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by R. G. Dunn & Co. numbered 8.176, with liabilities of \$101,655,855 and assets of \$53,109,285, a decrease of 500 in number of insolvencies but an increase of out of murder no good can come. nearly \$16,000,000 in total Habilities. In manufacturing lines there were 2,005 defaults, involving \$43,764,818. Trading vises girls not to marry a man of milfailures numbered 5,761, and the de- lions. Astoria is a safe place for such faulting indebtedness was \$40,273,521, as a selection. It has only two in the compared with 6,147 failures in corres- Red Book's immensely rich list. One ponding time months of 1902, when the disclaims the right to be there and both other branches. Inquiries are again sum involved was \$40,726,920. On the are married men. Pacific coast very little change occurred in the business mortality rate, Total failures the first three-quarters to be defeated in his attempt to get of 1963 were 616 against 625 last year, but the liabilities increased from 4.731,-564 to \$5,151,580. Washington failures how many other girls claim to be his wire trade continues in exceptionally fa numbered 127 against 135, with \$1,008,- flances 884 liabilities compared with \$896,041; Oregon 107 against 87, Habilities \$362,-693 against \$305,812; Idaho 39 against 46, liabilities \$85,800 against \$150,850, and rushes to the grand jury and gets an Alaska 2 with \$205,270 liabilities, com- indictment of the governor's private pared with 7, with \$68,970 liabilities in. 1902. The report indicates a normal condition of business and comparatively few suspensions, compared with the enormous increase in current opera-

Miss Osa Waldrop, well known to many Oregon people is playing the part of "Mintle" in the "Dairy Farm" empty flour barrel at a hungry man's to her liking for stage life. Her ans- Christendom, wer was: "I'm perfectly miserable and almost sad at this business. All that there is to this stage life is very fleeting. Many a night you come home of timber being shipped east are to your lonely room and cry yourself to labeled "Astoria, Oregon"" sleep. I've had many a heartache in the three years that I have been on the stage. I have gone to rehearsals day after day in tears and each line that I lain and Secretary Hitchook in Washread has been followed by a call-down. Stage managers don't know everything. but they simply tear you to pieces. A domestic home life, a home, a husband Elmond's min from the Pertland hotel, and little ones should be the ideal of The third had a tip Earner's name was woman's life."

The following is a requirement of the state board of health relative to children in school: It shall be the duty of all school boards in all the districts of shooter. whatever class in the state of Oregon to prohibit the entrance into any of the public schools of the state, of all children not previously vaccinated (the evidence of which is shown by the scar) without proper vaccination; and it will be the duty of the teacher or teachers in any of the public schools in the state of Oregon to satisfy themselves that such order has been properly enforced, the evidence being a sear, or by certificate signed by a reputable phygician.

A number of congressmen at the invitation of W. R. Hearst are visiting by special train the territories of Oklanoma, Arizona and New Mexico. Aside from the political aspirationsMr. Hearst ins in view, the purpose of the trip is the use of Electric Bitters and feel that acquire information relative to the flaims of these territories as to their ualifications for statehood, a question hat will come up at the next congress, general debility, get Electric Bitters. rizona has a population of 122,931; New Mexico, 195,310; Oklahoma, 400,000. The population of the state of Wyomng is 95,531; that of Nevada, 42,335.

____ The government crop reports for the resent year show the farmer to be e bone and sinew of the land. Estinates place the product of farm and lantation at\$5,000,000,000. The corn esti nate is \$1,144,950,000; wheat \$535,872,000; ats \$267,901,050; cotton \$528,872,000; hay 561,000,000; potatoes \$132,000,000, and other minor crops will bring the total miput to \$5,000,000,000.

In one of the mountain counties of Centucky there was a man tried before jury and fined \$25 and costs. After be verdict was rendered the defendant remarked that he came off much better than he expected from the fact that he had had a personal combat with threefourtha of the jurymen that sat on his case in the past two years.

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It is not always a sure sign that a man is pleas by his pants being worn out at the knees. He might be a crap-

The only Oregon newspaper men whose names appear in the Red Book are H. W. Scott and Letson Balllet.

During the last nine months 26,817 emigrants crossed over the border from the United States into Canada

Some left-over days from summe come in very nicely now.

CONFESSIONS OF A PRIEST.

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BLAST FURNACE OUTPUT.

New York, Oct. 15 .- Our monthly last furnace statistics, which represent conditions prevailing October 1, says the Iron Age, deal with affairs existing before the measures to restrict pig iron production were put into effect. They must, therefore, not be indicating the present state of the pig fron industry. The figures show that the production of coke and anthracite pig iron in September was 1,556,717 gross tons.

as compared with 1,571,136 tons in August. The production was at practically the same rate during both months. It September the coke and anthracite furnaces blown out numbered_27, compared with seven blown in, showing a net reduction of 20. This was sufficient to reduce the weekly capacity of active coke and anthraeite furnaces from 260,197 tons September 1 to 254,474 tons on October 1. Since the beginning of the current month nine blast furnaces have been blown out, in the Mahoning and Shenango valleys, as well as quite number of stacks in other parts of he country and still more furnaces are being prepared to be blown out. The movement to restrict production i therefore fairly under way.

The consumption is keeping up much better than would be supposed from the discouraging reports in circulation. The Chicago market is practically the only pig iron market showing much life, that by their deeds men are known and The demand there has been considerably better the past week, the lower price now ruling having proved more in line with the views of the buyers. Charcoal pig iron was reduced \$1.50 per ton bringing it more closely to pig iron. While reports of better business are coming from some branches of the finished from and steel trades, these are offset by reports of diminished trade in heginning to be received from some of the large railroad companies who have Senator Platt is too old a politician not placed their rail orders for the next year, the reports from steel car companies are more encouraging as to the ontlook for business, merchant pip wedding pulled off in time no matter mills are actively employed and the vorable condition. On the other hand a large percentage of the sheet mil capacity of the country is idle and the un plate factories are feeling a slackcity hall graft than jealus St. Louis ness of trade in their line to such an extent that important mills are being laid off to await an improvement,

HOSE, TEAM NOT YET FORMED. "

The East Astoria fire company has not yet been organized. A list is now being circulated and within a few days enough signatures will be secured to assure the success of the organization

SARAFOFF REPORTED KILLED.

Salonica, Oct. 15 .- Military operations in Macedonia are slacking, alnew being produced in Oregon. Miss home is worth more to that man than though there are occasional reports of Waldrop was recently interviewed as all the tracts and flowery sermons in lighting. Reports have been received

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Office Chief Commisary, Vancouver Barracks, Wash., October 10, 1903. Scaled proposals for furnishing and delivering potatoes and onlogs for six months beginning November 1.1903, will be received here and at offices of commissarles at Fort Stevens, Oregon, Boise Barracks, Idaho, Fort Columbia. Fort Casey, Fort Flagler, Fort Walla Walla, Fort Worden and Fort Wright Washington, until 10:30 a. m. October 20, 1903, and then opened. Information furnished on application. Envelopes containing proposals should be endorsed: "proposals for potatoes and onions, and addressed to Commissary of post to be supplied or to Major George B. Davis, Chief Commissary,

Office of Chief Commisary, Vancouver Barricks, Wash., Sept 21, 1903. Sealed proposals for furnishing and delivering fresh beef and mutton for six months beginning January 1, 1904. be received here and at office of com missaries at Fort Stevens, Oregon Bolse Barracks, Idaho; Forts Casey, Columbia, Flagler, Walla Walla, Wright, Worden, Lawton and Vanconver Barracks, Wash., until 10:30 a. m. I am now cured of a disease that had October 21, 1903, and then opened. Information furnished on application, Envelopes containing proposals should be endorsed "Proposals for fresh beef and mutton," and addressed to commis sary of post to be supplied, or to Major George B. Davis, Chief Commissary. 8-21-0-数

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