NEARLY 20,000 WOMEN AND oats where with to meet their con-CHILDREN TREATED.

A Democratic Candidate's Novel Method of Conducting a Campaign.

NEW YORK, July 30 .- Between 15,-000 and 20,000 women and children were the guests of former Chief of Police William S. Devery, on a water picnic today. Devery is a candidate for the Democratic leadership of the Ninth Assembly District, and the monster outing was a feature of the spectacular campaign he has been conduct-

Men were excluded and the six shiploads of excursionists consisted only of women and children from the Ninth district. Two large steamers and four large barges were required to handle the crowd, and Devery was personally in charge. Ten physicians, a corps of trained nurses and a life-saving crew, and an opera company, a vaudeville troupe and four bands were taken along and refreshments served in unlimited quantities.

DUELISTS SUCCUMB TO WOUNDS.

Fought Over a Woman Whom Both Loved.

BAGLE PASS, Tex., July 30.-Augustine Alajaraza was fatally stabbed at an early hour Tuesday morning by Estanislado Perez in Ciudad Porfirio Diaz Mexico. Perez in return received shots that caused his death a few hours later. Both men were enamoured of the same woman, and in a quarrel which followed a conversation about her, the shooting and cutting occurred. The heart of Alajaraz was severed, but he succeeded in inflicting fatal injury to his adversary before he died. Alajaraz was well known in musical circles here and he belonged in Monterey.

MUST STOP CORNER-

ING JULY OATS.

CHICAGO, July 30 .- Judge Chytraus today issued an injunction against the Board of Trade firms of Patton Bros., Carrigan. Patten & Company, and Bartlett. Fraser & Company, restraining them from conducting or cont'nuing to conduct a corner in July oats. The writ was issued at the request of namen from Mexclo, piloted into this Waite, Thobarn & Company, another commission firm, which is short to the

This is the first time in the history of the Chicago Board of Trade that dealers who are short have resorted exclusion act. Detective Riley, of the to the courts to assist them in a dilemcame as a decided surprise, although drastic measures had been threatened time by means of movers' wagons, Default or

NEW CAMPAIGN SCHEME oats, lawsuits and action by the Board of Trade are seemingly the inevitable results of granting of the restraining order. Unable to secure new July tracts, the dealers who are short appear to have practically thrown up heir hands.

"We have nothing left to do but default," said one of the unfortunates "Those in control of the cortoday. ner will not sell but tell us to go into the pit and buy. If we should do that the prices would go up into the clouds. A dollar a bushel could easily be exacted as receipts of standard new oats will not fill our contracts."

CONDITION IS STILL DANGEROUS.

One More Life Lost and Floods Continue at San Marcos, Tex.

DALLAS, Tex., July 30.-The flood dituation was nowhere improved in outhwest Texas yesterday, while in any places it was worse and the area of destruction greater. One life was lost in the flood during the day.

San Marcos experienced the most lestructive flood ever known there. The water went three feet higher than the record in the flood of six years The property losses there will ago. amount to thousands of dollars.

At Upland, G. Smith, a blacksmith, was drowned in Plum creek. The stream is a mile wide at Lockhart.

Advices from Cameron say that hundreds of acres of fine cotton are under water from the overflow of the Brazos and Little rivers and their pributaries. Fifteen inches of rain has fallen at Palestine in three days, causing several washouts on the International & Great Northern road.

At Texarkana torrent of rain fell ast night at 8 o'clock. The water was ver a foot deep in the Western Union

telegraph office at 10 p. m. At Brenham, over eight Inches of rain fell in eight hours-the heaviest known there-and crops are said to be No trains reached Cleburne rulned: ne the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe rom the south on account of wash-

There was a 31-foot rise in the Colrado river at La Grange and at Basrop, the river rose 21 feet. Hundreds of acres of valuable cot-

ton lands are under water along Chamers creek near Corsicana. At Hearne, the dituation continues serious. The Brazos is steadily rising and spreading over adjacent farms.

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CHINAMEN INTO U. S.

EL PASO, Tex. July 30.-A prairie schooner loaded with six smuggled Chicountry by an American, has been captured near Dougiast Ariz, by customs ruards. The driver of the wagon escaped, but the Chinamen are in custody on the charge of violating the Bisbee railway, who is here, says that high have failed to arouse the sus hree million bushels of short new July pictons of the border guards.

WEST SIDE NOTES

Mrs. Deitrick has returned to Warrenton for the sammer.

Mrs. C. O. Countryman is a guest of Mrs. E. M. Lally, at Hammo Mrs Frank Sweeney and Mrs. H. G. Wood were in Astoria on Wednesday. Mr. P. W. Gillette was on the West side on Tuesday visiting all his old

Mrs. Wm. Hobson returned to Astoia on Monday after a week's visit on the West Side.

Mrs. Ida Powers has returned from Der Island and is now with her sis ter, Mrs. Grider, of Warrenton, A pleasant party was given by the

young people at the home of Mr. Halferty on Monday evening. Miss Sophle Buchel is very ill with blood poison and her recovery is very

loubtful. She is in Astoria. The sociable given Saturday evenng for the benefit of the Episcopal shurch was a success, both socially and financially. Every number on the program was good, and the refresh-

nents were par excellence. During the visit of P. W. Gillette to Clatsop Plains he noted the great rrowth of the Scotch broom. It was e that planted the first seeds on his Lewis and Clark farm in the early 50s. He also obtained the first seeds of the velvet grass or cook, as it is sometimes called, that is used for hay on all ranches.

CHAMBERLAIN RESUMES WORK

NEW YORK, July 30 .- Colonial Secretary Chamberlain's academic reference to the imperial conference in the louse of commons tending to minimize the importance of the nronosals under discussion has caused the colonial ministers to studiously refrain from exciting hopes which cannot be fulfilled. cables the London correspondent of the Tribune. They assert that progress has been made since the jubilee conference, when generalities alone were discussed and representative menof the mother country and the colonies were ontent with the promotion of good feeling. They add that while no important results have been accomplished this year, practical measures for bringing the constituent portions of the empire together have been considered and that this is a sign that an imperial federation is nearer than

Canadian ministers have not abandoned the hope of obtaining preferential shipment of grain from the Doninion and assert that even the smallest concession would be worth much as an advertisement of the country's agricultural resources and would be helpful to immigration.

PROFESSIONAL BALL PLAYER COMMITTED TO ASYLUM.

LONISVILLE, July 30 .- Phil Reccius, once a professional base Lati player, has been committed to the insane asylum at Lakelani. His condima like the present, and the injunction Chinamen have been smuggled into tion is attributed to an 'njury receivthe United States regularly for some ed while playing with the Spokane team in the early 10s. He was in the tohow's how when he swiftly batted ball. He fielded his an out at first, retiring the side and then fell uncons lous. Since then he har been subject to mental attacks. He was 40 years old.

PORTAGE RAILROAD IS SOLD.

PORTLAND, July 30 .- The Oregonan tomorrow will say:

If reports in railroad circles are to be believed Paul Mohr has sold his portage railroad enterprise at The Dalles to the Northern Pacific Railway Company.

STEAMSHIP ALAMEDA ARRIVES.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 30.-The steamer Alameda arrived tonight from Honolulu and went into quarantine until tomorrow morning when the passengers and mails will be landed. Delegate Wilcox is among those on board

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United States Land Office, Oregon

United States Land Office, Oregon City, July 16, 1992;
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of congress June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all public land states by act of August 4, 1872,

WILLIAM L. GHLSON,
of Dallas, county of Poik, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 5825, for the purchase of the NW, quarter of section No. 10 in township No. 6 north, range No. 9 west, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to es-tablish his claim to said land before

on of Portland, Ore ; Adeson Mon-of Portland, Or.; Thos. B. Bidwell. Astoria, Ore.

Oregon, Jacob Kayser, of Portland,
Any and all persons claiming ad-Oregon, Fred E. Ortschild, of Portland,

CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

nited States Land Office, at Oregon Oregon, June 30, 1902; e is hereby given that in com-

of Portland, County of Multnomah, States of Oregon, has this day filed in States of Oregon, has this day filed in States by act of August 4, 1892.

CALET W. BAUMGARDNER, Calett W. BAUMGARDNER, Calett W. BAUMGARDNER, County of Multnomah, State of Oregon, has this day filed in

Sanford, of Montavilla, Oregon; Wil-ham Kriesel, of Portland, Oregon; Alfred Gustafson, of Portland, Gregon; Fred E. Ortschild, of Portland, Ore-

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 20th day of September, 1962, CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. United States Land Office , Oregon City,

United States Land Office , Oregon City, Oregon, May 28, 1908.

NOTICE 18 HERREDY GIVEN that in compilance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1872, entriled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory" as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Mrs. Jessie Mead, of Portland, County of Multnomah, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No5785, for the purchase of the Sty SW4 of Section No. 25 in Township No. 7 North, Range No. 9 West, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Thursday, the 21st day of August, 1902.

She names as witnesses:

Robert Louden, John Nendell, Charles W. Mead, and Robert Osborn, all of Positions.

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Charles W. Mead, and Robert Osborn,
all of Portland, Oregon.
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are
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office on or before said 21st day of
August, 1992.
CHAS. B. MOORES.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, at Oregon-City, Oregon, July 1, 1992;
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 1, 1892.

MES DAMA G. ARMSTRONG.

proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber of stone than for agricultural purposes, register and receiver of this of and to establish his claim to said at Oregon City, Ore., on Saturday. I and before the Register and Receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, He names as witnesses: Theodore on Saturday, the 20th day of Septemackman, of Astoria, Ore.; James 42. ber .1902. He names as witnesses: Byron J. Sanford, of Montavilla, Oregon; William Kriesel, of Portland, Oregon; Jacob Kayser, of Portland,

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September, 1902 CHAS. B. MOORES.

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The States of California, Oregon, Politic is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act extended to all the Public Land "An act for the ale of imber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Missouri C. Baumgardher.

MISSOURI C. BAUMGARDNER, Nevada and Washington Territory."

States by act of Portland, County of Bulling States of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 5806, for the purchase of the SE, quarter of section No. 2, in township No. 5 north, range No. 10 west, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before the Register and Reverver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Saturday, the 20th day of Septembr, 1902.

Septembr, 1902.

States by act of SAUMGARDNER, CALEUL W. BAUMGARDNER, Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement, No. 5908, for the purchase of the lot 3, 8E, on active of NW, quarter, El half of SW, quarter, of section No. 2, in Township No. 5 North Range No. 10 West, a i will offer proof to show that the Assagint is more valuable for its timber or stone that for agricultural purposes, and to calculate the color of this office at treepon and receiver of this office at treepon and receive of this office at treegen City, Octob, on Saturday, the 20th day of September, 12.2. He ham a as witnesses

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CHAS. B. MOORES.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

mited States Land Office at Oregon City, July, 19, 1902.

City, July, 19, 1902.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice
of his intention to make final proof
in support of his claim, and that said
proof will be made before the county
clerk of Clatsop county, at Astoria,
Oregon, on September 1, 1902, viz: H.
E. No. 10995, by
JOSE S. GOULARTE.
for the S.E.W. of section 10, township

for the S.E.% of section 10, township 4 north, range 9 west. 4 north, range 9 west.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz. Jas.

A. Neal, of Warrenton, Ore.; Robert Crawford, of Nehalem, Ore.; Samuel Lunberg, of Nehalem, Ore.; Frank Lunberg, of Nehalem, Ore. Nehalem, Ore CHAS, B. MOORES.

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