimo remained interest. quiet, under the protection of the government. Then he went on the raid again, and a trail of burnt poration issuing bonds pay a little ranch houses and mutilated human higher rate of interest than these bodies pointed the direction he had bonds he exempted from taxation taken. General Miles then took up and the whole of the state be compelthe fight, matched his wits with those led to bear the burden. It is very of the Indian, and bested him in his probable that a very small percent- E. A. Brownell, San Francisco; L. own country. For three years Gen. age of these bonds ever go on the eral Miles continued on the trail of assessment rolls, anyway, and so the savage, keeping the latter usually practically escape taxation now." upon the defensive, and eventually tiring him out. For the second time Geronimo surrendered, and this time ernor Chamberlain were the followhe became a closely guarded pris- ing Coos county measures: oner. Since then he has been the object of vigilant care, and could aries between Coos and Curry. not have again taken to the trail if he had desired.

Geronimo is the last of the great Indian war chiefs. With his death is broken the link which attached the present civilized west to the west of the past, of outlawry and violence and savagery.

Times containing picture and descrip- that the matter be taken up for contion of Marshfield's NEW HIGH sideration and decided upon by the SCHOOL can be obtained at The courts of the counties interested so Times' office. MAILED to any AD. that the matter may be satisfactorily DRESS in the United States for FIVE adjusted to all concerned before the CENTS cach.

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Chamberlain Some Measures-Coos Bills Rejected.

SALEM, Ore., March 1 .- Governor Less than 6 months, per month .50 bills, vetoed because they raised a county officer's salary during his term vetoed was Cole's Senate bill, in returning which the governor says:

"The bill requires every male person seeking to enter the marriage relation to submit to an examination by a physician and procure a certithe independence of which President ficate from him that he is free from contagious or infectious venereal diseases as a condition to procuring such license.

"Insult to Men of Oregon."

"In my opinion the bill is an insult to the young men of the State The great Geronimo succumbed to of Oregon. There may be an occasional case where such an examination would be justifiable, but to require it in every case and to compel

Senator Albee's vagrancy bill was required much another measure to meet executive watching, and, apparently was con- disapproval. The bill provides that which he had committed in the past, visible means of living who does not put out of business in this state if willing to drift quietly with life, and for ten days seek employment, and every idle person who wanders about Geronimo did not leave the world the street, sleeps in barns, cars, etc. The Senate by a decisive vote today

Fears Innocent Would Suffer. "There are many men who seek cure employment. There are many Not many years ago Geronimo was persons who are idle and who wansev- work and earn their support?

> "It may be conceded that there be- of justice than that men who honest- unfriendly act by litigants. they do not accept employment."

Mulit's bill exempting public Crook followed the Indian to one of bonds from taxation, was vetoed. The

> "In any event," says the governor, it is better that the municipal cor-

Vetoes Coos Bills. Among the bills vetoed by Gov-

S. B. 111, Chase-Defining bound-S. B. 134, Chase-Providing

transcribing town plats. H. B. 341. Bedillfon-Fixing salary of County Judge of Coos.

Senate bill 111 proposes to fix definitely the boundary lines between Coos and Curry counties, which he is informed is not satisfactory to the people of Curry county, who would A few EXTRA copies of Saturday's be injured thereby, and he suggests next regular session of the legis-

> lature. Among the bills approved by the governor were the following:

> H. B. 235, Miller-Amending code clating to Rogue River fishing. H. B. 244, Muncy-Salary of County Assessor of Curry.

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FALLS DOWN

Scores "Utopia" Started In Idaho by Dr. McInturff Fails to Meet Expectations.

SPOKANE, Wash., March 1 .- The Chamberlain vetoed eight bills pass- Alameda Co-operative colony has ceased to exist. It was organized five years ago, Dr. David N. McInturff and the colony purchased 3,000 acres operated on co-operative lines with a division of labor and a community of ownerhsip. It is now announced that McInturff has sold the big farm and given up the colony project and will devote his time to a revival of interest in the work.

Washington Legislature May Declare Bucket Shop Trading Felony.

OLYMPIA, Wash., March 1. -Stock Exchange speculators will be the new criminal code is adopted by the legislature in its present form. bucket shops in the felony gambling section so that it applies only to public gambling. Games of chance in private residences or apartments are

WANT WORLD'S AID.

In the Balkans,

PARIS, March 1. - The French parliamentary arbitration group, of which Baron D'Estournelles de Consadopted was communicated to the parliaments of the signatories of The Hague agreement calling attention to

NEGROES WIN POINT.

Discharged Brownsville Soldiers Given Chance by Congress,

WASHINGTON, March 1 .- Under a special rule the house passed the bill granting the discharged negroes involved in the shooting up of Brownsville the right to prove their innocence and thus make them eligible to restoration in the army.

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