SEE REAL NEEDS District Attorney Wants Sec-

Jerseyman Says People in the Country Must Be Looked to for Solution of the Nation's Problems.

(United Press Leased Wire.) New York, Feb. 17 .- Appealing to his hearers to stand by the common based upon the recent disposition of the standards of life and not permit them case against Wilde in which the judge to be crushed by too much molecular. to be crushed by too much molerfism. Governor Woodrow Wilson, of New Jersey, praised the working man and woman at the annual banquet of the relied upon by the state for conviction relied about the same character as the facts relied upon by the state are similar to and of the same character as the facts relied upon by the state terms the facts relied upon by the state facts relied upon by the st executive stated at the outset he was in mind of an opportunity not to have to State of Oregon yersus W. Copper Mortalk politics but at the same time he ris and Louis J. Wilde, in which said took occasion to declare again for the last mentioned cause the .. defendant initiative and referendum.

"We have boasted of our democracy since our country was born," he said,

Country People Know Pacts. people realize best the problems the of bonds belonging to the Puget Sound country has to face. Here in the big Telephone company. the newspaper headlines. They do not take the trouble to investigate. But the resident of the rural communities read everything and they realize the problems that must be solved. And after all a country is what the masses make it, and our masses are for the most new asked the court to dismiss them. part the common sense people of the Judge Gatens refused to allow the mosmaller communities who cannot be tion. The district attorney later anthe local point of view.
"And when the stress of the city and our modern life becomes too great and

some leaders falter, we know that we can always supply their places with historial drafted from the rural dis-Opportunities Not Equal. "We have always insisted that this is the country of equal opportunity but that it is not as true today as it once

was. I do not say that the gates of opportunity are barred. I know there is a key somewhere. But it is harder to in full swing. The desertion of the old under modern conditions than it was in the old days.

believe in the standards of long ago, but it is certain that in the rush of crackers as on former occasions and the sur modern life we have lost sight of decorations this year are very few. to the weifare of the country and we american flags hung in front of each must get back to them, to the views store is all that can be seen. Asswdust point of the countryman, if we are to a sprinkled on the floor of all business remedy conditions now complained of." houses to indicate that business has

Musical Organization's Debut Greeted by Large and Appreciative Audience.

In making its debut last night at the December 21. Heilig theatre, the Orpheus Male Cho-rus of Portland scored a big success and after the detectives had learned from to the amount of \$16,050. der is entitled to a great deal of credit. This chorus was organized but a few months ago and is composed largely of and that he had attempted to dispose amateur singers, yet the ability with which the several numbers were rendered indicates that it will not be long before this organization will be classed among the best in the northwest.

Wilder expressed his thanks in a neat little speech from the stage. He explained that he realized the youth of the organization, and did not consider it perfect, but promised better things in the future.

The program contained several difficult numbers and most of them were well rendered. Best of them all was perhaps Dudley Buck's "On the Sea, charming chorus number with splendid apportunities for delicate nuances. And Director Wilder's reading pleased the sudience indeed. In the opening num-ber, too, "Where the South Wind Blows" Ly George A. Cox Jr., Director Wilder displayed excellent control of the voices, crescendos and minuendos followed promptly every move of the hand. Insistent demands for an encore were re-sponded to very pleasingly with "Lazy Moon." Other numbers on the program were "Sweet and Low," by J. Barnby J. C. Macy's arrangement of Edward Barri's "The Old Brigade"; Franz Abt's "Serenade"; The Old Year is Dying," an eld Welsh carol and a difficult number "Jerusalem Morning," a negro melody with incidental solos for basso, sung by H. A. Henneman, and the old English "Drink to Me Only With Thine Eyes." Mr. Henneman struck such a popular cord in his solo work that the negro melody had to be repeated and then he received several recalls.

Mrs. Rose Bloch Bauer was the soloist and the popular soprano never sang better. Indeed few visiting, artists have been heard here to better advantage than was Mrs. Bauer and she was given a veritable ovation, and gorrecus bouquets of beautiful carnations. Her numbers were Henschel's "Mor-gen," Beach's "Ah, Love: But a Day," Richard Strauss' "Cecille," and Nutting's "With you." Her encores were Harlett Ware's "Bost Song," and De Hardelott's "Love's Rhapsody," Mrs. wer herself playing the accompaniment to the last named. Carl Denton was the accompanist.

BLACK DIAMOND MURDER FOLLOWS SALOON ROW

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 17 .- Posses of deputy sheriffs and citizens are search ing the country tributary to Black Dia-Adolph Brazi, suspected slayer of Antons Crudelil. Twenty men are employed in the mines. They quarreled in a Black Diamond saloon last night, for identity as the missing a light, berief about midnight and some worth \$85,000,000. The estate which the body was found in the body was found in the mines. They quarreled in the mines of the missing at the missing to establish her identity as the missing of the Christian Sunday school of the Christian Temperature. They quarreled in the mines of the missing at the missing of the Christian Sunday school of the Christian Temperature. They quarreled in the mines of the missing to establish her identity as the missing of the Christian Sunday school of the Christian Temperature. The property of the mines of the missing to establish the mines of the missing to establish the mines. They quarreled in the mines of the missing to establish her identity as the missing of the Christian Sunday school of the Christian Temperature. The missing the mines of the missing to establish the mines of the missing to establish the mines. They quarreled in the mines of the missing to establish her identity as the missing of the Christian Sunday school of the Christian Sunday school of the Christian Temperature.

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murdered man. He disappeared at going to Lady Elizabeth Churchill of actment of an interstate liquor law to Hood River, is a guest at the Cornelius. night, but attracted no attention.

ond Charge Against Morris and Wilde Killed.

District Attorney Cameron late yesterday afternoon asked Presiding Judge Kayanaugh to dismiss another joint indictment against W. Cooper Morris and Louis J. Wilde. In this one they were charged with embessing \$12,500 from the Oregon Trust & Savings bank. The motion by the district attorney was

In his motion, District Attorney Cameron gave the following reason for dis-missing the charge: "That the facts Wilde was acquitted by order of the

court."
The case involving the alleged em rand we have the right to do so. But it is not true that officials are at all times amenable to the people then we have been practicing a lie. I believe that they are not and that the people that they are not and that the people that they are not and that the people that whide placed certificates of deposit in the Dollar Savings bank of the people that whide placed certificates of deposit in the Dollar Savings bank of the people that white people that white placed certificates of deposit in the Dollar Savings bank of the people that white placed certificates of deposit in the Dollar Savings bank of the people that white placed certificates of deposit in the Dollar Savings bank of the people that white placed certificates of deposit in the Dollar Savings bank of the people that white placed certificates of deposit in the Dollar Savings bank of the people that white people that the p Los Angeles in the Oregon Trust & "It is in the rural district that the Savings bank to secure the withdrawal

easily mieled. And let me say that no neunced that he would ask the dis-nation can have its problems solved if missal after Judge Gatens' term as they are not taken up and solved from presiding judge expired, but nothing to

CHINESE NEW YEAR'S **CELEBRATION IS TAME**

customs is being done very quietly. The Chinese are not celebrating the advent "I seems strange to some of you that Chinese are not celebrating the advent of their new year as has been their I who am classed as a radical, should contains. There is no shorting of firecustoms. There is no shooting of firesome of the standards that meant much Plags of the new republic and the been suspended.

Many curious people went through the old and new Chinatown last night in search of amusement, but it was not to be found. Many of the prominent merchants of the city assembled at one of the north end Chinese restaurants last night for a banquet.

OFFERS BROOCH FOR SALE; IS ARRESTED

The sale of a brooch made from a Panama dollar was the undoing of N E. Eders, who was yesterday arrested by Detectives Mallett and Maloney for the burglasy of the residence of J. P. Tay-

a pawn shop that some of the stolen of the brooch to a man in a pool hall. The case presents a very pathetic feature, for when the detectives went the arrest was made, it was found that

LAYS CLAIM TO SHARE OF MILLIONS

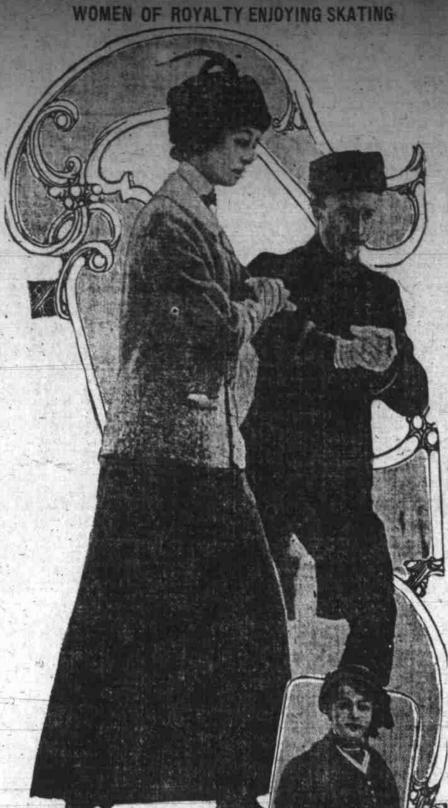


Mrs. Tottle Springer.

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 17 .- To prove id, in King county's coal regions, for herself the lost heiress to an immense time after his body was found in the Mrs. Springer claims consists of sevperance Union of Union; of the Woroad shot three times.

A. L. Preston and J. O. Harms, merroad shot three times.

Chants of Centralia, are guests at the Brazi left the saloon soon after the of the income of the estate has been mouth and Saletan praying for the en-The miners frequently celebrate in this Mariborough and the Duke of Devon- referred to the committee on the ju-



BUSINESS BLOCKS

Loss Estimated at \$135,600. With One-Third Insurance; Undaunted Residents Will Put Up Modern Successors.

(Special to The Journal.) Grangeville, Idaho, Feb. 17 .- Grange lor, 830 East Thirty-seventh street on ville was swept this morning by a fire that entailed a property less aggregating \$135,600, with reported insurance

The fire was discovered shortly after property had been pawned by Eders 4:20 o'clock by Night Watchman Charles Wright and at that time three frame buildings occupied by two small restaurants and the Day barber shop, were in flames. A fierce wind was blowing to the home, 302 Twelfth street, where the errest was made, it was found that until two blocks in the center of the until two blocks in the center of the The keen public interest was illustrat- a baby had been born to the wife last business district were guited and 53 ed by the practically full house, and Sunday and that the woman is now in business district were gutted and 53 for this kind encouragement Director nearly destitute circumstances. victims.

The heaviest unprotected loss was sustained by Fenn Batty, who conducted the Grangeville hotel and bar, and owned three business houses. Mr. Batty's loss will amount to at least \$10,000. The loss of Robert Dunlap, jeweler, will amount to \$10,000, with but \$2000 insurance and the J. J. Pulse drug store

The plant of the Grangeville Free Press was entirely destroyed entailing a loss of \$7000, with \$2600 insurance. Shiller Bros., general merchandisers, sustained a \$20,000 loss with but \$11,-000 insurance.

Construction of new buildings is already being discussed by the property owners, who will cover the burned district with modern business brocks. The rapidity with which the fire attle, is a guest at the Imperial, spread can be best understood from Farl S. Smith, a business, man the fact that the flames consumed the two blocks in but little over an hour Multnomah.

PROMINENT SPEAKERS TO BE AT BANQUET

The annual dinner of the Oregon Soclety of the Sons of the American revo-lution will be given next Thursday even-ing at 6:20 o'cleck'at the Hotel Multno-Wash., is a guest at the Multnomah. mah. While given under the auspices of the society, it will, be open to all who are interested. It will be a stag nomah. dinner and will be a patriotic affair in honor of the "Father of the Coun- gene, is a great of the try," and several excellent speakers have been asked to address the diners, among them D. Solis Cohen and Stephen A. Lowell of Pendleton. Wallace McCaniant, president of the seciety, will act | 18 as toastmaster. The committee of ar- Unfatilia, Or., is a guest at the Im-Chapin and A. R. Croasman, are plan. perial. ning for one of the finest banquets City, is a guest at the Imperial. yet held in the new hostelry. Tickets may be secured from the members of Chicigo & Alton failread, is at the Im-

Liquor Law Aim of Churches. Washington, Feb. 17 .- On one day re terest and a large fishing industry. Some Albany; and of sundry citizens of Mon- Oregon. London. The wranging over the estate prevent the millification of state liquor F. N. Bringham, a business man of has involved King George, the Duke of laws by outside dealers, which were Spokane, is a guest at the Cornelius.

The upper photograph shows the Duchess of Marlborough learning to skate at Wengen, Switzerland. Below is the Duchesa of Westminster gliding over the ice on the lakes near Saint Moritz, Switzerland. Royalty has forsaken the Reviera to spend the winters, and are now indulging in all sorts of winter frolics at the Swiss winter resorts.

PERSONALS

Hood River, is a guest at the Perkins. district lodge, No. 4, of the Independent M. E. Mulvey, a politician of Salt Order of B'Nai B'rith. The session loss amounts to \$10,000, with but \$3500 Lake City, is a guest at the Perkins, J. H. Haner, a sheepman of Prineville, guest at the Perkins.

G. McDonald, a business man of Sentije, is a guest at the Multnomah.

F. J. Rosenberg, a real estate man of the delegates are accompanied by their logist and writer of sketches, died at the delegates are accompanied by their logist and writer of sketches, died at the delegates are accompanied by their logist and writer of sketches, died at the delegates are accompanied by their logist and writer of sketches, died at the delegates are accompanied by their logist and writer of sketches, died at the delegates are accompanied by their logist and writer of sketches, died at the delegates are accompanied by their logist and writer of sketches, died at the delegates are accompanied by their logist and writer of sketches, died at the delegates are accompanied by their logist and writer of sketches, died at the delegates are accompanied by their logist and writer of sketches, died at the delegates are accompanied by their logist and writer of sketches, died at the delegates are accompanied by their logist and writer of sketches, died at the delegates are accompanied by their logist and writer of sketches, died at the delegates are accompanied by their logist and writer of sketches, died at the delegates are accompanied by their logist and writer of sketches, died at the delegates are accompanied by their logist and writer of sketches, died at the delegates are accompanied by their logist and writer of sketches, died at the delegates are accompanied by the delegates ar

L. F. Wakefield, a contractor of Creston, Or, is a guest at the Imperial. J. W. Lysons, who is connected with the Automatic Fender company, at Se-Farl S. Smith, a business, man of Eugene, and wife, are guests at the

Charles Rosenfield, a manufacturer of Cleveland, Ohio, is a guest at the Mult-H. H. Veatch, an attorney of Cot-

tage Grove, is a guest at the Imperial. A. G. Russell, a jumberman of San Olympia, is a guest at the Cornelius. Francisco, is a guest at the Oregon. W. H. Allen, a ousiness man of C. C. Carter, a business man of Eu- kane, is a guest at the Seward. and wife, are guests at the Mult-

Lesand Hend, a business man of Eu-Mrs. C. C. McGowan, wife of a busithe Imperial

A. C. Dixon; a lumber on of Eugene, guest at the Imperial. D. C. Brownell, an Law ance man of

W. H. Able, a railroad man of Kansas. portal F. S. Thrift, county assessor at Co-

Sol Meyers, superintendent

N. Dickson, a business man of

ler Seven Years Ago, "Beware of 1912," Is Felt in National Affairs of Russia.

By Charles H. Manners. St. Petersburg, Feb. 17,-"Beware the dark."

emperor. So at least declare those very scure and whose origin it is believed belief here. czar is pleased by his necromancy.

Many Mystics Patronized. As these dispatches have told, the duma has made Rasputin's control mystic is only the last of a succession of more or less holy men who have played on the czar's fear and dread of railroad. the occult.

of attempting to tear away the curtain owners. that hides the future. But when he It is reported that horses and catile is not getting its share of the business ascended the throne he sought the help were taken in large numbers.

of a church of which he became the titual head and of certain of its theatric withdrew his forces from the vicinity to remedy this situation. If Portland exponents.

First came Father John, "the miracle days to attack it, working priest," of Cronstadt, and Nicholas really began his reign ruled by the advices of this village priest. Father John was regarded abroad as an ignorant charletan and a fanatic; the Russian faithful looked on him as a

Next Pobledonostzef, the famous pro-curator general of the holy synod, twisted the czar around his thumb and diverted him from the liberalism he had inbibed in his youth. Phillippe Sundard, son of a shepherd and born in the French Alps, succeeded; their others "divinely inspired"—Bishop Hermogenes, Heliodorus, abbott of Tsaritsyn, and the rest of them,

Bulers Attend Seances. Today Rasputin is reigning over him sited. The imperial pair seem enrap-fured by the seer's solemn propesies.

Often Rasputin is commanded to call up the spirits of former czars from Peter the Great down. It is said Nicholas of ships and the water.

great that the kaiser consults him when whenever he is in doubt even on the highest questions of state. Small wonder that the duma is anxious, nervous, and the people uneasy, since the fate of and burned. Arey says he had talked Russia may hang on the word of this with the commander of the rebels whom mystic, steeped in superstitious lore.

WORKERS FOR CHARITY MEET IN CITY OF ANGELS

citizens of California, Washington, British Columbia, Idaho, Montana, Utah, Ne- go to secure the money on it. vada and Arizona, leaders in Jewish al- sheriff from Chehalis arrived tast night are gathered in Los Angeles for the a late train. F. Davenport Jr., a business man of forty-ninth annual convention of the district lodge, No. 4, of the Independent will be held in Temple B'Nat B'rith. A hundred and fifty delegates will be

in attendance when the grand lodge is "White Rats," the well known theatricalled to order in a public meeting to-morrow night at 8 6 clock. Many of New York lodge of Elks, poet, monowives and daughters.

Business sessions will be held each o'clock this morning, after a lingering morning and the various big philan- illness. thropic activities in which this order is engaged will receive thorough discus-

returned from a trip to California. He is a guest at the Portland. John- Coleman, a business man of Butte, Mont, is a guest at the Cornelius.

Charles R. Gray, a business man of S. B. Taylor, a business man of The Dalles, is a guest at the Cornelius. L. A. Copeland, a business man of Hood River, is a guest at the Seward. F. N. Shee, a business man of Spo-W. F. King, a merchant of Prine ville, is a guest at the Seward.

Otis Campbell, a business man of Condon, Or., is a guest at the Seward. M. J. Carbart, who is connected with ness man of Warrendale, is a guest at the Western Electric company, at Seattle, is a guest at the Seward. M. T. Merritt, an attorney of Seattle.

and wife are guests at the Portland. J. E. Woodard, a stockman of Roundup, Mont., is a guest at the Portland. Frank Patton, a banker of Astoria, and wife are guests at the Portland. W. W. Robinson, the Washington street clothier, teft last evening for New York city, where he will confer with the capitalists financing the propulle Or., is a guest at the Imperia. posed seven story "Machinery Hall" to be erected on the block bounded by cently Senator Chamberlain presented petitions of the engregation of Newherg, the Christian charge and the imperial of the promo-Christian church of Union, the Methodist Episcopal church of Union, and of the First Methodist Episcopal church of Union, and of the First Methodist Episcopal church of Union, and of the First Methodist Episcopal church of Union, and of the First Methodist Episcopal church of Union, and of the First Methodist Episcopal church of Union, and of the First Methodist Episcopal church of Union, and of the First Methodist Episcopal church of Union, and of the First Methodist Episcopal church of Union, and of the First Methodist Episcopal church of Union, and of the First Methodist Episcopal church of Union, and of the First Methodist Episcopal church of Union, and of the First Methodist Episcopal church of Union, and of the First Methodist Episcopal church of Union, and of the First Methodist Episcopal church of Union, and of the First Methodist Episcopal church of Union, and of the First Methodist Episcopal church of Union and the Episcopal church of ters of "Machinery Hall" is to make the building one largely exclusive for machinery business. Large display rooms will be provided for the structure. While in the east, Mr. Robinson will spread advertising matter for the Rose Festival and the Elks' convention.

A New List, From Life.

"How many zones has the earth?" Teacher-"Correct. Name them." J. C. Costello, manager of the Tro-ian Powder company, of this city, has ate, canal, horrid, and o."

Dark Prophecy of Fortune Tel- Rebel Army in Chihuahua Now Big Corporation to Establish Plans to Work Its Way South and Will Attack Mexico City.

(United Press Leased Wire.) El Paso, Texas, Feb. 17.—Juarez, year nincteen twelve. After that all is which has been expecting the Vasafternoon that it will not be attacked. Such was the dreadful prophecy an Instead of coming here, the Vasquita astrologer-delivered to Czar Nicholas army in Chihuahua will work its way seven years ago. This prophecy and south to the city of Mexico, it is said, arrived to establish a Portland branen

March of Loot and Conquest, near his imperial majesty, who are There are more than 1000 Vasquistas ath Falls and to bring the business men equally jealous with the members of the under arms in Chihushua, to these will of Portland into closer contact with the lums of Rasputin's powerful hold on be added the 1000 or more at Torreon growing city in the southeastern part the ruler's mind, always inclined to the state of the state. At present, the greater religious mysticism, and spiritualism.

Rasputin—whose antecedents are ob-

is most humble, is now installed in pri- Vasquistas have retaken the town of mean that Portland will in the future vate apartments in the winter palace. Guerrero from the federals and have get a large share of this business. He is busy consulting oracles, the stars, left a small garrison to hold it. The cards, summoning spirits, gazing into crystals and pretending to seek to learn what this year of fate holds for his credulous master. Rasputin receives an ample salary and costly gifts when the case is pleased by his necromancy.

affair of national importance—yet this the town of Sabinal, near Torreon, and to San Francisco, but you must rememlooted the Corrilitos ranch; south of ber that it was San Francisco capital Juarez on the Mexican Northwestern and San Francisco enthusiasm and con-

Americans are heavily interested in ath Falls to be where it is today. In his youth Nicholas was fonder of this ranch, E. D. Morgan, the New York lifting a veil from a pretty face than millionaire yachtman, being one of the

of Parral after threatening for two business men will show a live interest days to attack it.

Administration Secs Peril.

spread reign of brigandage in Mexico- acquainted with us and learn what a culminating today in the holdup and great country Oregon has at her south-robbing of a trainload of American women and children refugees nearing La-redo, Texas—and the certainty that the American government will demand that Madero use the sternest repressive Madero use the sternest repressive want your friendship and we want your to the administration today the peril together."

The entire water supply of the valley is drawn from the Colorado river tions in which the Johnsons, G. X. through a canal which runs for many Wendling of San Francisco and several miles through Mexican soil, the terriwho reigns over Russia. Rasputin pre- tory now terrorized by brigands. It interests of Herbert Fleishacker of the sides nearly every evening at spiritual- was pointed out that the population is Angio-American and the Angio-London ist seances which the caar attends, and at the mercy of any single desperado & Paris National bank and Mortimer often the czarina, whose nervous tem- who might wish to take terrible revenge Flaishacker of the Great Western Powperament has always been highly ex- for American interference with his er company, both of San Francisco, To-

Predicts Attack on Torreon.

f ships and the water.

In a word, Rasputin's influence is so a train bearing 244 refuges, is carried he quotes as having declared that Wednesday's train was the last that would be permitted to leave Torreon.

Alleged Hotel Robber Arrested. Burt Rafferty, wanted by the sheriff at Chebalis, Wash, for the robbery of a hotel there, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Detective Tom Coleman when he attempted to pass a draft he is accused of having stolen. The ar-(By the International News Service.)
Los Angéles, Feb. 17.—Distinguished was for \$109, was made payable and where it was believed the man would where it was believed the man would The truistic and philanthropic movements, for his prisoner and took him back on

> Noted "White Rat" Is Dead, (By the International News Service.) Los Angeles, Feb. 17.—George Fuller Golden, founder and first chief of the "White Rats," the well known theatri-

COMMANDER OF MAINE ADVOCATES BIG NAVY



who commanded the Maine when Havana harbor, who in an address ing it void.

These facts being shown or admitance, He advocated the building tached to a full and complete, or any at once of four new dreadnaughts. ferred.

Office Here - Representative to Work for More Trade for Portland.

Negotiations that will mean thousands of dollars annually to Portland business men in increased business in southeastern Oregon were begun here today when W. P. Johnson, general manager and secretary of the Klamath Development company of Klamath Falls the caur's fear of some vague danger and, gaining recruits as it goes, will of his corporation. It is Mr. Johnson's account for the tremendous influences which Gregory Rasputin, a reputed holy formidable force. possibilities of the country about Klam-There are more than 1000 Vasquistas ath Falls and to bring the business men dicted that the trip of Mr. Johnson will

"Klamath Falls is in Oregon," said Guerrero the provisional state capital. Klamath Development company. It is Rebels Loot Ranch. true that in the past a great share of Vasquistas today attacked and took the business of Klamath Falls has gone fidence that made it possible for Klam-

Would Prefer to Trade Here, "We feel that perhaps there is a little feeling in Portland that your city we will go the other half. There is no reason why Portland should not get a big share of our business. We say, (United Press Lessed Wire.)
Washington, Feb. 17.—The wide- Come down to Klamath Falls and get

is the consolidation of seven corpora-Wendling of San Francisco and several others were interested, together with the gether with his brother, S. O. Johnson, W. P. Johnson controlled the old Klamath Development company, the Hot Springs company, the Buena Vista comup the spirits of former czars from Peter the Great down. It is said Nicholas believes his son and heir is a reincamable tion of Peter, for the boy, like so many tomorrow if the avowed intention of company, the Klamath Investment comcompany, the Klamath Investment com other boys not yet 8 years old, is fond Aguilar who was in command of the pany and the White Pelican Hotel company. These corporations have all been merged into the Klamath Development company, which also includes the big interests of the Fleishackers in that

region. The S. S. Johnson company is responsible for the development of large tracts of timber land in southern Oregon and California, and together with the Weed Lumber company, owns a large part of the timber of that section of the Pacific coast. It is estimated that the combined interests of those in the new corporation, represent \$50,000,-

000 in lands, timber and securities. This is the first trip that Mr. Johnson has made to Portland since the recent, consolidation. He reports that prospects are bright for a year of unrivaled prosperity in the Klamath country. It was the Johnsons who were responsible for the new White Pelican hotel in Klamath Falls, that has attracted attention throughout the Pacific coast for its excellent plan. Mr. Johnson believes that the coming season will see hundreds of tourists in Klam-ath county besides investors and homemakers. To Build Good Boads.

"Klamath county is going after the record in the making of good roads." said Mr. Johnson in discussing the hustling spirit of his community. believe that we will have built more miles of good roads this coming summer his home, 4245 Halldale avenue, at 2 than any other county in Oregon, When we get the houlevard around Upper Klamath lake completed, it will give the tourists an automobile road that cannot be excelled anywhere in the whole world. The road to Crater lake is also being made into a boulevard." Mr. Johnson spent the day interviewing business men here. He says that Klamath Falls will be represented in the coming Rose Festival. He will be here for about two weeks, getting acquainted with Portland's business men. In his home town, Mr. Johnson is known as "White Pelican Johnson." Some of his friends call him "Oom

U.-O. BRIEF FILED IN SUPREME COURT

(Salem Buresu of The Journal.)
Salem, Or., Feb. 17.—Attorneys for the plaintiff and respondent, in the S. H. Friendly vs. Ben W. Olcott, as secretary of state, suit, known as the University of Oregon referendum case, filed their brief in the supreme court today.

The principal contention of the attorneys presented in the brief is that it is admitted that the referendum pe tition contains 3778 illegal and fraudulent names, and that it is shown that a-part of the petition, containing 5105 names, does not comply with the substantial requirements of the statute for the reason that the sheets on which Rear Admiral Charles D. Sigsbee, signatures were placed contain no words stating a petition, and that the

men's Welfare Department of the ted are sufficient to destroy the validity of this patition," says the brief.

Another contention is that none of York advocated a bigger navy for the petition as circulated and filed is the United States, adding that a in the condition required by law, is large navy was a nation's insur- that each sheet thereof was not at-