GRANGES SOLID

Organization Throughout State Will Fight All Unpledged Legislators.

Throughout Oregon the granges are coming to the support of the direct primary law and of Statement No. 1. Meetings are being held continually in different parts of the state, at which the law is being indorsed and more than that the members of the organization are pledging themselves not to support for the legislature any candidate who does not subscribe to Statement No. 1 when he makes his announcement as a candidate for nomina-

nouncement as a candidate for nomination and election.

During the recent past granges in Multnomah county and throughout the valley have neld enthusiastic meetings, at which the issues of the campaign have been discussed. The attack being made upon the primary law and the principle of popular election of United States senators by the old-line pollticians of the state has been given fulk and free consideration. As a result of this discussion the granges have in each instance formulated resolutions indorsing the law and Statement No. 1 in strong terms, and at the same time pledging the individual members and the united support of the organizations for those candidates who make their appeals to the people on Statement No.

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1 platforms.

The most recent action in this direction was taken at Dufur at a special meeting of Ramsey Park grange; No. 352, which indorsed the previous action of Blue Mountain grange. The resolution of the Ramsey Park grange, which was adopted unanimously, and also the resolutions of the Blue Mountain grange are as follows:

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"Resolved, That the action of Ramsey Park grange on this matter, be furnished to the Dufur Dispatch, The Dalles Chronicle and the leading Portland papers. The resolutions follow:

"Whereas, The order of Patrons of Husbandry has always indorsed the principles of electing United States senators by the direct vote of the people; therefore, be it

"Resolved, By Blue Mountain grange, and we mutually pledge each other that we will not vote for any candidate for the legislature who will not publicly pledge himself to vote for the people's choice for United States senator, first, last and all the time; and be it further "Resolved, That we mutually pledge each other to use all honorable means to defeat any and all candidates for the legislature who refuse to publicly pledge legislature who refuse to publicly pledge

legislature who refuse to publicly pledge themselves to this proposition or in any manner equivocating by giving a meanligless pledge which can be construed differently from the broad and simple pledge of supporting the people's choice for United States senator, first, last and all the time; and be it further "Resolved, That we recommend to our brother patrons over the state that they unite with us in carrying this principle, laid down in the primary election law, into practical effect, to the end that this cherished principle of electing United State, senators by a direct vote of the people, which our order has advocated from its foundation, may to all intents and purposes be attained."

Building Permits.

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D. W. Walker, erect dwelling, East Fiftleth between Belmont and East Taylor, \$2,000; George W. Claggett, erect dwelling, Twenty-first, corner Laurel, \$2,200; Mrs. Mary H. Thomas, erect dwelling, East Burnside between East Twenty-second and East Twenty-fourth, \$2,200; Mrs. Edith Alderman, erect dwelling, East Morrison between East Thirty-fourth and East Thirty-fifth, \$2,200; Fred Wilde, erect two dwellings, East Tenth, between Hawthorne and East Clay, \$1,500 each; R. C. Brooks, erect dwelling, Villa avenue between Smith and Wilbur, \$1,600; C. O. Norback, erect two dwellings, Killings-worth between Denver and Concord, \$2,000 each; A. J. Lee, erect dwelling, East Nineteenth, between Wygant and Alborta, \$2,000.

MAMA'S LITTLE BABY

Read Sharkey's Saturday ad. DOORWAY FASTENED

Umatilla County Voters May Differ From State Senator's Statement 1 Views.

Unsatilla county politics have not yet begun to warm up, according to State Senator W. G. Cole and Judge James A. Fee of Pendleton, both of whom are in Portland on business. Both predict that the presence of the child at their home would have a tendency to keep than the contract of the child at their home would have a tendency to keep than the contract of the child at their home would have a tendency to keep than the contract of the child at their home would have a tendency to keep than the contract of the child at their home would have a tendency to keep the contract of the contract Uniatilla county politics have not yet that Pendleton, which is the vote center of the county, will return anti-Statement No. 1 majorities should that question be made an issue there, though neither are saying that C. A. Barrett, candidate for the legislature on a Statement No. 1 platform, will be de-feated.

At the present time T. I. Mahoney

Should another candidate put in an appearance it would of course complicate matters for one or the other of the Umatilla candidates.

"From what I hear about the streets of Pendleton," said Senator Cole in discussing the outlook, "I believe the county will support candidates taking the Republican voters' choice in preference to straight Statement No. I men. As it now stands, Mr. Barreft stands in no danger but should Claud Steen, a member of the house at the last session, come out on a modified statement platform it would worry Barrett to beat him out. Steen has not made up his mind yet whether he will run."

Judge Fee holds about the same ideas of the situation, but he qualifies his remarks by the statement that "You can't tell what will happen until after the tell what will happen until after the voting is over." Both men will return to their homes

William J. Bryan will attend the Ne-braska Democratic state convention at Omaha this week.

Financial confidence is based on individual confidence-

Steady nerves and a clear brain-

"There's a Reason"



SPRING DISPLAY

Cluett and Star Shirts

A phenomenal showing of the most beautiful 'new patterns, perfectly made, new fabrics from Scotch and English mills-

Priced From

\$1.50 to \$3.50

Other new Spring things - Dent's,

Wife Admits She Tried to Deceive Husband With Borrowed Infant.

Mrs. Emma Warren, answering the complaint of her husband for divorce, admits that during his absence from the city she secured a baby from the baby home and on his return represented to him that a son had been born to him. But Mrs. Warren denies that this deception was intended to annoy him. She says she thought it would make him happy, but she evidently did not count on his discovering her leger-demain.

Warren explains that her action him at home and make him more happy and contented."
Other charges made against her by

Statement No. 1 majorities should that question be made an issue there, though neither are saying that C. A. Barrett, candidate for the legislature on a Statement No. 1 platform, will be defeated.

At the present time T. J. Mahoney, of Ione, Merrow county, is out after the position of joint representative from Umatilla and Morrow counties on an anti-statement platform. Barrett is running in Umatilla county for representative from that county on a Statement No. 1 platform and L. L. Mann, a well-known wheat-grower living near didacy on an anti-statement platform.

These three men just fill the ticket in that county and should no other come out for the primaries there will be no contest over their election. Should another candidate put in an appearance it would of course complicate metrors.

Sulphur laden gas escaping into the storage tank for less than 15 minutes shortly before 6 o'clock last night caused an immense amount of discomfort all over the city. The accident occurred just at the hour when the consumption of gas was greatest. Lamps were being lighted all over the city and hundreds of gas ranges were being used in preparing the evening meal. The nauseating fumes reached the thickly populated district a little after 6 o'clock, and for two hours gas consumers were forced to elther leave their houses for the streets, or throw up all the windows and open the doors to permit the foul odors to escape into the open. The condition was much worse in the center of the city, the impure gas having for the most part been consumed before any of it reached the subpirbs.

"While the purifiers were being changed at the central plant last night, said Superintendent Papet, of the gas company, "a quantity of impurified gas escaped into the storage tanks. The mistake was discovered in less than 16 minutes and corrected. The company has ordered new machinery and appliances, which will do away with the sul-

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were divided, as is customary, into several lines of children. One line, as per usual directions, was marched toward a side door from whence stairs or fire-escape lead to the street. Other lines marched to other exits.

When the line that was directed toward the side entrance reached the doorway the doors were found to be securely locked and no one seemed to know who had the key. Had a fire been in progress there would have been a panic. As it was the children grew noticeably nervous during the delay

panic. As it was the children grew noticeably nervous during the delay which lasted many minutes and they were finally marched back to their classrooms.
Parents of Portland will probably insist that all schoolhouses of this city

must be rigidly inspected and some system adopted by which doors to schools shall remain unbarred during school hours and that they open out

Goes to Asylum.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Astoria, Or., March 5.—William Karvonen, a native of Russia, aged 35 years, was examined by the sanity board today and committed to the in-

PIANO OWNERS OFTEN **NEGLECT INSTRUMENTS**

VALUABLE POINTERS REGARDING THE CARE OF A PIANO.

Very few piano owners realize the necessity of having their piano carefully tuned, adjusted and inspected regularly. This is especially true with the high-grade instruments, which are

the high-grade instruments, which are delicately adjusted.

It is absolutely necessary to keep the pitch of the instrument true. A plano may sound in fairly good tune and still be a fourth to a half tone above or below the pitch or tension it is built to sustain. In such cases the plano cannot produce the quality or amount of tone intended.

Sulphur Fumes Leak Into
Gas Mains and Make
Thousands Cough.

not produce the quality or amount of tone intended.
Not only should itabe properly tuned, but the action should also be carefully inspected and, if necessary, adjusted. There is also danger of the hammers and felt cushions becoming moth-ridden. Quite a number of instruments have been greatly damaged by this little insect.

By having the plano carefully and regularly inspected, this latter evil can

THE BEST QUALITY



THE MOST VALUE

334th BARGAIN FRIDAY

Offerings of Great Merit Will Be Found in **Every Section of This Great Store**

Tomorrow's great sale offers exceptional buying opportunities. Place your expectations high, and you may be sure they will still be realized, for Friday's bargains are above the average merit.

Women's and Children's Ready-to-Wear Garments at Bargain Friday Prices

The Bargain Friday Sales at Roberts Bros.' store continue to grow in volume and popularity every week. Tomorrow's offerings in the Suit Room will be unusually attractive, made so by many special purchases. The garments offered are of the most fashionable styles, materials and workmanship the very best. The following prices are far below real values:

Walking Skirts, \$4.50 to \$5.90 Values, \$2.85

At this price we offer choice of a half dozen styles in Fashionable Walking Skirts; they are made of excellent quality materials-Panama weaves, cheviot, serges, etc., in neat gray mixtures; they are well made and finished throughout, trimmed in pleated, gored and strap effects, \$2.85 values from \$4.50 to \$5.90, on sale Bargain Friday at \$2.85

Lawn Waists, \$1.50 Grade at 98c White Lawn Waists in a half dozen pretty new styles, trimmed with dainty embroidery and lace, made with latest style sleeves, excellent wearing quality, waists that if bought in the regular way would retail at \$1.25 to \$1.50, all sizes, on sale tomorrow, Bargain Friday

Women's Short Coats, Regular \$7.50 Values, \$5.50

Women's Stylish Short Coats in covert and gray mixtures, in box and semi-fitted styles, made with regular coat collar, pockets and neat cuffs, man-tailored and perfectly finished; regular \$7.50 values, on sale Bargain Friday at

Children's Dresses, \$1.25 Values, 85c On Special Sale and display tomorrow, a full line of Children's Wash

Dresses, made of chambray, gingham and percale of good dependable quality; they come in checks, plaids and solid colors; all new, neat styles in all sizes; our best \$1.25 line, on sale Bargain Friday at

Again, Tomorrow, Another Bargain

Buy Your Shoes and Oxfords in This Sale-Prices Are All in Your Favor

Have you seen our Morrison-Street Window Display of New Spring and Summer Shoes and Oxfords? Through very special arrangements with the best shoe manufacturers in the country we are enabled to offer many unmatchable values. A glance in our window will give you a sort of general idea of the smart styles that will be worn this spring and summer by correct dressers. Take a look in our window tomorrow and note particularly the low prices:

Oxtords

Women's Oxfords, in kid and patent leather, spring styles, all sizes—\$2.50 values \$1.99 for Women's Oxfords, in kid and patent leather, spring styles, all sizes—\$2.25 values \$1.77 for Women's Oxfords, in tan and black, vici kid, spring styles, all sizes—\$5.00 values

Boys' Satin Calf

Made to stand hard wear, sizes from 1 to 5½, good heavy soles, regular \$1.75 grade, on sale Shoes

Women's Shoes in spring styles, all sizes, best leathers-\$1.77 Women's Shoes in spring styles, all sizes, best leathers—\$3.00 values \$1.99

Women's Shoes in spring styles, all sizes, best leathers-\$3.50 values ...

> Boys' Box Calf Shoes

Made solid all through with good soles and counters, all sizes from 9 to 131/2; regular

Bargain Friday at 99c

Deep Reductions in The Men's Section For Friday's Bargain Sale

Especially great bargains for tomorrow's sale. Men's \$1.00 Shirts 79¢—75c Underwear 55¢—25c Handkerchiefs 19¢—25c Half Hose 19¢. Compare these prices and qualities with any others in the city, and you'll buy here.. Briefly, the prices tell the whole story:

Men's Sateen Shirts

Regular \$1.00 Values at 796-A special showing of Men's Sateen Shirts, made with soft button down collars and two-button sleeves; they are cut full size and fit perfectly, and come in a good shade of gray, all sizes from 14½ to 17; our regular \$1.00 values— Special Bargain Friday, each

Men's Underwear

Regular 75c Values, Garment 55¢—A great offering of Men's Merino Shirts and Drawers; they are made with ribbed bottom and cuffs, neck and front are bound with tape. The drawers have suspender straps, ribbed anklets and good pearl buttons. They are reg-

Men's Handkerchiefs

25c Values Priced at 19¢—A special offering of Men's Plain White Silk Handkerchiefs, finished with neat hemstitched edge; full regular size, extra good values at 25c, on sale Bargain Friday 19c

Men's Half Hose

Regular 25c Values 194-A full line of Men's Cashmere Half Hose They are made seamless and come in natural gray, with white heel and toe, and dark gray with light gray heel and toe. Extra good 19c values at 25c a pair, on sale Bargain Friday at

Friday Sale in the Domestic Section If the crowds which were in attendance at our last Bargain Friday Sale are any criterion, this is the main FRIDAY BARGAIN

EVENT IN THE CITY. Tomorrow you may profit immensely by being here, as the offerings consist of enormous purchases of spring merchandise for both the home and the person—18c Zephyr Ginghams go at 12½¢—10c Outing Flannel will be 7¢—18c Curtain Madras reduced to 10¢—40c Tray Cloths priced at 25¢ and \$1.50 Lace Curtains on sale at \$1.15. THESE ARE SAVINGS WELL WORTH INVESTIGATING Zephyr Ginghams

Best 18c Quality 121/4-Hundreds of yards of new Zephyr Ginghams placed on sale tomorrow for the first time; they come in a complete assortment of the latest shades in plain colors, pink and

Outing Flannel

Best 10c Grade 7¢-A special bargain sale of Outing Flannel Remnants in lengths from 3 to 15 yards each; they come in medium and light colors, mostly in pinks, blues and grays, in neat stripes and

Linen Tray Cloths

Best 40c Grade 25¢-A special sale tomorrow. All Linen Damask Tray Cloths, 18 by 27 inches; they come in a number of pretty styles, some are hemstitched, some are finished with plain hem, and others with pretty openwork centers; all are 40c values, on sale for 25c

A Special Bargain Friday Sale of Lace Curtains Our Best \$1.50 Grade at \$1.15

Tomorrow we place on sale a limited number of White Scotch Lace Curtains at a wonderfully low price. They are full 50 inches wide and 3 yards long; they are well made with perfectly finished edges; a large assortment of neat designs to choose from; our best \$1.50 values, on sale, while they last—Bargain Friday at ... \$1.15

Our Friday Sale of Art Goods Is an Economy Event

See that you secure your share of the savings. This will be a splendid chance to supply your spring sewing wants, for tomorrow you may procure the very best grades of all sorts of notions at the littlest prices of the year:

\$1.00 Hand Bags 29c

A fine assortment of Women's Leather Handbags, in black only. They come in plain and fancy leather, small shapes and neat designs; best \$1 values; your choice Bargain Friday 29c

50c Silk Belts 19c

A full line of Women's Silk Belts in black and colors, fashioned with neat black and gilt buckles, extra fine stitching, fully worth 50c—Special Bargain Friday

Scarfs and Squares 39c

A full assortment of Scarfs and Squares, made of good quality linen; they come in embroidered spachtel and plain effects, latest and prettiest designs; regular 50c values—Bargain Friday 39c

Friday's Special Offerings in Muslin Underwear, Aprons and Children's Rompers

The offerings on this day at Roberts Bros.' store have become famous all over Portland and vicinity. Tomorrow's Bargain Priday Sale will be no exception—see that you secure your share of the exceptional values offered in our great Muslin Underwear Section. Garments for both women and children have been especially underpriced.

Children's Rompers 33c

A full line of Children's Rompers made of extra heavy dark blue ging-ham. They come in all sizes from 2 to 8 years, are well made and finished throughout; reg. 50c values—Special Bargain Friday. 33c

Gingham Aprons 29c

A full line of Gingham Aprons, made of extra heavy material in blue and white checks. They are made to fasten around the waist, are full length, and have plain shoulder straps; these excellent aprons are 52 inches long and 56 inches wide; regular 50c values—

Bargain Friday

Muslin Drawers 43c

A fine line of high-grade Cambric Drawers, made umbrella style and trimmed with deep lawn hemstitched flounce, finished with neat or broidery ruffle. They are extra large size, well made and well 43.

Cambrio Skirts 89c

A choice line of fine Cambric Skirts trimmed with deep embroidery flounces and finished with lawn dust ruffle; also a line trimmed with rows of lace inserting and finished with lace edge; regular \$1.50 89c

Muslin Drawers 43c