GUILEFUL JAP

Hobson Says United States Doomed Soon as Fleet Leaves the Pacific.

San Francisco, Oct. 28 .- A few thousand Democrats in San Francisco were told last night by Captain Richmond Pearson Hobson that Japan is eagerly seeking war with the United States at an early date and that only the pres-ence of a hig fleet in the Pacific will prevent conflict.

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The congressman, who is a member of the house committee on naval affairs, readily complied. He asserted that Japan had borrowed more than a billion dollars to be used in a war with the United States. The overtures of peace on the part of Japan, said the speaker, were to delude this nation into returning the battleships to the Atlantic so that Japan could seize strategic points to the Pacific and on the western coast that Japan could selze strategic points in the Pacific and on the western coast of America and by commanding the mountain passes could prevent relief from the east. He told his hearers that there are now in the United States 65,000 good Japanese soldiers, and that Japanese are continually inciting the Filipinos to insurrection. He also discussed the Japanese school question and concluded with the assertion that only a first on the Pacific would insure peace.

peace.

The early part of Captain Hobson's speech was a plea for the election of William J, Bryan to the presidency. He declared that Bryan was the only logical choice of the people on issues that vitally affected their interests, and grilled the Republican leaders for their conduct of the nation's affairs.

CHARGES PILE UP

Rumor Links Woman's Name With Fallen Cashier in Bank Scandal.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) La Grande, Or., Oct. 28 .-- A United States marshal will arrive at La Grande tonight to arrest Scriber on additional charges. That the shortage will be considerably more than \$100,000 is positively known. Wilson finishes his work here tonight. The bank will be turned over to Niedner tomorrow. Scriber is still out on bonds today. Mrs. T. N. Murphy, who, it is rumored, is engaged to him, has \$12,000 up on his bond. Street rumor says that Mrs. Murphy was told by Scriber a week before the crash to take her money out of the bank.

Friends are working hard in the interests of Scriber.

When it became known that the shortage was so much, O. F. Coolidge, one of the bondsmen, for \$2,000, had Scriber arrested on an embezziement charge in order to get his name off the bond. will be considerably more than \$100,000

TRIPLE SUICIDE

Chicago, Oct. 28.—What was either a suicide pact between three persons or a triple murder was discovered by the police when Anna Pourdes, 52 years old, and Charles Jachinach, 53, were found dead and Alexander Mades, 45, was found dying in a room filled to the control of the c were found dead and Alexander Mades, 45, was found dying in a room filled with gas ion the rear of a saloon. The body of the woman was found at the entrance to the bedroom and that of Jachinack was lying face down across the foot of the bed. Mades was found lying face downward in a room several feet away.

The police say the condition of the bodies and the room indicates there was a struggle and they believe murder was committed.

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TWO BALLOONS IN

TRANSCONTINENTAL

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Los Angeles, Oct. 28.—The transcontinental balloon race scheduled to start from Los Angeles November 8 has been postponed to November 18. Dick Ferris, who is managing the race, announced that the balloons could not be put in shape in time to start on the first date set. But two balloons have been entered in the race. One will be polited by Captain Mueller and another by H. B. Wilde.

Trains November 2.

(Spectal Dispatch to The Journal.)

Enterprise, Or., Oct. 28.—This week has been an eventful one in the history of Enterprise. Wednesday the railroad was completed to this place. Saturday the contract was let to 8. R. Hawarth to build the courthouse. Regular train service will be established November 2. It is thought that a daily morning train will be put on from Joseph. A \$10,000 warehouse will be erected by the wool men in the vicinity of Enterprise, work to begin this fail.

Excavation for the courthouse will loc ommence at once.

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BIDS BEWARE OF "Let There Be Light" CRACK SHOOTERS USE OF HOP BY

Speaking at Denver, October 16, Mr. Bryan took for his text: "Let . there be light," and said in part

The Republican policies are without form and void. Darkness con- deals their plans. The awakened conscience of an aroused people calls
 out: "Let there be light." What influences are marshaled behind the • Republican ticket? What debts are being contracted? What mortgages • are being given? Let there be light. The Democratic committee has • set the example. For the first time in our national history a national committee has taken the nation into its confidence and given forth a list of its contributors. This is in the interest of honest politics and honest government. It, opens a new era. Will the Republican leaders . dare to defy a universal sentiment and maintain the secrecy that has given predatory wealth its hold upon the government?

The Republican national convention deliberately voted down a plank . pledging publicity and the Republican sandidate insists that the contributions should not be known until after the election, when the information can be of little service.

We demand the election of senators by the people, and this is in the interest of honest government. Let senatorial elections be held in the . daylight, and not behind closed doors in secret caucuses, where corrupt influences can cheat the people out of representation. The Democratic convention declared for the popular election of senators. The Republican convention, by an overwhelming vote, rejected the idea and the Republican candidate has merely expressed a personal inclination toward this reform.

The public demands light on the tariff question. The Republican platform deals in generalities. The language employed may mean anything or nothing, and the speeches of the Republican candidate intensify the gloom that the convention threw over the subject. Let there be light, that the people may know whether the tariff laws are to continue to be made by a few beneficiaries in their own interest, or by the people's representatives for the people's good.

What do the Republican leaders intend to do with the trusts? Let their plans be stated. Let their remedies be made known. Let there be light on this question also. We have seen one of the greatest of the trusts obtaining executive permission to absorb a rival. Is this to be continued as a settled policy of the Republican leaders? It is not sufficient to find fault with Democratic remedies. What is the Republican remedy? The people are entitled to know.

What are the Republican leaders going to do on the labor question?

Here again there is need of light. The Republican leaders claim to be the friends of labor. Let them define the friendship that they intend to show. If they are soing to oppose needed labor legislation, let them boldly declare it and not betray the toiler with a kiss.

What are they going to do on the Philippine question? They have enormously increased the appropriations for the army and navy in preparation for wars that ought never to come. They have boasted of possessions in the orient, while the Filipinos clamor for an announcement of the nation's policy. Let there be light. Let their national purposes be proclaimed, that the world may know that we have not surrendered our ideals or abandoned the principles of government that have given us preeminence among the nations.

What are the Republican leaders going to do for the restoration of confidence, among the depositors? What assurance are they going to give that the savings of the people will be protected from loss? On every question the Democratic party announces its plan and sets forth in detail the remedies which it proposes. The Democratic party takes the people into its confidence and submits its policies to their judgment. Let the Republican party be equally candid and open its books and plans; let there be light.

SIDELINE STORIES OF GREAT NORTHWEST

ASSESSMENT ROLL COMPLETED

Total Valuation of Washington

County Is \$12,558,988. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

WILL RAISE \$250,000

Rev. C. F. Clapp Goes East in Sub-

scription Cause. (Special Dispatch to The Journal,)

raising money for good causes. He was associated with President McCleiland in raising money for Pacific university when the latter was president of the local institution.

DENIES SIX PAROLES

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Olympia, Wash., Oct. 28.—Governor.
Mead has denied six paroles recom-

PRINCIPAL WITNESS ARRESTED

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PACT OR MURDER

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

North Powder, Or., Oct. 28.—B. F. Duniap, who was arrested in Baker City, October 22, charged with forging the name of Floyd F. Wiltshire to a check for \$10, is the principal witness in the murder case of State vs. Moore, now before the circuit court at La Grande, as he was the only other person present when Moore shot and killed Allen Johnson. June 28. Duniap was camp tender for Floyd Wiltshire of North Powder, and the murdered boy, an 18-year-old negro, brought from Virginia by Mr. Wiltshire three years ago, 18-year-old negro, brought from Virginia by Mr. Wiltshire three years ago, was herding for him. Moore was herder for Ed Miller, and was resting a band of sheep in the road, when Johnson came up and demanded the road for ment roll. It shows the total valua-tion of this county to be \$12,558,988. This is a lower assessment than last year. Very little complaint is heard about overvaluation, but three petitions for reduction being filed and one or two applications for a reduction of the timber cruise made for the county last year. Little change appears in valuation of town property, the principal change being in timber land. passing the sheep driven by him. In the midst of the quarrel that ensued, Moore drew his gun and killed the boy. This took place on Lyon's hill, near Telocaset. He claimed at the time that Johnson threatened his life.

RAILROAD IS COMPLETED

Enterprise Will Have Regular

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(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Husum, Wash., Oct. 28.—Beginning
November 16 and continuing five days
a joint teachers institute for Klickitat
and Skamania counties will be held at
White Salmon, The county superintendents of schools have engaged some of
the leading instructors of the state to
take charge of the work. A large attendance of teachers is predicted.
An electric light plant, to cost about
\$15,000, will be installed at Stevenson
in Skamania county. Messrs Sampson
and Orsen are the promulgators of the
new venture. The power will be derived from Rock creek. The plant will
be in running order by December 15.

HOOD RIVER BUILDING

Plans Given Out for Three Modern Brick Blocks.

Brick Blocks.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Hood River. Or., Oct. 28.—Although
Hood River is experiencing the greatest building boom in its history and
has erected 57 dwellings this year and
a number of business blocks, plans were
given out today for three new brick
blocks that will occupy 150x100 feet on
Oak street. The buildings will adjoin
the new Elict block, just finished, and
will be of the same style of architecture, fronted with yellow Newberg
pressed brick, One of them will be
occupied by a new playhouse. Work
a joint teachers' institute for Klickitat
tures at once.

DIES WHILE WORKING

Rainier Man Succumbs to Valvular Heart Trouble.

(Epscial Dispatch to The Journal.)

Rainier, Or., Oct. 28.—T. Thompson dropped dead yesterday afternoon while tending hook on the carriage at Howard's mill. Quick action saved the body from being torn to pieces on the saw. Thompson came from Norway. He lienves no known relatives here. Valually heart trouble was the cause of death.

NEW INDUSTRY PROMISED

Brick and Pottery Clay Discovered at Olympia.

(Special Disputch to The Journal.)
Ollympia. Wash., Oct. 21 Experiserts made with clay from extensive
specials within Olympia's city limits
ave demonstrated that there is an oportunity for the establishment here of

REACH ROSEBURG AMERICAN

Company D Carries Away Range Honors With a Score of 695.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Roseburg. Or., Oct. 28 .- The rifle turn for the contest, the officers having started at the northern part of the state and worked south. The shoot is under the direction of Colonel George C. Yoran of Eugene, Lieutenant George E. Houck of Roseburg, ordinance inspector; Major F. S. Baker of Portland, inspector of small arms. Each of the companies comprising the regiment is shooting on its own range.

There are eight teams in the regiment, composed of the teams from McMinnville, Dallas, Albany, Eugene (two), Cottage Grove, Roseburg and Ashland. The highest score made by any team was 695, by Company D of Roseburg yesterday afternoon. The next highest is that of Cottage Grove's team, a score of 682 on Monday. turn for the contest, the officers hav-

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F. Shields of Company D, 187. The
next highest was made by Private
Mooney of Cottage Grove, 186. With
these scores to their credit, Company D
wins the team cup for the third time,
and Private B. F. Shields the individual
medal. The Ashland team is to shoot
on Wednesday.

The personnel of the team winning it
the trophy is as follows: Lieutenant
F. G. Stewart, Corporal Alex Ferguson
and Privates B. F. Shields and Chester
Fisher. The first three on this team
were also members of the state team
that participated in the national shoot
at Port Clinton, Ohio.

Home Phone.

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That the Home telephone system is rapidly becoming popular with citizens generally is evidenced in the latest directory just issued by the company. It is almost twice the size of the previous directory and contains a volume of useful information needed in the home and office. The classification is such that the desired information can be obtained instantly. The special information bureau conducted by the company is placed at the disposal of the public. By calling A-63 you will be supplied with any information sought. The company even turns on the alarm at any hour of the night if you wish to catch a train or keep an appointment. The Home phone directory is a regular encyclopedia of information and the edition is unlimited for its patrons. Their latest directory is invaluable for the public.

PERSONALS

H. S. Rows, general agent for the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul in Portland with his family, has returned home after an extended trip through the east. Irving H. Dunlap, of the bureau of fisheries of the government, is in Portland. Yesterday he visited the hatcheries on the Clackamas accompanied by Master Fish Warden H. C. McAllister, Mr. Dunlap goes from Portland to San Francisco. a large brick and pottery works. A. Bannerman, an English expert, took samples of the clay to the laboratory of the state university and brought back finished samples of crockery and vitrified brick. Mr. Bannerman says that vitrified brick of a quality superior to that now produced in the northwest can be produced here and sold at a profit at one half what vitrified brick is now bringing. He believes also that there is a lower strata of good porcelain clay. The deposit is in West Olympia within easy tidewater access. Local people are taking up the matter.

mended by the state prison board for convicts in the penitentiary. The governor believes that the showing made to the board did not justify clemency. The other recommendations have been approved. They include 31 paroles, 37 final discharges, 1 commutation and 18 discharges from parole. The paroles denied are to James Moran, Nellie Marney, Ralph Shelton, Charles Moomaw, Lee Wilson and Oscar Worthington.

Most children eat too much, Hillsboro, Or., Oct. 28.—The county seesaor has finished the 1908 assessment roll. It shows the total valuation thin, weak, languid, stop thin, weak, languid, stop growing-that's malnutrition or non-digestion of food.

has helped countless thousands in this condition. It is both nourishment and (Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Forest Grove, Or., Oct. 28.—Rev. C. F.
Clapp of this city will leave this week
for the east to assist President MoClelland of Knox college, Galesburg, Ill.,
In raising \$250,000 for that institution.
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(United Press Lessed Wire.) San Francisco, Oct. 28 .- Prepared to argue the abuses of the Ulicit Importation into this country, Dr. Hamilton W. Wright, acting chairman of the United

States opium commission, is on his way to Shanghal, China, Dr. Wright will aid in representing the United States Roseburg. Or., Oct. 28.—The rific in the conference to be held at Shang-hal, January I, between the governments of the United States, China, Great Brittura for the contest, the officers hav-

SULTRY POLITICS IN CUBA LIBRA

(United Press Leased Wire,) Havana, Oct. 28.—The fight between the Liberal and Conservative parties for supremacy throughout the island becomes more bitter daily. The island becomes more bitter daily. The ill-feeling has resulted in charges, which the authorities are investigating today, that the Liberals have stolen private property along the route of their campaign excursions. The Conservatives claim to give a number of instances in which they say the Liberals "appropriated lands." In the eastern pertion of the island serious clashes are expected.



FALL STYLES



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Tomorrow will be a lively day in the Suit section. For Thursday we place on special sale a manufacturer's line of sample suits at actual wholesale cost. Every popular style is represented in this line, including the modish long coat models. The materials are broadcloth, serges, Panamas, cheviots and fancy mixtures of all kinds. Every suit is man-tailored and finished throughout in the very best possible manner. These sample suits range in price from \$15 to \$60.



Suits at \$11.50

Women's and misses' new Tailored Suits, standard \$20 and \$25 values, on sale tomorrow at \$11.50 apiece. These suits come in plain colors and fancy stripes in a splendid quality wool material. Coats come in 30-inch semi-fitted style trimmed with fancy braids and skirts in gored effect trimmed with fold. Come in sizes 34, 36, 38 and 40. No extra charge for alterations. See our Morrison street window.

At this popular price we offer a wide range of styles to choose from in all colors and black; suits that other stores ask \$35 and \$37.50 for. We show an especially strong line in blues, browns and greens in the stylish "directoire" models. Come in tomorrow and let us show you the best suits ever offered in the city at the price. Remember, too, all alterations are free of charge; a point worthy of your con-

green and gray; coats cut in full length "directoire" styles trimmed with fancy braids and buttons and turned cuffs and lined with best quality satin in plain colors and, fancy stripes; skirts in gored styles trimmed with buttons, braids or folds; regular values in this lot up to \$50, tomorrow your pick of the lot at the above price.

Coats at \$1.95



in full length style in fancy blue and brown mixtures trimmed with fancy buttons; cufis and collar; ages 4 to 10. These coats are standard \$3.50 values at any store in the city. On sale tomorrow only at this exceptionally low price. Don't miss this.

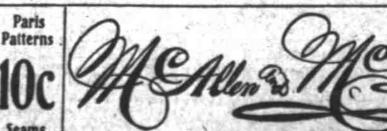


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cerized sateen Petticoats in several different styles, made in good full widths and standard \$1.50 and \$1.75 values. Not more than two to a customer. Rainy days ahead! Now's the time to buy and save about half. Suit room, second floor,

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