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ALTHOUGH no vote has been taker on the matter, it is practically settled that no part of the appropriation for an exhibit at St. Louis will be expended for a building there, as no exhibit past and its period of business depres placed in such a building can compete for premiums, and only such of our citizens as are fortunate enough to go to St. Louis can derive any benefit from a state building. The same amount of money expended in showing our resources through judicious advertising and a fuller display of the wonderful agricultural, mineral, stock and other resources, will be of much greater advantage to the people in general. A cheap building, and we could build no real hustlers of Astoria are the men other out of our appropriation and leave enough for other purposes, would printer's ink extensively to bring their be worse than none as compared to business before the people. Then again the elaborate buildings of other states, while a fine display of our natural recources will capture for us the premiums, as we excel nearly every other state in such resources.

EVERY patriotic citizen has it in his power to do something for Astoria. Every good word said for the city abroad has its reward. The circulation of literature bearing on the advantages of Astoria as a commercial industrial, shipping and social center brings the city to the attention of prospective settlers. Literature of this description should be distributed broadcast through the state and the country. The reports of the various municipal departments, as well as statistics bearing on the business conditions of the city, would be of great interest to business men of other localities who are a former Simonite. The question now looking about for a new business and occurs: What is the necessity of such residence locality.

THE talk of tariff tinkering that is occupying the attention of the democratic editorial writers at the present the desperado being a member of the time brings up horrible visions of the "soup kitchen" days that preceded the advent of the Dingley tariff, and brighter recollections of the "full dinner pail" conditions that followed the enactment of that measure. The American workman does not forget the

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rejoices convinces him that tariff tinkering is too hazardous an undertaking for him to encourage. Don't monkey with the tariff.

IT may not have occurred to the business men who do not advertise in the columns of the local press that the who are going ahead, and who use those who do not make good progress in the city will find their business growth of Astoria. Many will ask themselves the question: Where is the the incredulous look at the figures of around the city at the prosperity ev- proved. erywhere manifest.

FRANK C. Baker of Portland is now the nominal head of the republican and that the attorney acted on his own party in the state of Oregon. Senator responsibility. Mitchell hastens into print to announce that the election of Mr. Baker as chairman of the state central committee does not indicate any change in the republican leadership of Multnomah county, and that Jack Matthews is not a statement from such a source.

throes of another man-hunt, this time snuffed out the life of a man at Centralia. Like many other stars who occupy the centre of the stage "Elusive" Smith is a bad actor. The posses led by police and sheriffs of the towns through which he has passed continue to let him slip through their cordons with daily regularity.

A SANTA Rosa pastor has given the taid old deacons of the First Baptist church something akin to an electrical shock by stating that religion will yet earn from the trusts the lesson of consolidation-the consolidation of religious forces. Evidently they think that their time is fully occupied learning the lesson of consolidation against the trusts.

big dredge for clearing a channel at the mouth of the Columbia river will not be ready for operation before September 15. This will leave but a short ime for the dredge to render effectve service, which will render further postponement necessary. .

THE fair commission wants to repesent every nook and corner of our state, and to that end President Myers will be pleased to receive communications from anyone who has any profect or idea which he thinks will be of benefit to our exhibit at St. Louis.

SPEAKING of democratic presiden tial comedies, is there anything quite so sidesplitting as the Wille Randolph Hearst boom. It contains greater possibilities than Eryan's new, tragedy: Grover Cleveland, Third-termer."

ONE year ago today Arthur J. Balfour, premier of England, held his first abinet council. During that time the ministry has lost nearly a dozen seatn the House of Commons.

noved into town, and Budd doesn't

THE citizens of Astoria present their compliments to the weather forecaster ind request that he continue making unshine in order that the farmers may

AN editor of a small American paper ecently stated that he had been kissed one of the most beautiful women in the town. He promised to tell her name in the first issue of his paper next month. In two weeks the circulation of his newspaper doubled. But when he gave the name of his wife he had to leave town.

THE Actors' Union of New York has suspended several members. Presumably they were had actors.

MAYOR Schmitz of San Francisco is said to be tuning up the old violin

GOOD Morning. Have you heard of the "Push" club lately? WHAT did you do for Astoria yes-

terday? PETITION FOR SEIZURE

Funds of Insurance Company Wanted For Damages.

New York, July 16 .- A petition has been received by a local judge, says a Buenos Ayres dispatch to the Herald, requesting on the part of the Montevideo court, the seizure of the funds and properties of a New York insurance company to pay \$1,250,000 damages awarded to Cassimro Castro. The local judge has issued a bankrupt decree against the company and has appointed a receiver for its properties. The seizure of the properties has been postponed, however, under an arrangement with counsel for the recev-

The Uruguayan authorities are con sidering United States Minister Finch's communication requesting a revision of Dr. Nellie Smith Vernon methods are not keeping pace with the the court's decision in the suit which rapid growth referred to apparent. Let the charge of insuring hopelessly ill persons to collect the claims after the last school census, and then glance death and the accusation was not

> In its defense the insurance company alleged that its lawyer was not authorized to proceed against Castro

COMES IN FOR ESTATE

Boys Fall Heir to Fortune of Man They Murdered.

Kinderhook, N. Y., July 16.-The three Vanwormer boys, Willis, Burton and Frederick, now awaiting death at Dannemora, will come in for a share of the estate of their uncle, Peter A. Hallenbeck, whom they were convicted of having murdered last Christmas, Besides considerable real estate he left Hallenbeck, the widow, died last week and it has been found that she left no will. The Vanwormer boys, as nephews will have a claim on the estate. They are likely to secure an appeal on the funds that are at hand.

NECESSARY LEGISLATION.

Roosevelt Confers With Lodge On Important Subject of Finance.

Oyster Bay, July 16.-President Roosevelt has noted for a long time the necessity of financial legislation of a remedial character and today he expressed to Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, his desire that early action upon the subject be taken by congress along the line of his recent messages and speeches Indeed it can be said that he hopes ac-THE announcement is made that the tion will be initiated at the extra secsion of congress, he will call on Nov. 2, for the purpose of enacting legislation approving the Cuban treaty.

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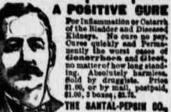
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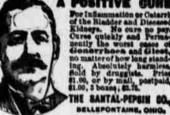
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