The 250th anniversary of the founding of Harvard College will be celebrated next Monday. The President will be

Hon, J. T. Gregg, of Salem, is prominently mentioned in connection with the speakership of the next house of representatives. | Corvallis Gazette.

Michael Davitt has been summoned back to Ireland on business of importance and will close his lecture tour in this country by the end of the present month.

A New York syndicate has offered Cherokee Indians \$3 per acre for the 15,-000,000 acre strip of land in Indian Territory which the Indians are talking of selling if Congress will give consent. Mrs. A. T. Stewart's will leaves the

bulk of her \$20,000,000 estate to Judge Hilton and Chas. J. Clinch, after providing snug little fortunes and legacies for nearly or quite all of her near relatives. About six thousand men employed in

the packing houses of Swift & Morris, Chicago, quit work last Monday upon the demand of their employers that they work ten hours for the same pay they have been receiving for eight hours'

Prince Louis Napoleon, of France, who is traveling in this country, called at the White House last Monday and paid his respects to the president. He was accompanied by his private secretary and Albert Deferester, secretary of the Italian legation. The presentations were made by Secretary Bayard.

The Buenos Ayers Standard publishes an account of the losses experienced during the recent drouth by stock owners in the upper country. Morethan 20,000,-000 of sheep have died, and while the immediate loss is estimated at nearly £6,-500,000 sterling, it will in reality aggregate much more. They died principally from a lung and throat disease formerly unknown in the Llanos.

to remain democratic.

The New York Herald says, editorially: "We observe that some callow person is asking the question, 'Is George a humbig?' We can answer him: No, George is not a humbug. He is a sincere, earnest and intelligent man. He has been misled into running for an office in which he could do nothing to further the ideas he has pushed forward in his books. The best fortune that can happen to him, and to the reforms he has at heart, will be his defeat. But he ought to be sent to congress. There he would have influence to advance his ideas, and he has ability enough to make a great career as a legislator, No, George is no humbug."

Following is a summary of the public debt statement made Nov. 1st: Interest bearing debt, principal and interest, \$1,-162,436,675; debt on which interest has ceased since maturity, principal and interest, \$12,548,927; debt bearing no interest, principal, \$549,433,862; total debt principal, \$1,715,193,409; interest, \$9,226, 053; total, \$1,724,419,462; total debt, less available cash items, \$1,407,131,147; net cash in treasury, \$52,783,199. Decrease of debt during the month of October, \$13,201,619. Total available for reduction of debt, \$217,288,315. Total cash in treasury, as shown by the treasurer's general account, \$451,068,033.

A letter published in the San Francisco Evening Bulletin, under date of Apia October 15th, says: "Authentic news has a clue to the identity of the robber. It Lord one thousand, eight hundred and reached Samoa that on the morning of is believed, however, that he is being September 10th over 100 heavy earthquakes occurred on the island of Nipaton. one of the Tonga group, and that from the bottom of a lake which had a depth of 2000 feet a mountain has arisen to a hight of 300 feet above its surface; also that this mountain has burst into flames and thrown out hot stones and sand in such quantities as to destroy two-thirds robbery with the knowledge of Frothingof the cocoanut trees on the island. In Samoa we are having light shocks of earthquakes so frequently now that they are no longer noticed by residents."

says: If the republicans secure a major- these claims have been settled and as five years. The lands when surveyed ity in the next house of representatives soon as the others are proved, they will and appraised are to be sold at the propmanagers of the republican congressional campaign here as to their democratic opponents. Both parties concede, however, that the democratic majority in the present congress will be reduced. The democrats now have forty-one actual majority, and vacancies exist in two demo-cratic districts, making forty-three to be labor question during the present year; the endorsement of George by Irving the present year; the endorsement of George by Irving the present year; jority, and vacancies exist in two demoovercome. Senator Kenna, chairman of Hall and other facts connected with the the democratic congressional committee, thinks the democratic majority cannot exceed ten or twelve. Journal Clerk Smith of the house, who is an expert on George might secure votes enough to Smith of the house, who is an expert on the subject, thinks the democratic majority will be between seven and ten, while Gen. Clark, clerk of the house, puts it at twenty-five. None of these predictions only of the radical communistic gospel assume that the republicans will capture propagated by him, but also in a measure and not for, or on account of, or at the The present "local option" law in Illi- dorsed the candidacy of George. Such

nois compells every locality which per- encouragement might have resulted in mits the liquor traffic to tax it heavily. while it allows each municipality to enforce prohibition if public sentiment will gratifying to all lovers of law and order proof that he has resided on the lands sustain that policy. The Chicago Tribune has recently made an investigation might have been lurking in his prospects duced at least twenty-five acres to cultias to the working of the system, which of election has been happily averted. shows that in several counties not an open saloon can be found, while in twenty-five counties the rule is virtually prohibitory, license towns being the exceptions, and in large number of others the George himself and his supporters are prohibition towns are in a majority. The George himself and his supporters are Tribune concludes that prohibitory regulations now cover two-thirds of the ing over 100,000 votes. The Sun thinks soil of Illinois, while the area of such regulations is steadily widen- World figures it at 60,000. The Tribune ing. In the places which permit ly high, reaching in some cases \$1,800 or limits of the size of Hewitt's maler ly high the sale of liquor, the tax is usually high, reaching in some cases \$1,800 or limits of the size of Hewitt's maler ly high the sale of liquor, the tax is usually high, reaching in some cases \$1,800 or liquor. \$2,600 and a burden of \$4,000,000 or \$5. jority. [Press dispatch, Oct. 30th. is thus shifted from the taxpayers to the Gilmore's Magnetic Elixir.

ELECTION RETURNS.

Following are given the best returns obtainable from the elections held Tuesday in the various states:

New York - Hewitt (Dem) is elected mayor of the city. The legislature is the public debt during Oct. was \$12,000,- Republican. Hewitt's vote is about 90,-296; George's, 67,696, and Rosevelt's, 60,392. Returns indicate that the state assembly will stand: Republicans 75, democrats 53, a democratic gain of 2. Pennsylvania has gone Republican by

> New Jersey - Democratic governor elected, and legislature Republican. Ohio is Republican by 20,000 and Republicans claim a gain of 6 congressmen. Democrats concede a gain of but five congressmen for the Republicans.

> Illinois elects a Republican state treasurer by from 20,000 to 25,000 majority, but no definite returns have been received as to the status of the legislature. The socialists claim to have elected three members of the legislature in Chicago, and the united labor party has elected four members. This, the united labor people claim, will give them the balance of power in the legislature. One labor candidate for Congress is also elected.

In Tennessee, where the Taylor brothers were running for governor, Bob, the Democratic candidate, is elected by from 20,-000 to 25,000 majority, and the Democrats gain one congressman.

Indiana is claimed by both the Democrats and Republicans.

In Minnesota large Democratic gains are reported, and the St. Paul Globe (Dem.) claims the election of Ames, Democratic candidate for governor, by a MAYOR, small majority; also the election of three out of five congressmen. The Globe will say that a democratic tidal wave has swept over the state, and the republican majority of 40,000 has been turned into a democratic victory of from two to five hundred majority.

In Iowa Democratic gains are reported. Both parties claim the state on election of state ticket, and the Democrats claim three of the eleven Congressmen.

In California the vote for governor is supposed to be unusually close, but the returns are very slow, owing to the number and length of the various tickets. A San Francisco dispatch says: "The total number of registered voters in this city was 48,987, and fully 95 per cent, of the entire vote was polled. It is estimated Concerning the next Congress the New | that not more than four ballots can be York Tribune estimates that the senate counted in an hour. In some of the prewill contain forty-two republicans and cinets 350 ballots were cast to-day. At thirty-four democrats, a republican gain the rate mentioned a full count cannot of one; and that the house of representa- be made before three days. The vote tives will consist of 155 republicans and cast in this city only falls a little short of 170 democrats, a republican gain of thirty. | that cast in the presidential election of The Herald says, editorially, that the 1884." Republicans claim the election of Federal house of representaives appears | Swift for governor, and also profess to be confident of a working majority in the

It is too early yet to make a general summary of the election returns with a Nov. 1st: view of determining just how the prosthe majority in the lower house of Congress is an indication that the adminiscountry. The anti-mugwump Democrats will hope to see the President accept the still shows up as the right bower of the

Concerning the mysterious express robbery of which an account is given on the first page of this issue, a St. Louis dispatch of the 29th says: "Frothingham, the Adams express messenger, whose car was robbed last Monday night, is still in the city and has not yet been arrested, although he is accompanied wherever he goes by a detective. He was in close communication with the officers of the company this morning and it was given out that he was assisting them in getting the stories told by him at different times and eleventh. compared, with a view to finding an inconsistency or of obtaining evidence that he was accessory to the robbery. The suspicion is expressed that several of the employes of the express and of the railroad companies carefully planned the Umatilla Indian reservation: ham, and divided the money between and of this the Indians, according to the them. It was stated at first that the bill under which they are taking lands, amount stolen was slightly in excess of are to receive not to exceed 120,000 acres \$50,000, but claims have already been in the aggregate for all purposes. The Walking Jackets, presented to the company which swell Indians are to receive no patents for their A Washington dispatch of Nov. 1st the amount to \$81,000. The majority of lands until the expiration of twenty- Gossamers and

There is a general feeling of relief throughout the country at the defeat of elect him. It is fortunate that such was not the case, His election would have been a recognition and endorsement not lands for his own use and occupation. encouraging to the murderous anarchists and socialists, like Herr Most, who ento know that whatever danger there

The great unknown quantity, the size of George's vote, now that Irving Hall low, expenses should be cut down in every has indorsed him, still causing great mousehold. Economy, the bills by always mothers, head off doctor bills by always sanguine that he will be elected, receiving over 100,000 votes. The Sun thinks his vote will not exceed 35,000, and the by J H Chitwood & Son. and Times believe Roosevett's election is

What will cure throat and lung troubles?

ASHLAND CITY ELECTION

The Ashland municipal election passed off quietly last Monday, and a tolerably full vote was polled-221 ballots being east, an increase of thirty over the number cast last year. There were two tickets in the field, the one nominated by the water pipe convention, as published in the convention held at Myer's hall last Friday afternoon. The latter convention was called to nominate candidates op posed to the laying of water pipe and engine and the establishment of a system of cisterns, but upon assembling the nembers adopted resolutions abandoning plan of loaning the \$6000 in the fire fund to some responsible company that would agree to lay pipes and furnish the city water for fire purposes free of charge; the company to have the privilege of sellwater to citizens for domestic use. This action of the anti-water pipe convention really left but a shadow of the original issue which was made between the two divisions of the city council before the election. The two tickets, with

the votes received, were as follows:

Vote. Maj. J. M. McCall 133 COUNCILMEN, James Thornton...147 Henry Judge....146 Abram Bish....127 M. L. McCall. TREASURER, M. L. Alford 140 J. S. Eubanks. S. D. Taylor....

R. Hatfield . . . L. A. Sackett. W. A. Cordell.. E. M. Miller... W. B. Colton. D.R.B.Winniford 84 STREET COM., Wm. Patterson. . 106

Councilmen, Dennis Porter.

W. F. Songer 84

ourse, to insure the laying of water pip for fire purposes, either by the city, or probably if a better plan should be offered, by someone granted the right of way, etc., by the city. Since the disputit will probably be conceded by all that the matter of beginning work upon the pipe system was postponed till after the election. The people have spoken in inmistakable terms in favor of water pipe protection, and the council can now proceed with the matter knowing that no effort should be spared to ascertain exactly the best method of procedure

with adequate and reliable protection. Thanksgiving Proclamation. Following is the thanksgiving proclamation of President Cleveland, issued

and to reduce the cost of the improve

ment to the very lowest figure consistent

pects of the different parties are to be af- By the President of the United States fected. Both Republicans and Democrats | It has long been the custom of the peo will agree, however, that the reduction of ple of the United States, on a day in each year especially set apart for that purpose by the chief executive, to acknowledge the goodness and mercy of tration has not completely captured the God, and to invoke his continued care and protection. In observance of such custom, I, Grover Cleveland, president of the United States, do hereby designate result as a notice that he must cut loose | and set apart Thursday, the 25th day of all connection with the mugwumps and November instant: to be observed and civil service reformers, and beign immediately the wholesale delivery of the offices which have not yet been handed over to the Democracy. New York City, for our continued enjoyment of the bless Democracy for 1888, and it is probable of business prosperity through our land, ing of our free government, for a renewal the managers of the party will not trou- for the return which has renewed the ble themselves much about any other labor of those who till the soil, and for our progress as a people in all that makes a nation great. And while we contemplate the infinite power of God, in earthquakes, floods and storm, let the grateful heart of those who have been sheltered from harm through his mercy be turned in sympathy and kindness toward those who have suffered through his visitations. Let us also, in the midst of our thanksgiving, remember the poor and needy with cheerful gifts and alms, so that our service may, by deeds of charity, be made acceptable in the sigh of the Lord. In witness whereof I have hereunto set

Done at the city of Washington, this first day of November, in the year of our eighty-six, and of the Independence of carefully examined by the detectives, and the United States of America one hundred

my hand and crused the seal of the United

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er land office of the United States by the register thereof, to the highest bidder for cash. Each purchaser shall be entitled Henry George for the mayoralty of New lands and an additional tract of forty portion of voters of foreign birth in the acres of timbered lands, and no more. metropolis; the general agitation of the He shall pay one-third of the purchase price of untimbered lands at the time of terest on the deferred payment at the his purchase, make and subscribe an oath solicitation of any other, and that he has made no contract whereby the title thereto shall directly or indirectly inure to the benefit of another; and before a serious trouble from the lawless element patent shall issue for untimbered lands in many parts of the country, and it is the purchaser shall make satisfactory purchased at least one year and has re-

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LOFTUS—HELM.—At the residence of Dr. A. C. Helm, Ashland, Oct. 28th, Mr. E. H. Loftus and Miss Jessie Helm; Rev. A. M. Russell

Sheriff Patterson in Grant's Pass, Oct. 27th. 1886, A. K. Russ and Miss M. A. Anderson. both of Josephine county.

the engine idea entirely and favoring the STRANG-BEALL. -At the residence of the bride's parents near Medford, Nov. 3, 1886, Mr. Chas. Strang and Miss Mamie Beall, Rev. M. A. Williams officiating.

METZ-At Peris, San Diego county, Cal., Oct. 26, 1886, Mrs. Albert W Metz, formerly of Ashland, and daughter of W. J. Cunning-

Wild Cherry and Tar. Every body knows the virtues of Wild Cherry and Tar as a relief and cure for any affections of the throat and lungs, com-bined with these two ingredients are a few simple healing remedies in the composi-tion of Dr. Bosanko's Gough and Lung Syrup, making it just the remedy for hard times. Price 50 cents and \$1. Samples free. Sold by J H Chitwood & Sons.

Gov. Moody has issued a proclamation calling for a special election of representative in Multnomah county to fill the vacancy resulting from the resignation of D. W. Taylor. The day appointed for the election is Tuesday, Nov. 23d.

Rev. H. B. Errell, of Pavilion, N. Y., says of Gilmore's Aromatic Wine: "I believe it to be a most desirable remedy to be placed in every family. Read these facts-It may save your life

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The same opinion is expressed by the well-known Dr. L. J. Addison, of Chicago, "I have never found, in thirty-five years of ntinuous study and practice of medicine, any eparation of so great value as AYER'S CHERRY

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business, I most respectfully request all persons owing on notes or accounts to settle the same immediately. Accounts not paid by November 15th, must be put into notes with approved security. The old books must be closed without delay.

J. D. FOUNTAIN, Ashland, Or., Oct. 28th, 1886.

Must be Paid. All notes and accounts due the undersigned must positively be paid by Nov. 1, 1886. All persons knowing themselves indebted will please come forward at once. All notes and accounts may be found at the Bank of Ash-

Ashland, Or., Aug. 12, 1886. Settle and Pay Up.

All persons indebted to the undersigned are requested to make prompt settlement of their accounts. We must have money to run the business. A word to the wise is sufficient Dear render, if you are one of those referred to please take notice and act accordingly. J. M. McCall.

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